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On behalf of the National Center and its Board of Advisors, we welcome you to this higher education labor-management conference.

The National Center has been a labor-management research center for over four decades. Our Board of Advisors is composed of labor representatives from national and regional unions, and administrators from public and private sector institutions.

Each year, we organize a comprehensive 2 ½ day conference in New York City that brings together labor representatives and administrators for panel discussions and workshops related to collective bargaining, labor relations, and other important issues in higher education and the professions. Our next annual conference will be held in New York City on April 15-17, 2018. We also organize regional events to provide programming for those unable to attend the annual national conference in New York City.

The program for this conference includes stimulating and substantive panels covering timely subjects relating to universities, colleges, and community colleges. A primary goal is to inform and inspire you through positive and principled dialogue on important issues. The conference program includes panels on collective bargaining, unionization, adjunct faculty, community colleges, non-academic staff, the handling of discipline cases, the funding of higher education, the ramifications of the Janus v. AFSCME case, and much more. The conference plenary on Saturday morning will focus on the critically important issue of immigration enforcement and its impact on those involved in higher education. The closing plenary will examine the vital question of where do we go from here?

This conference would not have been possible without the support from California State University, the California Faculty Association, SEIU, the University of Oregon, and the Community College League of California. We must extend a special thanks to Rene Castro, Jonathan Karpf, Lynette Nyaggah, DeWayne Sheaffer, Jeff Frumkin, David Weinberg, Yvette Menacho, and Michelle Savarese for their assistance in helping to organize the conference.

All the best,

William A. Herbert Executive Director

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## December 1-2, 2017 California State University, Long Beach

Friday, December 1, 2017	
12:30-2:00 pm Food set-up in Gallery Sitting in Sunset Room	Registration, Welcome and Lunch Welcoming Remarks: William A. Herbert, Executive Director, National Center Melissa Bard, Vice Chancellor of HR, California State University Jennifer Eagan, President, California Faculty Association Mariann Hyland, Assistant Vice Provost for Academic Affairs, University of Oregon DeWayne Sheaffer, President, NEA National Council for Higher Education
	CONCURRENT SESSIONS
2:15-3:45 pm Sunset Room	Panel: Unionization and Collective Bargaining Regarding Adjunct Faculty  Danielle Pierce, Supervisory Field Examiner, National Labor Relations Board Region 31  Nadine Fishel, Associate Director of Labor Relations, University of California  Mia McIver, President, University Council, AFT  Maria Keegan Myers, Rothner, Segall & Greenstone  Jon C. McNutt, Musick, Peeler & Garrett LLP  Rene Castro, Assistant Vice Chancellor, Employee and Labor Relations, California State University, Moderator

2:15-3:45 pm Summit Room	Panel: Strategies and Challenges in Higher Education Funding Lillian Taiz, Chair, California Faculty Association Political Action/ Legislative Committee Kathleen Chavira, Assistant Vice Chancellor for Advocacy and State Relations, California State University Jonathan Lightman, Executive Director, Faculty Association of California Community Colleges Doug W. Otto, Long Beach Community College Trustee Theodore Curry, Associate Provost, Associate VP, Michigan State University, Moderato
3:45-4:00 pm	Break
	CONCURRENT SESSIONS
4:00-5:30 pm Sunset Room	Panel: Current Labor-Management Issues for Non-Academic Staff Jo Ann Juarez-Salazar, Executive Director, California State University Employees Union John Swarbrick, Associate Vice Chancellor, Senior Labor Relations Advisor and Chief Negotiator, California State University Molly Malone, Public Sector State-wide Field Coordinator, SEIU Local 503, OPEU Arlene King-Berry, University of District of Columbia, Moderator
4:00-5:30 pm Summit Room	Panel: Current Labor-Management Issues at Community Colleges William T. Scroggins, President and CEO, Mt. San Antonio College Rose DelGaudio, VP of Human Resources, Long Beach City College DeWayne Sheaffer, President, NEA National Council for Higher Education Lynette Nyaggah, President, Community College Association, CTA-NEA Laura N. Metune, Vice Chancellor, Governmental Relations, California Community College Chancellor's Office, Moderator
5:45-8:45 pm Food set-up in Gallery Sitting in Sunset Room	Conference Dinner Welcoming Remarks: William A. Herbert, Executive Director, National Center Malini Cadambi Daniel, Director for Higher Education, SEIU, and a Member of the National Center's Board of Advisors Rene Castro, Assistant Vice Chancellor, Employee and Labor Relations, California State University, and a Member of the National Center's Board of Advisors

Saturday, December 2, 2017		
7:45-8:15 am Food set-up in Gallery Sitting in Sunset Room	Continental Breakfast	
8:30-10:00 am Sunset Room	Plenary Session: The Impact of Immigration Enforcement on Higher Education  Debbie Smith, Associate Counsel, SEIU Jennifer Koh, Professor of Law and Director, Immigration Clinic, Western State College of Law Karen Ling, Faculty Immigration Advisor, Office of Academic Affairs, CSU East Bay Theresa Montaño, Vice President, California Teachers Association, Moderator	
10:00-10:15 am	Break	
	CONCURRENT SESSIONS	
10:15-11:45 am Sunset Room	Panel: Agency Fees: Janus v. AFSCME and Its Ramifications for Employees and Employers Alexandra Robert Gordon, Deputy Attorney General, California Department of Justice Ruben Garcia, Associate Dean for Faculty Development and Research, William S. Boyd School of Law Professor, University of Nevada, Las Vegas Jennifer Eagan, President, California Faculty Association William Connellan, Assistant Provost, University of Florida, Moderator	
10:15-11:45 am Summit Room	Panel: Accreditation in Higher Education Today Rufus Glasper, President and CEO, League for Innovation in the Community College Nicole Hochsprung, Senior Policy Associate, AFT Higher Education Robert Shireman, Senior Fellow, Century Foundation Margaret Merryfield, Assistant Vice Chancellor, Academic Human Resources, California State University, Moderator	
12:00-1:00 pm Food set-up in Gallery Sitting in Sunset Room	Lunch	

	CONCURRENT SESSIONS
1:15-2:45 pm Sunset Room	Panel: Collective Bargaining and Labor Relations for Administrators and Labor Representatives Karen Stubaus, Vice President, Academic Affairs & Administration, Rutgers University Jonathan Karpf, Assistant Vice President, Lecturers (North), California Faculty Association David Cecil, Executive Director, United Academics of the University of Oregon Colleen Mullery, Senior Associate Vice President for Faculty Affairs and Human Resources, Humboldt State University Mariann Hyland, Assistant Vice Provost for Academic Affairs, University of Oregon, Moderator
1:15–2:45 pm Summit Room	Panel: Discipline: How to Investigate, Present, and Defend  Kathy Sheffield, Director of Representation, California Faculty Association Peter Fehrs, Senior Labor Relations Coordinator, University of Oregon Michelle Hunt, Associate Vice President for Faculty Affairs, CSU San Marcos Mara M. Otero, Senior Labor Relations Representative, California School Employees Association, North Bay David Weinberg, Arbitrator and Mediator, Moderator
2:45–3:00 pm	Break
3:00–4:00 pm Sunset Room	Closing Plenary: Where Do We Go From Here? Gary Rhoades, Professor and Director of the University of Arizona's Center for the Study of Higher Education Adrianna Kezar, Professor, USC, Co-director Pullias Center and Director Delphi Project Malini Cadambi Daniel, Director for Higher Education, SEIU, Moderator





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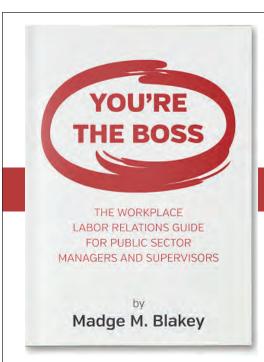




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