



The COE Institute for Access & Success Professionals @ UMBC

January 11-12

Location: University of Maryland Baltimore County

1000 Hilltop Rd, Baltimore, Maryland 21250

Information Technology/ Engineering Building (ITE)

Cost: \$350 Members \$500 Non-Members

This two-day professional development forum is designed for college access and success professionals who actively engage with students. This multi-faceted event will provide participants with best practices, essential tools, and proven techniques for student engagement and success around the following core areas: academic advising, financial aid, and preparing for the workforce. This cost-efficient in-person training opportunity will provide novice and seasoned professionals with skills crucial when supporting student success.

Agenda at a Glance

Day One

Time	Item
10:00 am	Registration Opens
10:45 am – 11:00 am	Welcome: COE & UMBC Representatives
11:00 am – 11:45 am	<p>General Session The Movement: The history of college access and success. This session will briefly take participants on an interactive journey through time to understand higher education and college access and success initiatives. Topics briefly discussed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Higher Education Act • TRIO • GI Bill
11:45 am – 1:00 pm	<p>Lunch Presentation: Positive Impact of Student Engagement: The Role of Interactive Events in Building Relationships with Participants</p>
1:05 pm – 2:05 pm	<p>General Session Helping Students Connect: Benefits of the Affordable Connectivity Program</p>
2:15 pm – 3:15 pm	<p>Concurrent Session</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • College Professionals: Academic Advising 101 • Pre-College Professionals: Campus Tour
3:15 pm – 4:15 pm	<p>General Session Financial Aid Overview & the Better FAFSA</p>
4:15 pm - 5:15 pm	<p>Concurrent Session:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • College Professionals: Internships and Career Pathways • Pre-College Professionals: Organizing and Executing a College Tour
5:20 pm – 5:50 pm	General Session

Time	Item
	Developing Networking Skills that Produce Results
5:50 pm – 7:00 pm	Mock Networking Opportunity and Refreshments Invite Sponsors to Participate and Engage

Day Two

Time	Item
8:15 am – 9:15 am	Continental Breakfast and Personal Development Workshop
9:15 am – 10:15 am	General Session Utilizing Collaborative Efforts to Create a Supportive Community
	Concurrent Session
10:30 am- 11:30 am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> College Professionals: Building Relationships with Campus Partners to Provide Support Services Pre-College Professionals: Creating A Pipeline: Tips to increase engagement with partner colleges and universities
11:45 am – 1:00 pm	Closing Lunch and Learn: Using Social Media to Expand Programmatic Reach

Transportation:

The University of Maryland Baltimore County is located 10 minutes from Baltimore Washington International (BWI) airport. There are many ways to reach campus via public and private transportation. Trains (MARC & Amtrak), buses, and cars all make great means of transportation.

Proposed Lodging:

The hotel properties below offer special rates to visitors associated with UMBC. Please ask about the UMBC rate before making reservations.

[Aloft Arundel Mills](#)

7520 Teague Road
Hanover, MD 21076
443-577-0077

[Element Arundel Mills](#)

7522 Teague Road
Hanover, MD, 21076
443-557-0050

[Embassy Suites](#)

Baltimore – at BWI Airport
1300 Concourse Drive
Linthicum, MD 21090
410-865-8144

[Holiday Inn BWI Airport](#)

815 Elkridge Landing Rd
Linthicum Heights, MD 21090
410-691-1000

[Hilton Garden Inn – Columbia](#)

8421 Snowden River Parkway
Columbia, MD 21045
410-750-3700

[Hilton Doubletree BWI](#)

890 Elkridge Landing Road
Linthicum, MD 21090
1-800-810-0271

[La Quinta Inn & Suites BWI](#)

1734 West Nursery Road
Linthicum, MD 21240
410-859-2333

[Wingate by Wyndham](#)

BWI Airport
1510 Aero Drive
Linthicum Heights, MD 21090
410-859-0003