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It's nice to be back in person on campus and seeing student life flourish. I hope you are experiencing the same at your institutions.

As you may know, the National Association of Presidential Assistants in Higher Education (NAPAHE) has been the go-to organization for presidential assistants, chiefs of staff, and board liaisons for 35 years. The primary objective of NAPAHE is not only to support professionals who serve leaders in higher education but also to strengthen their skillsets, enabling them to move the strategic vision of our offices and institutions forward.

Currently, my Chief of Staff, Diane Fornieri, serves as NAPAHE's Chair of the Board of Directors and has been a member of NAPAHE for over ten years. Her membership in NAPAHE has provided her with excellent professional development opportunities and resources, granting her access to a network of national "thought" leaders who, at times, serve as strategic partners.

NAPAHE and ACE have a long-standing relationship and their national conferences intersect with one another thus allowing many NAPAHE members to also attend the ACE conference and vice versa. Some of you may have already served, or are about to serve, as panelists for some of NAPAHE's plenaries and concurrent sessions. This year the NAPAHE Conference will take place from April 12-14, 2023 at the Marriott Marquis in Washington, DC. It is my hope that you will encourage your staff to attend not only the NAPAHE Conference but the ACE Conference as well, which will be held from April 13-15, 2023.

If you are unfamiliar with NAPAHE, I invite you to visit their [website](#) for more information.

It is my hope that you will open up the opportunity for your staff, including specific cabinet members and their staff, to attend the NAPAHE conference. This year's programming, once again, appears to be of exceptional quality.

If you or your staff have any questions, please contact NAPAHE's Executive Director, Brittny Daubenheyer at contact@napahe.org.

Sincerely,

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