



This one-day power-packed experience will inspire participants to expand their possibilities and explore their leadership potential in the context of a college admission profession that desperately needs them. It will provide opportunities to network with and build partnerships among statewide higher education, agency, and college admission leaders.

## **Schedule-at-a-Glance: Reinventing Leadership**

**Continental Breakfast: 8:30 - 9 am**

**Welcome: 9 - 9:30 am**

Kimberly West, Director of National Recruitment  
The University of Oklahoma  
President-Elect, TACAC

**Leadership Activity/Presentation: 9:30- 10:30 am**

Dr. Veronica Pecero, Director of Access and Inclusion  
Office of Admissions  
The University of Texas at Austin

**Leadership Panel Discussion: 10:30- 11:30 am**

**Moderator:** Dr. Yulanda McCarty-Harris  
Director of Culture, Student Engagement and DEIB  
Texas Development Office

**Panelists:** Dr. Faye Lee, Dean of Instruction  
Lonestar College - Cy-Fair

Linda Battles Chancellor,  
WGU Texas and Regional VP for the South Region  
Western Governors University

Dr. Marita Esposito, Asst Dean  
College of Business Administration  
Texas A&M University Central Texas

**Lunch/Networking: 11:30 am - 12:30 pm**

**State of TX Higher Ed: 12:30pm - 1:30 pm**

Dr. Harrison Keller, Commissioner  
Laura Brennan, Asst. Commissioner for College and Career Advising  
Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board

**State of College Admissions (Director Panel Discussion): 1:30 - 2:30 pm**

**Moderator:** Caprice Howard  
Director of College Counseling  
IDEA Public Schools - Austin

**Panelists:** Dr. Beverly Woodson Day  
Asst VP for Enrollment Management and Director of Admissions  
Texas State University

Chris Reed  
Executive Director of Admissions  
Texas A&M University

Dr. Miguel Wasielewski  
Assoc Vice Provost for Admissions  
The University of Texas at Austin

**The Charge and Closing Remarks: 2:30 - 3:00 pm**

Ramon Blakley, Director of Recruitment  
Office of Admissions  
The University of Texas at Austin  
President, TACAC