AGENDA

9:30 a.m.  Arrival, Networking, Voter Bingo - Room 202

10:00 a.m.  Welcome by Chad Fogleman, Assistant Director, North Carolina Campus Compact

10:05 a.m.  A Brief History of Voting Rights
Aylett Colston, Attorney and Fair Elections Advocate

10:20 a.m.  Amending the State Constitution - Context and Current Issues
Dr. John Dinan, Professor, Wake Forest University

11:15 a.m.  Breakout Sessions: Best Practices for Voting Leaders (25 minutes x 2)
First Rotation - 11:15 a.m. – 11:40 a.m.
Second Rotation – 11:45 a.m. - 12:10 p.m.
  • Room 204 – NC Voter Registration 101 – by You Can Vote
  • Room 206 – Early and Absentee Voting – by Campus Vote Project
  • Room 208 – GOTV Tactics and Tips - by Democracy NC and CEEP

12:15 p.m.  Grab a Box Lunch and join a group discussion on Midterm Matters
  • The NC Supreme Court and judicial elections
  • Being non-partisan: do’s, don’ts and messaging
  • Diversity and inclusion in voter engagement
  • Gerrymandering and fair districts
  • How campuses can work with local boards of elections

1:00 p.m.  What NSLVE tells us about NC College Student Voting
Kyle Upchurch, Associate Researcher, Institute for Democracy & Higher Education

1:35 p.m.  Voter Engagement Role Play! with Kate Fellman, You Can Vote
2:00 p.m. Breakout Sessions: Beyond Voting (25 minutes x 2)
First Rotation - 2:00 - 2:25 p.m.
Second Rotation - 2:30 - 2:55 p.m.

- Room 204 – Why Midterms matter for Public Education – by NC Justice Center
- Room 206 – Civic Education - Sharing Model Programs – by UNC Institute of Politics
- Room 208 – Civil Dialogue - Sharing Model Programs – by ECU Center for Leadership & Civic Engagement

3:05 p.m. Game time: Votes & Ballots – Room 202
Mike Burns, National Director, Campus Vote Project, and Clarissa Unger, Young Invincibles

4:15 p.m. Announcements, Takeaways & Adjourn

Keynote Speaker: Dr. John Dinan
John Dinan’s research focuses on state constitutionalism, federalism, and American political development. He is the author of several books, including State Constitutional Politics: Governing by Amendment in the American States and The American State Constitutional Tradition, and he writes an annual entry on state constitutional developments for The Book of the States. He is the editor of Publius: The Journal of Federalism and is a past chair of the Federalism and Intergovernmental Relations Section of the American Political Science Association. He received his PhD from the University of Virginia.

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