2015 NYSACME Annual Training and Workshop Symposium

Collaborative Connections and Resources for Serving Military and Veteran Students ★ Binghamton University October 28th & 29th

Wednesday, October 28th

8:00 – 8:50	Conference Check-In/Morning Refreshments
8:50 – 9:00	Presentation of Colors, Binghamton VFW Color Guard
9:00 – 9:10	Welcome & NYSACME Update – NYSACME Executive Board
9:10 – 9:30	Major General Anthony German, Commander, New York Air National Guard
9:30 – 10:50	Veteran Organizations Panel *Clear Path for Veterans, Southern Tier Veterans Support Group, SBA , Martin's Point*
10:50 – 11:05	Break
11:05 – 12:00	"Improving Employment Rates and Transition Skills For Veterans" Kymn Rutigliano, Ph.D. and John Vellenga, SUNY Empire State College
12:00 – 1:00	Lunch
1:00 – 1:50	Fort Drum Education Services Officer
1:50 – 2:45	"Techniques for Effectively Working with Student Veterans" Jonathan Barnwell, M.A., Rockland Community College
2:45 – 3:00	Break
3:00 – 3:50	"Job Marketing Strategies for Veterans" Kymn Rutigliano, Ph.D. and David Dirks, SUNY Empire State College
3:50 – 4:30	"Demystifying Military Evaluations: Credit for Military Training and Experience" Michele Spires, Director of Military Programs, American Council on Education

Thursday, October 29th

8:30 – 9:00	Morning Refreshments & Welcome
9:00 – 9:50	"New York State Education Benefits for Veterans, Military and Dependents" Leonard Sas, NYS Division of Veterans' Affairs
9:50 – 10:50	"The Post-9/11 Veterans Educational Assistance Act of 2008, the Post-9/11 Veterans Educational Improvements Act of 2010 and Veterans Access, Choice and Accountability Act of 2014" Richard Robitaille, Ed.D., Berkeley College
10:50 – 11:05	Break
11:05 – 12:00	"War Healing Circle" John Ostwald, Hudson Valley Community College
12:00 – 1:00	Lunch
1:00 – 1:30	John Ebersole, LPD, Excelsior College President
1:30 – 2:15	"Skill Building & Cultural Transition to College through the Warrior-Scholar Project" Mindy Boenning and Robert Russell, SUNY Empire State College
2:15 – 2:30	E-Board Nominations and Election
2:30 – 2:40	Closing
2:40 – 3:30	2015-2016 NYSACME Executive Board Meeting

Registration and hotel information can be found at newyorkstateacme.weebly.com