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| 7:30-8:30    | Gallery 1st Floor | **TAACCCT Breakfast Gathering**  
Join fellow TAACCCT enthusiasts for networking and a community meal. |
| 8:30-9:15    | Gallery 1st Floor | **Welcome, Introductions, Goals for TAACCCT IMPACTcommunity building, and Overview of SkillsCommons Services to Support TAACCCT Grantees’ Successes.**  
*SkillsCommons is ramping up efforts and is here to stay:*  
- **SkillsCommons SUPPORT Center** allows grantees to meet SGA requirements and to implement the Makeover Strategy creating valuable products that will be sought after and reused by colleges everywhere  
- **SkillsCommons CONNECT Center** provides support for TAACCCT success through building communities and community projects and helps sustain the success of your TAACCCT project and the broader TAACCCT mission  
- **NEW SkillsCommons Showcasing Strategy** gives grantees opportunities to highlight their exceptional work and provides a venue reaching national audiences  
- **What is the ongoing value of SkillsCommons?** It is a support system for sustainability via an annual conference, SME vetted materials, longevity of services, working library, and more...  
- **INNOVATE Activities Highlight** shares ideas about what to see and do within the INNOVATE setting and while in NOLA |
| 9:15-10:00   | Gallery 1st Floor | **StoryTelling Network IMPACTcommunity**  
What is the IMPACT? Share in the yearlong journey of these TAACCCT StoryTellers. Learn how strong project success stories are told, see tools designed to make StoryTelling easier, and hear about how you can tell your own story to a national audience. Follow-up Workshop session Thursday, 9:45-10:30. |
| 10:00-10:30  | Napoleon Ballroom 3rd floor | **Networking BREAK and Exhibits**  
Build your network of resources by getting to know TAACCCT and non-TAACCCCT educators and organizations that can help provide support for your project’s success. |
| 10:30-11:15  | Gallery 1st Floor | **IE2ET IMPACTcommunity**  
What is the IMPACT? Tackling one of the largest challenges in higher education today, the Industry Expert to Expert Teaching (IE2ET) community created a useable solution for helping new industry expert instructors become more effective in the classroom leading to greater success rates for students. |
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• Affordable Learning Solutions (AL$)  
• Developing Partnerships with Workforce and Employers  
Supported by the insight of current IMPACT community members, SkillsCommons will facilitate the process of developing these two new IMPACT communities with deeper dives scheduled for Thursday’s 9:45-10:30 Follow-up Workshop Session. |
| 12:00 - 1:30    | Grand Ballroom 5th floor | **Welcome Lunch – Keynote Address**  
Michelle Pacansky-Brock, CSU Channel Island, *Learning Out Loud*  
**Lightning Talks** |
| 1:30–3:15       | Gallery 1st Floor | **Reusing and MakeOver SkillsCommons Materials: The Power of OER**  
• SkillsCommons will review procedures to cost-effectively reuse and revise OER in SkillsCommons.  
• Participants will get hands-on practice with finding and reusing OER  
• Technology companies will demonstrate how they have applied the “makeover” strategy to IMPACT community designs and how TAACCCT created OER can become more effective and meet SGA requirements.  
• Presentation by Mirum Learning: SkillsCommons Tech Partner for scaling makeovers and distributing OER to faculty and students (20 min)  
• Presentation by FocusEduvation: SkillsCommons Tech Partner for scaling makeovers and distributing OER to faculty and students (20 min) |
| 3:15–4:00       | Napoleon Ballroom 3rd floor | **Networking BREAK and Exhibits**  
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| 4:00–4:45       | Gallery 1st Floor | **Tech Partner Presentations & Consultation/Support on SGA requirements and MakeOver Strategies**  
• Presentation by VitalSource: SkillsCommons Tech Partner for scaling makeovers and distributing OER to faculty and students (20 min)  
• Presentation by Blackboard: SkillsCommons Tech Partner for scaling makeovers and distributing OER to faculty and students (20 min)  
• Work 1:1 with SkillsCommons staff to learn more about SkillsCommons services that can help your project succeed  
• Meet with technology company representatives and learn how your project’s materials or success stories can benefit from a Makeover. |
| 4:45-6:15 pm    | Napoleon Ballroom 3rd floor | **OLC/MERLOT INNOVATE WELCOME RECEPTION**  
Networking and refreshments |

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Networking and Trivia with Prizes! |
| 8:45-9:30    | Gallery 1st Floor  | **Tips and Tools for Communication and Partnership Building**  
Learn ways to build and organize communication processes that can be used in any professional scenario. Grantees will have an opportunity to share what communications processes are working and problem solve what is not. |
| 9:30-10:30   | Gallery 1st Floor  | **IMPACTcommunities Follow-up Workshop Sessions**  
The following separate sessions will run simultaneously:  

*Bridging Partnerships between Education/Workforce/Industry* - Maria  
*Purpose: To problem solve the distance between efforts in the educational arena and industry needs*  
Join like-minded TAACCCTioners in using the Collective Impact framework of a common agenda, shared measurement systems, mutually reinforcing activities, effective communications, administrative support:  
- Begin development of community project plan  
- Determine action items able to be accomplished within one year  
- Prioritize action items  
- Determine next meeting time/date/venue  

*Affordable Learning Solutions (AL$) - Rick*  
*Purpose: To problem solve the ongoing needs of decreasing costs for students in ways that are sustainable for higher education.*  
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*StoryTelling Workshop - Community*  
Take the next steps in telling your project’s story with the guidance of experience TAACCCT StoryTellers. Participants will come away with the early stages of their own story development for national audiences. Follow-up support will be provided regarding story completion and refinement, venue delivery, marketing planning, and using the finished story as a communication tool for local project stakeholders. Technology companies will be on hand to help offer ideas and suggestions in effective storytelling delivery methods such as video, interactive online tools, and eye-catching model construction or consumables. |
<p>| 10:30-11:15  | Napoleon Ballroom | <strong>Networking BREAK and Exhibits</strong>                                  |</p>
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<td><strong>TAACCCT Learning Network Sustainability Toolkit – Jobs for the Future (JFF)</strong> Learn how the DOL approved Sustainability Toolkit is benefitting TAACCCT programming and processes across projects.</td>
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<td><strong>1:1 Consulting with Jobs for the Future Regarding the Sustainability Toolkit</strong> Meet with JFF in a one-on-one or small group discussion to problem solve your project’s sustainability questions.</td>
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<td><strong>Sharing Sustainability Strategies: What are you working on and what’s working?</strong> Lightning presentations by grantees to share your single most favorite sustainability strategy SkillsCommons strategies that can benefit TAACCCT Projects Securing additional funding: How the SkillsCommons team can help</td>
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| 3rd floor | Build your network of resources by getting to know TAACCCT and non-TAACCCCT educators and organizations that can help provide support for your project’s success. |
| 11:15-12:00 | **1:1 SkillsCommons and Partners Consult with TAACCCT grantees**  
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