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Registration is now open for the 2022 Talent Strong Florida Summit

Join us May 10-11 to celebrate FCAN's 10th anniversary and the partnerships that make education beyond high school accessible to all

TAMPA, FLA. — Florida College Access Network's (FCAN) annual summit is a one-of-a-kind statewide convening where community leaders and education advocates gather to get inspired and try new strategies that ensure education beyond high school is accessible to all students. For FCAN's 10th anniversary, the event returns as the **Talent Strong Florida Summit** to strengthen the focus on outcomes – **building a Florida that is economically-resilient and talent strong!**

<u>Register today</u> and join us for two days of fresh approaches and lessons learned. This year's event will be held May 10-11 at the Embassy Suites by Hilton Orlando Lake Buena Vista South in Kissimmee.

"Amazing summit! The ability to collaborate and learn about college access across the spectrum of education, nonprofits, etc. — I want to attend year after year!" – 2019 Summit Attendee.

Among the highlights at the **2022 Talent Strong Florida Summit**:

- Keynote Ashley Rhodes-Courter, Best-Selling Author of "Three Little Words" and "Three More Words"
- Keynote **Dr. Tonjua Williams**, president of St. Petersburg College
- A celebration of FCAN's first 10 years and the partners who have contributed to our mission.

- FAFSA changes are coming! FASFAA will give a sneak peek into the changes that will impact your students during an extended 2-hour morning session
- Nearly 40 sessions connected to FCAN's <u>Seven Conditions that Create a Resilient</u>
 <u>Workforce and Spark Economic Mobility</u> including opportunity for everyone, clear
 information and guidance, affordability, multiple pathways to success, lifelong
 learning, data-informed decision-making, and community collaboration
- Policy developments
- **Opportunities to connect and share ideas** with 400 peer professionals from throughout the state

The **registration fee is \$339**, and there is a **special early registration rate of \$289** available through **April 8**. Sponsor and exhibitor opportunities are also available, or you can become a Talent Strong Florida Summit partner.

Visit <u>www.fcansummit.org</u> to register, view the full agenda, and learn how you can connect with 400 peer professionals from throughout the state.



About Florida College Access Network

Florida College Access Network (FCAN) is Florida's first collaborative network committed to ensuring all Floridians have the opportunity to achieve an education beyond high school and prosper in Florida's dynamic economy. We envision a Florida working together where education is the pathway to economic mobility for all. For more information, visit floridacollegeaccess.org.