



WSASEA Newsletter

The Washington State
Association of Student
Employment
Administrators



FALL 2016

A Message From the President...

Dear Members,

Hello WSASEA members! Another fall has arrived and with it comes all of the tasks involved in Student Employment and Financial Aid. It's a busy time of year and the WSASEA Board understands the time constraints that many of us have in September and October. With this in mind, the WSASEA Board decided to move our Fall Town meeting date to Tuesday, November 1st. The location for this year's Fall Town has changed too, with Pacific Lutheran University set as our meeting place.

The WSASEA Board and I are working hard to make this year's Fall Town Meeting a great resource for everyone and we hope that many of you can make the trip to Tacoma on November 1st. The meeting is from 9am to 3pm and is **FREE** to WSASEA members. This includes lunch, a guest speaker, and other great

content from our fellow Student Employment, Financial Aid, and WSAC professionals.

This is the time of year when we welcome our new board members and I would like to welcome to Jessie Payne from Skagit Valley College as our President Elect, Heidi Lindstorm from Walla Walla University as our Secretary, and Rose Hill from Skagit Valley College and our Member at Large. These folks bring a wealth of knowledge to the WSASEA Board and I look forward to working with, and learning from, these great people during the next year.

WSASEA is a great resource for everyone in the Student Employment/Financial Aid Profession and I encourage all of you to renew your annual memberships, attend Fall Town, and come to the Spring Conference in North Bend, WA. Additionally, we are always

open to conference topics that might be of interest to the membership, so please feel free to send us any ideas that you may have.

Sincerely,

Julie Anderson
WSASEA President



FALL TOWN 2016

INFORMATION:

WHO: WSASEA members and anyone else actively involved in Student Employment administration that wants to learn more!

WHAT: A day devoted to Student Employment. Networking, Presentations and Roundtable Discussions.

WHERE: Pacific Lutheran University, Anderson University Center – Room 133. Parking is included!

WHEN: November 1st, 9am-3pm

WHY: Connect with fellow Student Employment administrators, learn valuable information, and complete your own Myers-Briggs test. Lunch is FREE for WSASEA members!

Please RSVP by emailing Vice-President Rachel Lee at RLee2@olympic.edu.

You MUST RSVP to receive your parking pass and MBTI Assessment!

AGENDA:

9-9:30: Arrival and Networking

9-9:30: Call to Order and Housekeeping

10-10:45: WSAC Update

10:45-11: Stretch Break

11-12: Guest Speaker – Tommy Skaggs

12-1:15: Lunch and Networking

1:15-2: Business Meeting – Secretary and Treasurer Reports

2-3: Roundtable Discussion, JLD



POSSIBLE ROUNDTABLE TOPICS:

- JLD Utilization
- State Work Study Utilization
- Program Review Information
- Foster Youth Information
- CtCLink Implementation

GUEST SPEAKER:



Tommy Skaggs will be performing a Myers-Briggs Type Indicator (MBTI) Assessment session at Fall Town 2016.

This session will cover what the MBTI is, how differences can be used in the workplace, and ideas regarding how to find job duties that play into an individual's strengths. Prior to Fall Town, Tommy will send a link and instructions to take the assessment and will cover results during the session.

Tommy Skaggs is Manager of Student Employment and Technology at Pacific Lutheran University, a WSASEA member since 2012, and former WSASEA Vice President. He graduated with an MBA in December and has been MBTI Certified since February 2015.

WSASEA Executive Board Officers:

Julie Anderson – President – St. Martin's University
Michael Grosso – Past President – St. Martin's University
Jessie Payne – President Elect – Skagit Valley College
Rachel Lee – Vice President – Olympic College
Heidi Lindstorm – Secretary – Walla Walla College
Kelly Donaldson – Treasurer – Everett Community College
Rose Hill – Member-At-Large – Skagit Valley College

Webmaster Needed!

WSASEA is in need of a webmaster! Duties would include updating the website with Board Officer details, meeting minutes, and more. For more information contact President-Elect Jessie Payne at Jessie.Payne@skagit.edu.

Benefits of WSASEA Membership:

WSASEA is a group of Student Employment administrators across Washington State, coming together to collectively address issues and concerns directly related to administering Work Study and other student employment programs.

- Some of the member benefits of WSASEA include:
- Information on training, issues, and regulatory support
- Updates on budget trends, forecasts, and pending legislation
- Opportunities to gain information and advice, as well as networking during face-to-face gatherings, as well as our members-only list-serv.