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College Students To Debate the State of Public Education in Florida

~Sixty-four students from across the state will recommend ways in which education can be improved~

Boca Raton, FL- On February 27th thru March 1st , college students from across Florida will convene on the campus of [Florida Atlantic University](#) in Boca Raton for the first ever [Florida Student Education Policy Conference](#). At the conference, students will deliberate the state of public education in Florida and recommend ways and means by which in can be improved. The conference will end with a student-led press conference scheduled for **1:00pm, Sunday, March 1st in the Conference Center Lobby**. During the press conference students will outline specific policy recommendations that will be hand delivered to members of the Florida Legislature that week. Institutions sending a delegation of student leaders to this first ever conference include: Florida A&M University, Florida International University, Florida State University, University of Central Florida, University of Florida, University of North Florida, University of South Florida, and hosting the inaugural conference is the student delegation from Florida Atlantic University. Students were selected through a competitive application process by faculty leaders at each of the participating universities. The conference will include special guest presentations by [Frank Brogan](#), President of FAU and Former State University System Chancellor [Dr. Mark Rosenberg](#). **The conference is open to the media and student participate contact information can be made available upon request.** The conference is coordinated by [ENLACE Florida](#), a statewide network promoting college readiness, access, and success for underrepresented students in Florida.

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