

Day One Agenda – Monday, April 21st			
TIME	SESSION	PRESENTER(S)	LOCATION
<i>1:00 pm – 2:00 pm</i>	<i>Conference Commission Meeting</i>	Conference Commission Members	<i>Ocean Park</i>
<i>2:00 pm – 5:00 pm</i>	<i>Registration Open</i>	-	<i>Foyer I-IV</i>
<i>3:00 pm – 4:30 pm</i>	<i>Veterans Toolkit - Welcome Session</i>	NAVUB President, Chevonne Neal	<i>Ballroom I</i>
<i>4:30 pm – 5:00 pm</i>	<i>Moderators Meeting</i>	NAVUB Vice President, Rob Gregg	<i>Atlantic I-II</i>
<i>5:00 pm – 9:00 pm</i>	<i>NAVUB Board Meeting and Dinner</i>	NAVUB President, Chevonne Neal	<i>Ocean Park</i>
<i>5:00 pm – 8:30 pm</i>	<i>Dinner on you own – Offsite Experience #1</i>	Travel to Old San Juan	<i>Board Bus in Front of Hotel</i>
<i>8:30 pm – 11:30 pm</i>	<i>Hospitality</i>	-	<i>Condado Salon</i>

Day Two Agenda – Tuesday, April 22nd			
TIME	SESSION	PRESENTER(S)	LOCATION
<i>8:00 am – 7:00 pm</i>	<i>Registration Open</i>	-	<i>Foyer I-IV</i>
<i>8:00 am – 9:00 am</i>	<i>Breakfast on your own</i>	-	-
<i>8:00 am – 12:00 noon</i>	<i>ELI Pre-Conference</i>	ELI Participants	<i>Atlantic I-II</i>
<i>9:00 am – 8:00 pm</i>	<i>Vendors Open</i>	.	<i>Foyer I-IV</i>
<i>12:00 pm – 1:30 pm</i>	<i>Vendor Luncheon</i>	-	<i>Ballroom II</i>
<i>1:30 pm – 3:00 pm</i>	<i>Opening Session</i>	Posting of Colors Singing of the National Anthem - Prisoner of War and Missing In Action Table Tribute NAVUB President’s Welcome City of San Juan Welcome President’s Remarks Conference Updates	<i>Ballroom III-IV</i>
<i>3:15 pm – 4:30 pm</i>	<i>Plenary I</i>	<i>Mara Luna, EdD</i>	<i>Ballroom III-IV</i>

		<i>Upward Bound Program Director & English Professor College of General Studies University of Puerto Rico - Rio Piedras COE Board Chair 2024-2025</i>	
<i>4:30 pm – 7:00 pm</i>	<i>Dinner on your own</i>	-	-
<i>6:00 pm – 7:00 pm</i>	<i>New Member Orientation</i>	NAVUB President	<i>Ballroom I</i>
<i>7:00 pm – 8:30 pm</i>	<i>President’s Reception</i>	Spirit Night	<i>Ocean Terrace</i>
<i>8:30 pm – 11:30 pm</i>	<i>Hospitality</i>	-	<i>Condado Salon</i>

Day Three Agenda – Wednesday, April 23rd			
TIME	SESSION	PRESENTER(S)	LOCATION
<i>7:00 am – 9:00 am</i>	<i>Breakfast on your own</i>	-	-
<i>7:30 am – 9:30 am</i>	<i>Fun Walk/Run Fundraiser</i>	Registration will open at 7 am	<i>Meet in the Quiet Lobby</i>
<i>9:00 am – 6:00 pm</i>	<i>Vendors Open</i>	-	<i>Foyer I-IV</i>
<i>10:00 am – 11:00 am</i>	<i>Plenary II</i>	Navigating Change: A Tapestry of Resilience	<i>Ballroom III-IV</i>
<i>11:00 am – 12:00 noon</i>	<i>Commission Meetings</i>	See listing of Commissions and choose which you are interested in becoming a member	<i>Ballroom I-IV</i>
<i>12:00 noon – 1:30 pm</i>	<i>Eagle Luncheon</i>	-	<i>Ballroom III-IV</i>
<i>1:45 pm – 3:00 pm</i>	<i>Concurrent Workshops Part-I</i>	Presenters	Location
	<i>Beyond the Uniform: Equipping Veterans for Lifelong Success</i>	Dr. Dandreon Gray	<i>Ballroom I</i>
	<i>Needs of Veterans in Higher Education</i>	Ben Blake	<i>Ballroom II</i>
	<i>Needs of Veterans in Higher Education</i>	Sarah Aultman	<i>Atlantic I</i>
	<i>The Need for Recruitment Plan and How to Create an Effective One</i>	Kelly Fitzpatrick	<i>Atlantic II</i>
<i>3:15 pm – 4:30 pm</i>	<i>Concurrent Workshops Part-II</i>	Presenters	Location

	<i>Understanding Veteran Needs Personally, Socially, and Professionally</i>	Randy Guttenberger	<i>Ballroom I</i>
	<i>Mission Ready- Using Student Development Strategies for Veteran Success</i>	Jennifer Patillo	<i>Ballroom II</i>
	<i>Building Community Partnerships</i>	Sarah Aultman	<i>Atlantic I</i>
	<i>E.V.O.L.V.E.: Experiences of a TRIO VUB Program Before and After COVID-19</i>	Steven Mutz, Director and Lisa Schley	<i>Atlantic II</i>
<i>4:30 pm – 5:45 pm</i>	<i>Business Meeting</i>	All NAVUB conference attendees	<i>Ballroom III-IV</i>
<i>6:00 pm – 9:30 pm</i>	<i>Dinner on your own</i>	-	-
<i>9:30 pm – 11:30 pm</i>	<i>Hospitality</i>	-	<i>Condado Salon</i>

Day Four Agenda – Thursday, April 24th			
		PRESENTER(S)	LOCATION
<i>8:00 am – 9:00 am</i>	<i>Breakfast on your own</i>	-	-
<i>9:00 am – 7:00 pm</i>	<i>Vendors Open</i>	-	<i>Foyer I-IV</i>
<i>9:00 am – 10:15 am</i>	<i>Best Practices Roundtable</i>	Facilitated by the Emerging Leaders Institute Participants, led by Elisa Washington Topics: 1) Legislation/Veteran Legislative Issues 2) Developing Partnerships 3) Recruitment Services and Activities 4) Curriculum & Services 5) Retention, Persistence & Completion	<i>Ballroom I-IV Atlantic I-II</i>
<i>10:30 am – 11:45 pm</i>	<i>Concurrent Workshops Part-</i>	Presenters	Location

	<i>III</i>		
	<i>Learn Best Practices to Shaping Your Grant Proposal for 2027, One Section At A Time.</i>	Chevonne Neal	<i>Ballroom I</i>
	<i>Overnight Trips with Students</i>	Jennifer Patillo	<i>Ballroom II</i>
	<i>Understanding Veterans in the Classroom</i>	Carlos R. Munoz	<i>TBD</i>
<i>12:00 noon – 1:30 pm</i>	<i>Lunch on your own</i>	-	-
<i>1:30 pm – 5:00 pm</i>	<i>Volunteer Opportunity</i>	Wear comfortable walking shoes.	<i>Meet at the entrance to the Resort</i>
<i>7:00 pm – 8:30 pm</i>	<i>NAVUB Awards Banquet Installation of Officers</i>	Gerard Laborde, Scholarships and Awards Chairman James Hawthorne, NAVUB Parliamentarian	<i>Atlantic I-II</i>
<i>8:30 pm – 11:30 pm</i>	<i>Hospitality</i>	-	<i>Condado Salon</i>

Day Five Agenda – Friday, April 25th			
TIME	SESSION	PRESENTER(S)	LOCATION
<i>9:00 am – 12:00 noon</i>	<i>Vendors Open</i>		Foyer I-IV
<i>9:00 am – 10:45 am</i>	<i>Plenary III - Breakfast</i>	Dr. Kimberly Jones, COE Presidnet	<i>Ballroom III-IV</i>
<i>11:00 am – 12:00 noon</i>	<i>Closing Session</i>	Raffle Drawings – Gerard Laborde, Scholarships and Awards Chairman Conference Commission – Ms. Lisa Thompson, Chairman and Committee Members	<i>Ballroom III-IV</i>
<i>1:00 pm – 5:00 pm</i>	<i>Group Offsite Experience #2</i>	Travel to Casa Bacardi	<i>Meet at the entrance to the Resort</i>