

Academic Affairs Content Summary

With membership, you'll get access to the following types of content:

Live & Recorded Webcasts

Average time to impact: 60 minutes

Leadership webcasts, whether live or recorded, are always available to our leadership members for free. You'll always get access to presentation materials and any supplemental resources.

Short Lessons & Quizzes

Average time to impact: 20 minutes

Our short lessons are self-paced. They include videos, quizzes, and downloadable job aids to support action.

Articles & Reports

Average time to impact: 10 minutes

These short pieces are written in collaboration with industry experts.

Job Aids & Printables

Average time to impact: 5 minutes

Job Aids & Printables are ready-to-use tools.



Academic Affairs

Academic Facilities and Library

- 1. 4 Things STEAM Could Achieve on Your Campus
- 2. Collecting User Data to Improve Your Learning Commons
- 3. Integrated Planning Process and Tools for a Flexible Learning Space Initiative
- 4. Integrating Large-Scale Digital Displays in Academic Libraries
- 5. Key Considerations for Designing Student-Focused Innovation Spaces
- 6. Key Considerations for Learning Commons Design
- 7. Making the Business Case for Active Learning Spaces
- 8. New Learning Spaces: Support Faculty for Improved Learning
- 9. Planning a Teaching and Learning Space for Virtual and Augmented Reality
- 10. Responsive General Collection Management: Integrating Stakeholder Input
- 11. Selecting the Right Software for Your Learning Center Needs
- 12. Strategies for Gaining Buy-In Around Redesigning Faculty Office Space

Academic Fundraising

- 1. Building a Custom Corporate Training Plan
- 2. Develop a Plan to Address Sexual Harassment from Alumni, Donors, and Prospects
- 3. Engaging Faculty to Improve Corporate Relations
- 4. Fundraising and Sexual Harassment: Documenting Effective Procedures
- 5. Fundraising for New Department Chairs
- 6. Increasing Board Engagement in Fundraising
- 7. Increasing Faculty Engagement in Advancement
- 8. Key Tenets for Advancement Writing
- 9. Partner with Faculty to Maximize Private Funding Opportunities
- 10. Practicing the Advancement Writing Key Tenets
- 11. Writing Workshop for Advancement Professionals

Academic Innovations

- 1. 7 Myths that Limit Innovation in Higher Ed
- 2. Collaborating Effectively with Industry in Competency-Based Education
- 3. Courses with No Syllabi: A Unique Instructional Model at LDS Business College
- 4. The Future of Work and the Academy
- 5. How Marietta College Integrated Entrepreneurial Thinking Throughout the Curriculum
- 6. Incorporating Emerging Technologies into Instruction
- 7. Key Considerations for Designing Student-Focused Innovation Spaces
- 8. Launching a Successful Competency-Based Education Program
- 9. Overcoming Three Common Challenges in Online Advising



- 10. Planning a Teaching and Learning Space for Virtual and Augmented Reality
- 11. Preparing Students to Lose Their Jobs (And Faculty to Keep Theirs)
- 12. Tactics to Increase the Visibility of Your Honors Program or College

Faculty Affairs

- 1. 4 Strategies for Closing the Coaching Gap for Mid-Level Academic Leaders
- 2. 7 Ways Academic Leaders Can Cultivate Creativity
- 3. A Comprehensive Approach to Faculty Orientation
- 4. Adjunct Faculty: A Department Chair's Guide to Orienting New Instructors
- 5. Advancement and Fundraising
- 6. Best Practices for Identifying and Developing Department Chairs
- 7. Build the Capacity of Your Institution's Leaders
- 8. Civil Dialogue as a Classroom Management Strategy
- 9. Conflict Management for Institutional Leaders
- 10. Creating a Faculty Leadership Development Program
- 11. Departmental Budget Training for Faculty
- 12. Developing Skill Sets for Evaluating Online Faculty Performance
- 13. Faculty Civility and Academic Freedom: Protecting the Workplace while Preserving Academic Culture
- 14. Faculty Development and Evaluation
- 15. Faculty Handbooks: 5 Common Problems and Recommended Solutions
- 16. Formal Evaluation: Peer and Administrative Review of Online Teaching
- 17. Four Leadership Practices for New or Aspiring Deans
- 18. Habits of Highly Effective Higher-Ed Professionals
- 19. Habits of Highly Effective Higher-Ed Professionals, Part 2: Finding Your Purpose
- 20. Hiring Diverse Faculty
- 21. How to Write an Effective Op-Ed in Higher Education
- 22. Ideas for Academic Leaders to Engage Faculty in Student Recruitment
- 23. Identifying Microaggressions
- 24. Incentivizing Faculty and Staff Retirement
- 25. Informal Evaluation: Methods and Tools for Gathering Formative Feedback
- 26. The Introvert's Guide to Academic Leadership: How Introverts and Extraverts Build Successful Teams
- 27. Managing and Supporting Adjunct Faculty
- 28. Managing and Supporting an Aging Workforce
- 29. Negotiating Successful Adjunct Union Collective Bargaining Agreements
- 30. Planning and Resource Allocation
- 31. Preparing Faculty for Academic Leadership
- 32. Preparing Faculty for the Evaluation Process
- 33. Preventing Faculty Discrimination with Case Law and Simple Statistics
- 34. Recruiting Diverse Faculty



- 35. Recruiting, Hiring, and Retaining Diverse Faculty
- 36. Removing Microaggressions
- 37. Retaining Diverse Faculty
- 38. Strategies to Engage Faculty in Research Growth
- 39. Supporting Mid-Career Faculty

International

- 1. Career Services Skill Building: Supporting International Students
- 2. Essentials of Study Abroad Risk Management
- 3. Forming International Partnerships to Increase Enrollment
- 4. Growing and Supporting Online Programs Internationally
- 5. Immigration Law 101: 3 Key Issues for Compliance
- 6. Improving Academic Literacy for International Students
- 7. Increasing the Feeling of Safety and Security for International Students
- 8. International Student Orientation: Using Peer Mentors to Improve Your Program
- 9. Training Faculty: Helping International Students Properly Cite Sources

Planning and Budgeting

- 1. The \$10,000-a-Year Bachelor's Degree That Works
- 2. Academic and Financial Partnerships: Creating a Comprehensive Engagement Plan for Budget Implementation
- 3. Building a More Strategic Budget for Your Academic Department
- 4. Busting Myths Around Your Market Position: Making Data-Informed Decisions
- 5. Compiling a Market Analysis for Academic Programs (Session 1 of 2)
- 6. Decision-Making Possibilities with Activity-Based Costing
- 7. Departmental Budget Training for Faculty
- 8. Developing Vendor Partnerships for Online Programs
- 9. Engaging Your Campus Community in the Budgeting Process
- 10. Ideas from the Private Sector: Making Your Program Competitive
- 11. Identifying Curriculum and Building Internal Readiness
- 12. Is it Time to Launch that New Academic Program? The Art and Science of Answering that Question
- 13. Measuring Academic Program Cost and Demand
- 14. Measuring the Costs of Developmental Education
- 15. Operationalizing Inter-Institutional Collaboration in Shared Academics
- 16. Strategies for Effective and Actionable Academic Program Reviews Hamline University
- 17. Strategies for Effective and Actionable Academic Program Reviews University of Denver
- 18. Tactics to Increase the Visibility of Your Honors Program or College
- 19. Using Academic Program Cost Analysis to Improve the Efficiency of Your Department
- 20. Using Market Analysis Data for New and Existing Academic Programs (Session 2 of 2)



Research and Graduate Education

- 1. Addressing Compliance, Contracting and Consulting, and Outside Activities
- 2. Benefiting from University-Industry Collaborations with Government Engagement
- Creating a Sense of Community with Graduate Students
- 4. Creating Interdisciplinary Research and Scholarship
- 5. Creating Support Structures to Help Grads Develop a Professional Identity
- 6. Developing a Consistent and Productive Writing Practice
- 7. Establishing Contacts with Industry and Research Institutions
- 8. Growing Research Collaboration Through External University Partnerships
- 9. Implementing a Research Mission at Your Teaching-Intensive University
- 10. Improving Efficiency for Grant Support Systems
- 11. Managing Expectations and Creating Long Term Relationships
- 12. Managing Intellectual Property (IP) Issues
- 13. Preparing Proposals and Budgeting
- 14. Research Grants: Which Colleges are Getting Them?
- 15. Responsive General Collection Management: Integrating Stakeholder Input
- 16. Strategies for Increasing Resilience and Grit in Research Faculty
- 17. Strategies to Engage Faculty in Research Growth
- 18. Tracking Spending to Minimize Research Grant Audit Risk
- 19. Understanding the Benefits and Challenges of Working with Industry/Research Institutions
- 20. Using a Council to Establish a Holistic Corporate Engagement Strategy

Retention and Student Success

- 1. 3 Ways to Connect Students to Career Services Early and Often
- 2. How to Integrate Career Readiness into Curricula with Digital Badging
- 3. Academic Advising Records: Implications for Electronic Documentation
- 4. Academic Coaching: Models for Student Success and Retention
- 5. Approaches to Engaging, Connecting, and Retaining Online Students
- 6. Assessing the Effectiveness of Your Retention Programming
- 7. Attracting Mentors for Minority Students: Strategies and Best Practices
- 8. Best Practices in Developing a Peer Mentoring Framework
- 9. Branding Your Career Services Department
- 10. Building a More Effective Parent Relations Program
- 11. Capitalizing on the Dream and Design Phases of Appreciative Advising
- 12. Career Services Skill Building: Supporting International Students
- 13. Case Management 1.0: Considerations for Establishing a New Mental Health Case Manager
- 14. Case Management 2.0: Considerations for Enhancing the Impact of Your Mental Health Case Manager
- 15. Case Management 2.0: Refining Your Service for Behaviorally At-Risk Students
- 16. Changes that Make a Big Impact on Peer Leader Training



- 17. Coaching Students to Build an Entrepreneurial and Innovative Mindset
- 18. Co-curricular Activities to Engage First-Generation Students
- 19. Components of a Successful Training Program
- 20. Comprehensive Transfer Support: A Case Study
- 21. Conducting a Self-Audit of Your Retention Data and Programs
- 22. Connecting with Advisees from Diverse Cultural Backgrounds
- 23. Considerations for Your Student Population First Year Students
- 24. Considerations for Your Student Population First Generation Students
- 25. Considerations for Your Student Population International Students
- 26. Considerations for Your Student Population Multicultural Students
- 27. Considerations for Your Student Population Transfer Students
- 28. Considerations for Your Student Population Veteran Students
- 29. Creating a Case Manager Role to Better Serve At-Risk Students
- 30. Creating a Sense of Community with Graduate Students
- 31. Creating a Stop-Out Program to Increase Completion
- 32. Creating a Training Model to Increase Faculty Engagement in Students' Mental Health
- 33. Creating Co-Curricular Learning Opportunities Through On-Campus Internships
- 34. Creating Support Structures to Help Grads Develop a Professional Identity
- 35. Curricular Efficiency: Improving Academic Success and Degree completion
- 36. Developing Academic Stamina in First-Year Students
- 37. Developing and Administering Mentorship Programs for Transfer Students
- 38. Engaging and Celebrating First-Generation Students and Faculty on Your Campus
- 39. Feedback and Follow-up
- 40. Five Key Components of a Successful Intrusive Advising Process
- 41. Four Essential Components of a First-Generation College Student Success Program
- 42. Four Skills to Build Professional Mindsets with Students
- 43. Four Strategies for Successfully Advising Undeclared Students
- 44. Gaining Faculty Buy-In for Student Success Initiatives and Programs
- 45. How Some Colleges are Building Student Resilience and Grit
- 46. Immigration Law 101: 3 Key Issues for Compliance
- 47. Improve Completion through Redesigning Developmental Courses
- 48. Improve Student Mental Health Services Using Online Tools
- 49. Improving Academic Literacy for International Students
- 50. Improving Career Services with Data
- 51. Improving First-Year Student Experience Programs for At-Risk Students
- 52. Improving Student Engagement with Advising Communications
- 53. Increasing Degree Pathways for Stop-Out Students
- 54. Increasing the Odds for Non-Traditional Student Persistence and Completion
- 55. Innovative Strategies for Supporting Reinstated Students: A Case Study from Georgia Tech
- 56. Integrate Academic and Career Resources to Improve Student Success
- 57. Integrating Career and Advising Services: Session 1



- 58. Integrating Career and Advising Services: Session 2
- 59. Integrating Effective Mentorship into the Fabric of Your Campus Culture
- 60. Integrating Information Literacy in First Year Student Programs
- 61. Integrating Peer Mentors Across First-Year Student Programs
- 62. Inventory and Map Interventions for Use with Predictive Analytics
- 63. Keys to Creating a Powerful Partnership Between Advising and Career Services at Your Institution
- 64. Launching an Academic Success Coaching Model in Advising
- 65. Minimize the Fallout from Cyber Attacks
- 66. New Advisor Training: Developmental Advising via Email
- 67. Onboarding Spring Admits for Future Success
- 68. Overcoming Three Common Challenges in Online Advising
- 69. Practical Tactics for Building Academic Grit
- 70. Prioritizing Interventions through Effective Assessment
- 71. Providing Academic Support for First-Generation Students
- 72. Reframing Student Activism as a Vehicle for Student Leadership Development
- 73. Rethinking Career Fairs: Creating Tailored Experiences for Students and Employers
- 74. Selecting the Right Software for Your Learning Center Needs
- 75. Solving Retention Challenges with a Team Approach: A Case Study
- 76. Specializing Career Services
- 77. Strategies for Providing Better Support to Undocumented/DACA Students
- 78. Strategies to Confidently Communicate with Students Experiencing Mental Health Challenges
- 79. Summer Bridge: Building and Measuring Campus Connection
- 80. Supporting Military-Connected Students for Success and Completion
- 81. Taking a Case-Study Approach to Improving Academic Advising Assessment
- 82. Telling Your First Destination Narrative
- 83. Three Solutions for Impacting STEM Retention
- 84. Three Strategies for Connecting Student Athletes to Career Services
- 85. Three Ways to Engage Online Students Outside the Virtual Classroom
- 86. Translating Experiential Learning into College Credit with Prior Learning Assessment
- 87. Translating Your Student Development Services for Online Students
- 88. Undercover Bosses: An Innovative Approach to Career Fairs
- 89. Using Data and Metrics to Improve Student Persistence
- 90. Using Retention Metrics to Support At-Risk Online Students

Teaching and Learning

- 1. (Re)Mapping Course Design
- 2. 10 Tips for Creating Lecture Capture
- 3. 7 Strategies for Integrating Student Blogging into ePortfolios
- 4. 8 Steps for Growing and Sustaining Online Programs
- 5. 8 Steps to Implementing Open Educational Resources



- 6. 9 Formative Assessment Techniques for Online Courses
- 7. Accessibility Regulations and Accommodation in Online Courses
- 8. An Innovative Approach to Universal Design Learning: Engaging All Learners
- 9. Application of Fair Use to Research and Publications
- 10. Assessing Incoming Student Readiness for Online Learning
- 11. Assessing the Quality of Your General Education Program
- 12. Authentic Assessment Strategies for Online Learning
- 13. Blended Course Design Principles
- 14. Build Critical Thinking through Project-Based Learning
- 15. Building an Institutional Framework for MOOC Programs
- 16. Civil Dialogue as a Classroom Management Strategy
- 17. Coaching Students to Build an Entrepreneurial and Innovative Mindset
- 18. Copyright Considerations for Using MOOCs in Your Courses
- 19. Copyright for Online Course Materials
- 20. Course Organization
- 21. Critical Considerations for Accelerated Degree Programming
- 22. Curricular Efficiency: Improving Academic Success and Degree completion
- 23. Designing Engaging Online Courses for Adult Learners
- 24. Designing Your Course for Active Team-Based Learning
- 25. Developing Engaging Online Information Literacy Programming
- 26. Developing Vendor Partnerships for Online Programs
- 27. Faculty Development: Ideas for a More Inclusive Classroom
- 28. FERPA for Faculty
- 29. Gamification: Practical Strategies for Your Course
- 30. Growing and Supporting Online Programs Internationally
- 31. Improving Efficiency for Grant Support Systems
- 32. Incorporating Emerging Technologies into Instruction
- 33. Institutional Readiness for Implementing Blended Learning
- 34. Instructional Strategies for Blended Learning
- 35. Integrating Information Literacy in First Year Student Programs
- 36. Interactive Learning Design
- 37. Managing Online Course Workload
- 38. Ownership of Copyrighted Works
- 39. Principles for Effective Online Teaching
- 40. Quality ePortfolios: Essentials for Experiential Learning Programs
- 41. Responsive General Collection Management: Integrating Stakeholder Input
- 42. Selecting a Learning Management System
- 43. Teaching with Twitter
- 44. Three Solutions for Impacting STEM Retention
- 45. Title IV: Complying with New State Authorization Rules
- 46. Title IX: Four Essentials for Faculty



- 47. Understanding the Essentials of Direct Assessment
- 48. Universal Design for Learning
- 49. Use of Copyrighted Materials in the Classroom
- 50. Using Experiential Learning to Link Classroom Content to Real Life Situations
- 51. Using Peer Mentorship to Support Online Faculty
- 52. Web 2.0 Technology Design
- 53. Defining Virtual Reality, Augmented Reality, and Simulations in Higher Education