



National Association for
College Admission Counseling

Advocacy Day Meeting

Westin Georgetown
2350 M Street N.W., Washington, DC 20037
March 2-4, 2019

SATURDAY, MARCH 2, 2019

2:00 – 4:00	Government Relations Committee Meeting (Note: This is for the national GRC; affiliate chairs do not need to attend.)	Mayfair Court
5:00 – 7:00	Advocacy Day Reception (optional) Boveda is located inside the Westin Georgetown. This is an opportunity to catch up with friends and meet fellow NACAC advocates. <i>Please note, this event is a pay-your-own-way event. NACAC will not be paying for any drinks or food ordered.</i>	Boveda

SUNDAY, MARCH 3, 2019

8:00	Breakfast	Promenade
8:30 – 9:15	First-Timers Sessions (optional) NACAC staff will discuss how to conduct a meeting with your Member of Congress and/or staff.	Mayfair Court
9:30 – 9:45	Welcome and Introductions	Promenade
9:45 – 10:45	Counselors and Financial Aid in Your State Pooja Patel, Research Associate, NACAC Stephanie Giesecke, Director of Budget and Appropriations, NAICU	Promenade
10:45 – 11:00	Break	
11:00 – 12:00	Students and the Economy Rachel Banks, Director, Public Policy, NAFSA: Association of International Educators Nicole Prchal Svajlenka, Senior Policy Analyst, American Progress	Promenade
*** NACAC Board and Presidents Council join the Advocacy Day Meeting ***		
12:00 – 12:10	Break	
12:10 – 12:15	Remarks from NACAC President-Elect Jayne Fonash	Promenade

12:15 – 1:15	Key Note Speaker Virginia Delegate Alfonso Lopez (D-Arlington)	Promenade
1:15 – 2:15	Lunch	
2:15 – 2:20	Remarks from NACAC’s CEO Joyce Smith, CEO, NACAC	Promenade
2:20 – 3:00	Initial Hill Prep NACAC Staff	Promenade
3:00 – 4:00	Kathy Valle Senior Education Policy Advisor, House Committee on Education and Labor	Promenade
4:00 – 4:30	Final Hill Prep NACAC Staff	Promenade
4:30 – 5:00	Affiliate Meetings (optional) This is an opportunity for affiliates to plan and/or discuss tomorrow’s meetings.	Promenade
5:00	Adjourn	

MONDAY, MARCH 4, 2019

8:00	Pre-Hill Visits Gathering NACAC staff and GRC Members are available to answer any last-minute questions or help with logistics.	Hotel Lobby
9:00	Depart for Congressional Meetings	
TBD	Depart for Home When Finished with Congressional Meetings	