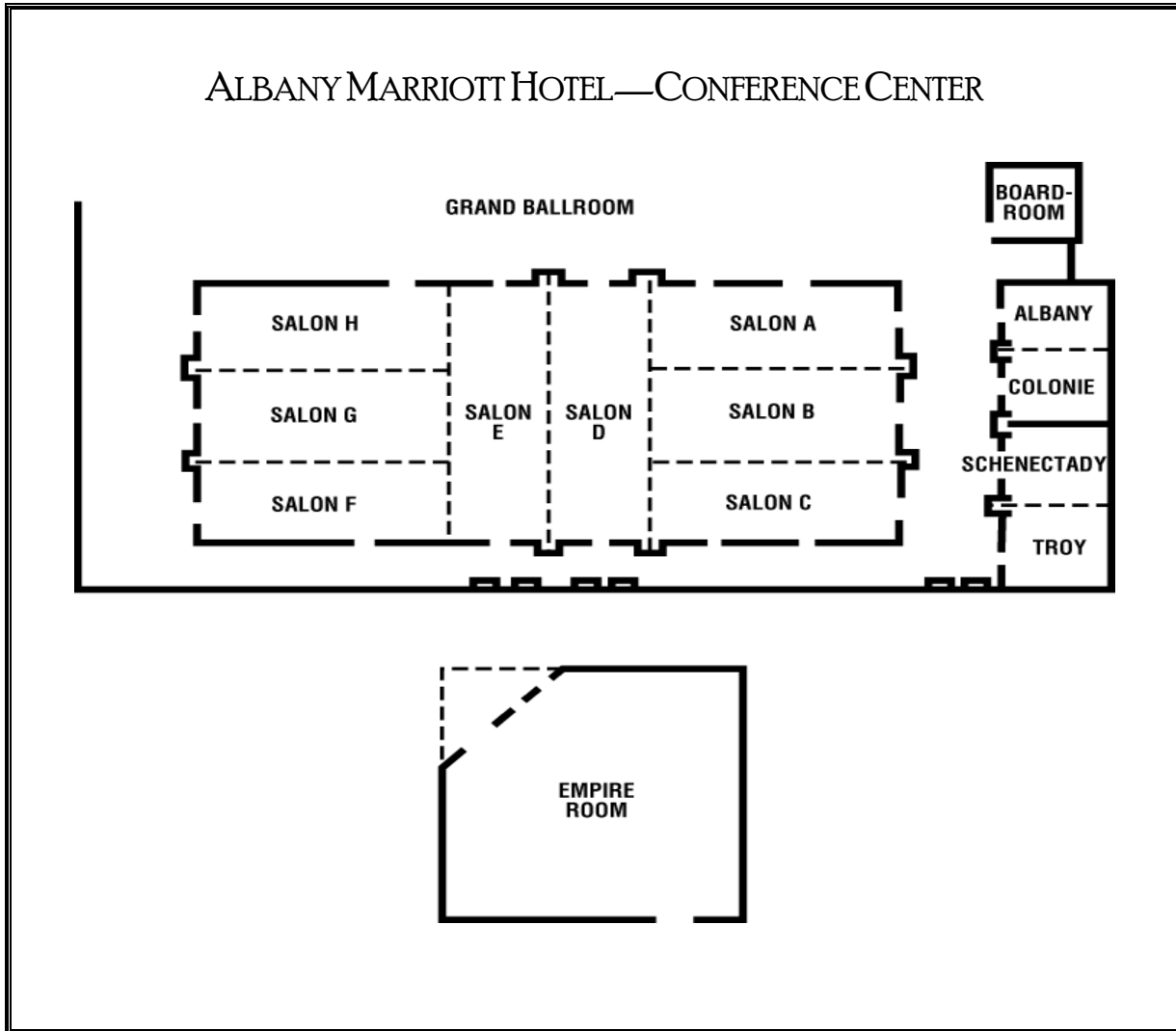


CONFERENCE CENTER MAP

STEP Conference 2017



BOARD ROOM = STEP CONFERENCE HEADQUARTERS

SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

STEP Conference 2017

Friday, March 24th

TIME	ACTIVITY	ROOM
3:00pm~6:30pm	Conference Registration	Albany/Colonie
4:15pm~5:30pm	STUDENT WORKSHOP—FINANCIAL WELLNESS <i>“My Money: What Am I Going to Do With It?”</i> Annette Toms	Salons A and B
4:15pm~5:30pm	STUDENT WORKSHOP—CAREER EXPLORATION <i>“High Achievements in Engineering Made Easy”</i> Dr. Ashraf Ghaly	Salon C
4:15pm~5:30pm	STUDENT WORKSHOP—INTERNSHIP <i>“Learning Through Internship”</i> Ken Keech	Schenectady/Troy
4:15pm~5:30pm	Meet and Greet with the New York State Education Department STEP Program Liaisons and Program Administrators	Market Restaurant
6:30pm~8:15pm	Buffet Dinner	Ballroom Salons
7:15pm~8:15pm	STEP Pep Rally/Roll Call	Ballroom Salons
8:30pm~9:15pm	Student Ambassadors Meeting	Albany/Colonie
8:30pm~9:15pm	Student Poster Presenters Meeting	Schenectady/Troy
9:00pm~11:00pm	Student Photo Booth	Registration Foyer
9:00pm~11:00pm	Coffee House/Talent Show	Empire Room
9:15pm~9:45pm	Conference Briefing for STEP Administrators and Chaperones	Salon C
9:30pm~10:45pm	COMMUNITY BUILDING ACTIVITY <i>“Rebels with A Cause—Celebrating How We See Ourselves”</i> All Male Roundtable Discussion Rasheen Powell, Moderator	Schenectady/Troy
9:15pm~10:45pm	COMMUNITY BUILDING ACTIVITY <i>“Dear Fear, It’s Over”</i> All Female Roundtable Discussion Valerie Jeannis & Samantha Prindilus, Moderators	Albany/Colonie

SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

STEP Conference 2017

Friday, March 24th (continued)

TIME	ACTIVITY	ROOM
9:30pm~11:00pm	Zumba Class	Salons A and B
9:30pm~11:00pm	Yoga Class	Salon E
9:30pm~11:00pm	APACS, Inc. Reception (Adults Only) (This event is not opened to the STEP students.)	State Room

Saturday, March 25th

TIME	ACTIVITY	ROOM
7:30am~8:30am	Breakfast	Salons DEFGH
8:30am~8:45am	Plenary Session	Salons DEFGH
8:30am~8:50am	Student Poster Display Drop-off	Empire Room
9:00am~10:30am	Conference Registration	Board Room
9:00am~10:15am	Student Concurrent Workshop Sessions	Salons A and B Salon C Albany/Colonie Schenectady/Troy
9:30am~11:30am	Professional Development Administrators & Chaperones "Turning Vision into Action: College Admissions and Financial Aid" Nancy Sanchez	Market Restaurant
9:30am~11:00am	Judges' Meeting for Student Research Poster Competition	State Room
10:30am~11:45am	Student Concurrent Workshop Sessions	Salons A and B Salon C Albany/Colonie Schenectady/Troy
12:15pm~1:30pm	Buffet Lunch	Salons DEFGH

SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

STEP Conference 2017

Saturday, March 25th (continued)

TIME	ACTIVITY	ROOM
1:15pm~1:45pm	College Fair Setup	Salons A and B
1:30pm~2:00pm	Student Research Poster Competition <i>Presenters Report for the Competition</i>	Empire Room Market Restaurant
2:00pm~4:00pm	10th Annual STEP College Fair	Salons A and B
2:00pm~4:30pm	Student Coding Workshop "Tech Time: Coding, Gaming and More!"	Schenectady/Troy
2:00pm~3:15pm	"Fashion with a Passion—Discussion with a Kool Nerd" Roundtable Discussion with Keynote Speaker Orane Barrett	Albany/Colonie
2:15pm~5:00pm	Student Research Poster Competition	Empire Room
2:30pm~4:00pm	Speed Networking: New York State Liaisons and STEP Students	Salon C
6:30pm~8:30pm	Celebratory Dinner & Keynote Address Keynote Address Orane Barrett	Ballroom Salons
9:30pm~11:00pm	Zumba Class	Salon A
9:30pm~11:30pm	Teen Coloring	Salon C
9:30pm~11:30pm	Board Games	Schenectady/Troy
9:30pm~11:30pm	Under the Big Top	Albany/Colonie Ballroom Foyers F, G and H
9:30pm~12:00am	Party	Empire Room

SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

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Sunday, March 26th

TIME	ACTIVITY	ROOM
8:00am~9:30am	Breakfast	Salons DEFGH
9:00am~10:15am	Closing Plenary Session Awards Ceremony Student Research Poster Competition Closing Remarks	Salons DEFGH
9:45am~10:30am	Box Lunch Pickup	Albany/Colonie Schenectady/Troy
10:30am~11:15am	Check-Out and Departure	Hotel Lobby

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

Friday, March 24th

3:00pm~6:30pm

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION
Albany/Colonie

STUDENT CONCURRENT WORKSHOP SESSIONS

4:15pm~5:30pm

PRESENTERS	ROOMS	WORKSHOP TITLES
Annette Toms	Salons A and B	STUDENT SUCCESS –FINANCIAL WELLNESS “My Money: What Am I Going to Do With It?”
Dr. Ashraf Ghaly	Salon C	STUDENT SUCCESS –CAREER EXPLORATION “High Achievements in Engineering Made Easy”
Ken Keech	Schenectady/ Troy	STUDENT SUCCESS –INTERNSHIPS “Learning Through Internship”

4:15pm~5:30pm

MEET AND GREET THE NEW YORK STATE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT STEP PROGRAM LIAISONS
Adrienne Day, Christopher Denner, Dr. Christopher Fernando, and Dr. Kim Overrocker
Market Restaurant

6:30pm~8:15pm

BUFFET DINNER
Ballroom Salons

7:15pm~8:15pm

STEP PEP RALLY/ROLL CALL
Ballroom Salons

8:30pm~9:15pm

STUDENT AMBASSADOR MEETING
Albany/Colonie

8:30pm~9:15pm

STUDENT POSTER PRESENTERS MEETING
Schenectady/Troy

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

Friday, March 24th (continued)

9:00pm~11:00pm

STUDENT PHOTO BOOTH
Registration Foyer

9:00pm~11:00pm

COFFEE HOUSE/TALENT SHOW
Empire Room

9:15pm~9:45pm

CONFERENCE BRIEFING FOR STEP ADMINISTRATORS AND CHAPERONES
Salon C

9:30pm~10:45pm

COMMUNITY BUILDING ACTIVITY
“Rebels with A Cause—Celebrating How We See Ourselves” All Male Roundtable Discussion
Rasheen Powell, Moderator
Schenectady/Troy

9:30pm~10:45pm

COMMUNITY BUILDING ACTIVITY
“Dear Fear, It’s Over” All Female Roundtable Discussion
Valerie Jeannis & Samantha Prindilus, Moderators
Albany/Colonie

9:30pm~11:00pm

ZUMBA CLASS – Edelika Becker
Salons A and B

9:30pm~11:00pm

YOGA CLASS – Douglas Goodbee
Salon E

9:30pm~11:00pm

APACS RECEPTION (ADULTS ONLY)
State Room

This event is sponsored by the Association for Program Administrators of CSTEP and STEP, Inc. (APACS).

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

Saturday, March 25th

7:30am~8:30am
BREAKFAST
 Salons DEFGH

8:30am~8:45am
PLENARY SESSION
 Salons DEFGH

8:30am~8:50am
STUDENT POSTER DISPLAY DROP-OFF
 Empire Room

9:00am~10:30am
CONFERENCE REGISTRATION
 Board Room

STUDENT CONCURRENT WORKSHOP SESSIONS

9:00am~10:15am

PRESENTERS	ROOMS	WORKSHOP TITLES
Dr. Gladys Schrynemakers Dr. David Cohen	Salons A & B	"Somebody's Watching You: Netiquette and Your Online Footprint"
Stephanie Jackman	Salon C	"Bullying: What Is Your Role?"
Susan Johnston Carlos Pulquerio	Albany/Colonie	"The Value of a Community College Education"
Mac-Arthur Louis	Schenectady/ Troy	"Discover Your Choices in STEM"

9:30am~11:30am

MARKET RESTAURANT

~PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT~ ADMINISTATORS & CHAPERONES

"Turning Vision into Action: College Admissions and Financial Aid"

Nancy Sanchez
 Kaplan Education Foundation

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

Saturday, March 25th (continued)

9:30am~11:00am

JUDGES' MEETING FOR STUDENT RESEARCH POSTER COMPETITION
State Room

STUDENT CONCURRENT WORKSHOP SESSIONS

10:30am~11:45am

PRESENTERS	ROOMS	WORKSHOP TITLES
Shannon Carter	Salons A & B	"Resolving Conflicts By Understanding Communication Styles"
Michael B. Phillips	Salon C	"Flying 101"
Wayne Uter Thelma Uter	Albany/Colonie	"Developing the Scholar Within You"
Chandra Redfern	Schenectady/ Troy	"Without Action, A Dream is Just a Dream"

12:15pm~1:30pm

BUFFET LUNCH
Salons DEFGH

1:15pm~1:45pm

COLLEGE FAIR SETUP
Salons A and B

1:30pm~2:00pm

STUDENT RESEARCH POSTER COMPETITION
Presenters Report for the Competition
Empire Room & Market Restaurant

2:00pm~4:00pm

10TH ANNUAL STEP COLLEGE FAIR
Salons A and B

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

Saturday, March 25th (continued)

2:00pm~4:30pm

STUDENT CODING WORKSHOP
"TECH TIME: CODING, GAMING, AND MORE!"
David Stablein & Morrisville State College
Schenectady/Troy

2:00pm~3:15pm

ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION WITH KEYNOTE SPEAKER—ORANE BARRETT
"Fashion with a Passion—Discussion with a Kool Nerd"
Albany/Colonie

2:15pm~5:00pm

STUDENT RESEARCH POSTER COMPETITION
Empire Room & Market Restaurant

The Student Research Poster Competition will be open to the public at 4:00pm.

2:00pm~3:15pm

SPEED NETWORKING: NEW YORK STATE LIAISONS & STEP STUDENTS
Adrienne Day, Christopher Denner, Dr. Christopher Fernando, and Dr. Kim Overrocker
Salon C

6:30pm~8:30pm

CELEBRATORY DINNER & KEYNOTE ADDRESS
Ballroom Salons

KEYNOTE ADDRESS
Orane Barrett

9:30pm~11:00pm

ZUMBA CLASS – Edelika Becker
Salon A

9:30pm~11:30pm

COLORING FOR TEENS
Salon C

9:30pm~11:30pm

BOARD GAMES
Schenectady/Troy

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

Saturday, March 25th (continued)

9:30pm~11:30pm

UNDER THE BIG TOP

Albany/Colonie

Ballroom Foyers F, G and H

9:30pm~12:00am

PARTY

Empire Room

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

Sunday, March 26th

8:00am~9:30am

BREAKFAST

Salons DEFGH

9:00am~10:15am

CLOSING PLENARY SESSION

Salons DEFGH

Awards Ceremony

Student Research Poster Competition

Closing Remarks

9:45am~10:30am

BOX LUNCH PICKUP

Albany/Colonie

10:30am~11:15am

CHECK-OUT AND DEPARTURE

Hotel Lobby