
*DRAFT Chairperson Leadership Agenda
July 6, 2016*



Invited speakers: Aaron Bishop, Commissioner Administration on Disabilities, Donna Meltzer, NACDD CEO, Sara Newell-Perez, AIDD Program Specialist, Cindy Smith, NACDD Director of Public Policy and Liz Weintraub, AUCD Advocacy Specialist

9:00-9:30 Welcome

9:30-10:45 The DD Act and Your Role: What Does it Say and What Does it Mean?

10:45-11:00 Break

11:00-12:00 From the Past to the Future: Past Chairperson Panel

12:00-1:30 Lunch

1:30-2:30 Learning the Tips, Tricks and Skills for Your Role

- How to lead leaders and resolve conflicts
- How to represent the DD Council to the public
- How to ensure all DD Council members participate
- How to inclusively facilitate and how to reach an outcome at the end each meeting.

2:30-2:45 Break and speakers move into groups

2:45-4:15 Practicing the Tips, Tricks and Skills for Your Role

- During this session every chairperson and member leader will be assigned to a group which will be facilitated by one of the presenters from the previous session 'Learning the Tips, Tricks and Skills for Your Role'.
- Each group member will have the opportunity to practice using the skills that they have learned throughout the day and apply them to a variety of real scenarios and situations that chairpersons and member leaders face.
- Facilitators will be there only to facilitate, it is up to the group members to work together and problem solve the challenging situations.

4:15-4:30 Closing and Evaluations