

**MAGS 67<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting  
Agenda  
March 30 – April 1, 2011**

**Wednesday, March 30, 2011**

<b>8:00-5:00</b>	<b>Registration</b>	<b>Foyer</b>
<b>8:00-11:30</b>	<b>Coffee/tea by Registration</b>	<b>Foyer</b>
<b>9:00-11:30</b>	<b>New Comers Workshop</b> <i>Robert Augustine, Eastern Illinois University</i> <i>Hilary Ratner, Past Chair, Wayne State University</i>	<b>Salon A</b>
<b>10:00-11:30</b>	<b>Executive Committee Meeting</b> <i>William Wiener, MAGS Chair</i>	<b>Board Room</b>
<b>11:00-1:00</b>	<b>Vendor Check-In and Exhibit Set-up</b>	<b>Foyer, 2nd Floor</b>
<b>11:30-1:00</b>	<b>Newcomers and Executive Committee Luncheon</b> <i>William Wiener, MAGS Chair</i>	<b>Salon A</b>
<b>1:00 – 5:00</b>	<b>Vendor Exhibits Open</b>	<b>Foyer</b>
<b>1:15-1:30</b>	<b>Welcome and Overview</b> <i>William Wiener, MAGS Chair</i> <i>Carol Shanklin, MAGS Chair-elect</i>	<b>Grand Salon 1/2</b>
<b>1:30-2:40</b>	<b>Plenary 1: New Pathways for Accreditation</b> Moderator: <i>William Wiener, Council of Graduate Schools</i> Presenter: <i>Dr. Lynn Priddy, Vice-President, Accreditation, Higher Learning Commission</i>	<b>Grand Salon 1/2</b>
<b>2:45-3:15</b>	<b>Afternoon Break: Networking</b>	<b>Foyer</b>
<b>3:30-4:45</b>	<b>Concurrent 1 Assessment of Student Learning Outcomes and Program Quality</b> <i>Anne Kopera, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign</i> <i>Maria Di Stefano, Truman State University</i>	<b>Salon 3</b>
<b>3:30-4:45</b>	<b>Concurrent 2 Career START--A Program for Fostering Student-Directed Professional Development Planning,</b> <i>Rebecca Bryant, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign</i> <i>Alexis Thompson, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign</i>	<b>Salon 4</b>
<b>3:30-4:45</b>	<b>Concurrent 3 PREP and Career Success: Professional Development Needs of Graduate Students and Post Doctoral Fellows</b> <i>Henry (Rique) Campa, III, Michigan State University</i> <i>Karen Klomparens, Michigan State University</i> <i>Judith Stoddart, Michigan State University</i>	<b>Lobby Salon</b>
<b>5:45-6:30</b>	<b>MAGS Reception          Networking</b>	<b>Foyer</b>
<b>6:30-9:00</b>	<b>MAGS Banquet</b> Thesis Award    Networking and Thesis Award Presentations	<b>Grand Salon 1/2</b>

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**Thursday, March 31, 2011**

<b>7:00-5:00</b>	<b>Registration</b>	<b>Foyer</b>
<b>7:00-8:30</b>	<b>Breakfast</b>	<b>Grand Salon 1/2</b>
7:00	<b>MAGS Committee meetings by Table (Auditing, Membership, Thesis Award, Publications, Teaching Award, ETS Award)</b>	
8:00	<b>Networking and Sponsor Presentation</b>	
<b>8:45-9:55</b>	<b>Plenary II: Presidential Perspective: Creating Strategic Partnerships and Alliances to Advance Graduate Education,</b> Moderator: <i>Carol Shanklin, MAGS, Chair-Elect</i> Presenter: <i>Kirk Schultz, President, Kansas State University</i> Graduate Deans Response: <i>Lisa Freeman, Northern Illinois University</i> <i>David Daleke, Indiana University</i>	<b>Grand Salon 1/2</b>
<b>10:00-5:00</b>	<b>Vendor Exhibit Tables Information Exchange</b>	<b>Foyer</b>
<b>10:00-10:25</b>	<b>Morning Break: Networking</b>	<b>Foyer</b>
<b>10:30-11:30</b>	<b>Concurrent 1 Partnership Tips that Work (And Some that Don't)</b> <i>Patricia Shaw, University of Wisconsin-Steven Point</i> <i>Cathy Scheder, University of Wisconsin-Steven Point</i>	<b>Salon 3</b>
<b>10:30-11:30</b>	<b>Concurrent 2 Professional Science Masters---Approval Process</b> <i>Sally K. Francis, Council of Graduate Schools</i> <i>Bill Wiener, Council of Graduate Schools</i>	<b>Salon 4</b>
<b>10:30-11:30</b>	<b>Concurrent 3 Creating Effective University and Military Partnership for Graduate Programs and Outreach</b> <i>Cheryl Polson, Kansas State University</i> <i>Chris King, Command and General Staff College, Ft. Leavenworth</i> <i>Paul Wolf, Air Force Institute of Technology</i>	<b>Salon A</b>
<b>11:30-1:45</b>	<b>CGS and ETS Award Luncheon</b> <i>William Wiener, MAGS Chair, Coordinator</i> <i>Debra Stewart, President, Council of Graduate Schools</i>	<b>Grand Salon 1/2</b>
<b>2:00-3:15</b>	<b>Plenary Session III: The Path Forward: The Future of Graduate Education in the United States</b> Presenter: <i>Patti McAlister, Council of Graduate Schools</i> Graduate Deans Action Plans: <i>Robert Augustine, Eastern Illinois University</i>	<b>Grand Salon 1/2</b>
<b>3:15-3:45</b>	<b>Afternoon Break--Networking</b>	<b>Foyer</b>

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<b>4:00-5:00</b>	<b>Concurrent 4 Challenges of Graduate Deans in Smaller Universities and Private Institutions</b> <i>James Fuller, Indiana Wesleyan University</i> <i>Connie Lightfoot, Taylor University</i>	<b>Grand Salon 1/2</b>
<b>4:00-5:00</b>	<b>Concurrent 5 The CIRTl Network: Preparing the Future National STEM Faculty</b> <i>Robert Mathieu, University of Wisconsin-Madison</i> <i>Karen Klomparens, Michigan State University</i> <i>Henry (Rique) Campa, III, Michigan State University</i>	<b>Salon 3</b>
<b>4:00-5:00</b>	<b>Concurrent 6 International Dual Degrees: A Case Study in Establishing Partnerships – Lessons Learned</b> <i>Jackie Huntoon, Michigan Technological University</i>	<b>Salon 4</b>
<b>5:15-6:45</b>	<b>Reception</b>	<b>Gallerie</b>
<b>Friday, April 1, 2011</b>		
<b>7:00-Noon</b>	<b>Registration</b>	<b>Foyer</b>
<b>7:00-8:30</b>	<b>Breakfast and State Meetings</b>	<b>Grand Salon 1/2</b>
7:00-8:00	Illinois State Breakfast	Salon 4
	<i>Please note: All other state meetings are by table in the Plenary Room</i>	
<b>8:00</b>	<b>ETS Presentation</b>	<b>Grand Salon 1/2</b>
<b>8:00 11:00</b>	<b>Vendor Exhibits</b>	<b>Foyer</b>
<b>8:30-9:30</b>	<b>Hot Topics 1* Financial Survival Strategies Including Fund Raising</b> <i>Venkat Allada, Missouri University of Science and Technology</i> <i>Karen Klomparens, Michigan State University</i>	<b>Salon 3</b>
<b>8:30-9:30</b>	<b>Hot Topics 2 Effective Recruitment Strategies</b> <i>John Augusto, University of Kansas</i>	<b>Salon 4</b>
<b>9:30-10:30</b>	<b>Hot Topics 3 Use of NRC Data by Research Universities</b> <i>Pat Osmer, The Ohio State University</i> <i>John Keller, The University of Iowa</i>	<b>Salon 3</b>
<b>9:30-10:30</b>	<b>Hot Topics 4 Distance Education--Challenges and Opportunities for Graduate Education</b> <i>Bill Graves, Iowa State University</i>	<b>Salon 4</b>
<b>10:30-11:30</b>	<b>Business Meeting</b> <i>William Wiener, MAGS Chair</i>	<b>Grand Salon 1/2</b>
<b>11:30</b>	<b>Meeting Adjourns</b>	
<b>11:30-1:00</b>	<b>Executive Committee Meeting</b> <i>Carol Shanklin, MAGS Chair</i>	<b>Salon C, 3rd Flr</b>