**2019 Pre-Professional Scholars Program**

**Student Professional Development Conference**

**‘From The Classroom To The Boardroom: Empowering Aggies Through Excellence In Professionalism’**

***Program Agenda***

**March 21, 2019**

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| **Time** | **Title & Description** | **Location** |
| **8:30 – 9:30 am** | **Conference Registration** | **AFEC Lobby** |
| **8:30 – 9:30 am** | **Professional Headshots** | **3** |
|  | **Morning Sessions:** |  |
| **9:15 –**  **9:30 am** | **Welcome from the Pre-Professional Scholars Program & Conference Overview**  *(Dr. Dinitra White & Dr. Tameka Womack)* | **Main Ballroom** |
| **9:30 – 10:30 am** | **Panel Session – Making it Work! Successful Transition from College to Career (Student Panel)** | **Main Ballroom** |
| **10:35 – 11:50 am** | **Concurrent Session (I): Health Professionals Panel & Networking Session**  ~ Featuring Health Professions School Representatives, Practicing Healthcare Professionals and Students | **1** |
|  | **Concurrent Session (II):**  **Dental Professionals Panel & Networking Session**  ~Featuring Dental School Representatives, Dentists, Dental Professionals and Students | **2** |
|  | **Concurrent Session (III):**  **Graduate and Veterinary Professionals Panel & Networking Session**  ~Featuring Graduate & Veterinary School Representatives, Professionals and Students | **3** |
|  | **Concurrent Session (IV): Law Professionals Panel & Networking Session** ~Featuring Law School Representatives, Practicing Attorneys and Students | **4** |
| **12:00– 1:35 pm** | **Networking Lunch and Exhibitor Session:***~Featuring Law, Veterinary, Dental, Graduate and Health Professions Schools, Companies, and Professionals from all areas.*  **~***Welcome from the University* | **Main Ballroom** |
|  | **\*Keynote Speaker\***  **“From the classroom to the boardroom: Excellence in professionalism”**  **(1:15 - 1:35 pm)** |  |
|  | ***\*Final Completion of Morning Session Evaluations & Transition to Afternoon Workshops:*** *PPSP Committee, Staff & Student Ambassadors\** |  |
|  | **Afternoon Sessions:** |  |
| **1:40 - 2:50 pm** | **Concurrent Session I: Women, Life, and Professionalism in the Workplace** | **1** |
|  | **Concurrent Session II: Men, Life, and Professionalism in the Workplace** | **2** |
| **3:00 –**  **3:55 pm** | **Concurrent Workshop I. Hack my Life AND my Career!**  **~ Increase Your Competitiveness!**  **~ Summer Programs, Internships, Post-Baccalaureate Programs, Masters Programs, Work Experience**  **~Make your life easier… Leave with a plan!** | **2** |
|  | **Concurrent Workshop II. Surviving Social Media**  **~Prepare for social success in the workplace**  **~Avoid social media ‘pitfalls’ in your life**  **~How to deal with the ‘haters’ on social media** | **3** |
|  | **Concurrent Workshop III. Am I Professional… Enough?**  **~ What does it mean to ‘act’ professionally?**  **~How do I write professionally?**  **~How do I communicate in a professional way?**  **~What NOT to wear?? Okay, then what Should I wear?** | **4** |
| **4:00 –**  **4:30 pm** | **~Closing Ceremony~**  PPSP Staff, N.C. A&T Faculty, and Professionals | **Main Ballroom** |
|  | **\*Final Completion of Afternoon Session Evaluations\***  PPSP Committee, Staff & Student Ambassadors |  |