36th Annual Conference

South Carolina Association for Institutional Research

2025 Conference At-A-Glance

Thursday, March 13		
Event	Time/Topic	Location
Registration	11:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Lobby
Welcome and Introduction to Keynote Speaker	12:00- 12:05 PM	Banquet Room
Jonathan Poon, 2024-25 SCAIR President and Director of Institutional Analytics at The University of		
South Carolina		
Lunch Buffet	12:00 – 12:30 PM	Banquet Room
Keynote Address	12:35 - 1:30 PM	Banquet Room
Dr. Jeffrey Perez , President and Executive Director of the South Carolina Commission on Higher		
Education (SC CHE)		
Concurrent Sessions	1:45 – 2:30 PM	
CS-1: Preparing for Updates to Federal Standards on Race and		
Ethnicity Data Collection	Federal Compliance	Breakout Room 1
CS-2: Building a Data Literate Campus Culture from the Ground Up:	Data Literacy / Strategic	
Winthrop's Efforts to Create an Institution-Wide Platform for Data	Planning	Breakout Room 2
Sharing	1 faining	
CS-3: Request Revolution: Reinventing Request Management for the	Technology / Automation	Banquet Room
Digital Age		
Concurrent Sessions	2:45 – 3:30 PM	
CS-4: IPEDS Data for Accreditation Reporting	Accreditation	Breakout Room 1
CS-5: The Impact of the Virtual Peer Led Learning App on Students'	Strategic Planning / Data	Breakout Room 2
Academic Performance in a STEM Course at a Research University	Analysis	D + D
CS-6: Course Demand Analysis What We Have Done?	Data Analysis	Banquet Room
Networking: Roundtable Discussions Part 1	3:45 – 4:45 PM	Banquet Room
Networking: Roundtable Discussions Part 2	4:50 – 4:45 PM	Banquet Room
Friday, March 14		
Event	Time	Location
Breakfast Buffet	8:00 AM	Banquet Room
Welcome and Introduction to Panel Guests	8:30 AM	Banquet Room
Elizabeth Rennick, 2024-25 SCAIR President-Elect and Director of Institutional Research and Data		
Analytics at Trident Technical College		<u> </u>
Networking: Panel Discussion	8:35 – 9:30 AM	Banquet Room
Concurrent Sessions	9:45 – 10:30 AM	
CS-7: Leveraging Business Intelligence to Streamline IPEDS	Federal Compliance /	Breakout Room 1
Reporting	Data Analysis	
CS-8: Python for Beginners: Automating Clearinghouse Data and	Technology / Automation	Breakout Room 2
More CS-9: Empowering Campus Decision-Making: Building a Centralized		
Data Warehouse for Institutional Research	Data Literacy	Banquet Room
Concurrent Sessions	10:45 – 11:30 PM	
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CS-10: The Future of Surveys: Integrating AI Companions into Institutional Research	Technology / AI	Breakout Room 1
CS-11: (Power) Automate Your Life	Technology / Automation	Breakout Room 2
Lunch Buffett; Business Meeting, Professional of the Year		Dieukout Koom Z
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