

About the Cross-Cultural Collaboration Symposium

The Cross-Cultural Collaboration Symposium 2021 is a one-day gathering based on the collaboration between The Pennsylvania State University Hazleton and The United Arab Emirates University.

The topic of this symposium is entitled:

Post-Pandemic Cross-Cultural Experiences and Practices: A Collaborative Approach with PSU Hazleton and UAEU

This collaborative event presents students' multimedia projects who engaged in an international, collaborative assignment focusing on student experiences during the Covid-19 pandemic initiated and conducted by faculty from both universities.

The international symposium attracts higher education professionals, teachers, administrators, researchers, and students from diverse backgrounds including, but not limited to, physical education, kinesiology, special education, early childhood, engineering, business, liberal arts, earth and mineral sciences, communication, biology, administration of justice, psychology, and rehabilitation and human services.

The benefits of attending the symposium include gaining cross-cultural experiences, learning about collaborative student projects, sharing ideas regarding international student assignments and best practices, networking, building leadership skills, learning about new offerings in education, and forging new partnerships.

Looking forward to seeing all of you at the CCCS 2021!

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Date: November 29, 2021 (Monday)

Time: 6 pm – 8 pm UAE TIME
9 am – 11 am US EST TIME

Location: Zoom Meeting ID: [939 5517 7042](#)

Passcode: 898777

Hosts of the Event: Dr. Georgios Stylianides and Dr. Mohamed Alhosani

Moderator (Q&A): Aizhan Shomotova

Time	Session Information
6 pm – 6.05 pm UAE TIME 9 am – 9.05 am US EST TIME	Prof. Karen Stylianides Welcome Remarks in English Dr. Mohamed Alhosani Welcome Remarks in Arabic
6.05 pm – 6.10 pm UAE TIME 9.05 am – 9.10 am US EST TIME	<i>(Dr. Georgios introduces Chancellor)</i> H.E. Zaki Nusseibeh Chancellor, United Arab Emirates University Welcome Remarks
6.10 pm – 6.15 pm UAE TIME 9.10 am – 9.15 am US EST TIME	<i>(Dr. Garrett introduces Assoc VP)</i> Dr. Dave Callejo Pérez Associate Vice President & Sr. Associate Dean for Academic Programs, Penn State University Welcome Remarks
6.15 pm – 6.20 pm UAE TIME 9.15 am – 9.20 am US EST TIME	<i>(Dr. Mona introduces Dean)</i> Dr. Najwa Alhosani Dean of College of Education, United Arab Emirates University Welcome Remarks
6.20 pm – 6.35 pm UAE TIME 9.20 am – 9.35 am US EST TIME	<i>(Dr. Myra introduces Speaker)</i> KEYNOTE SPEAKER Speaker: Professor Joseph Renzulli Former Director of the National Research Center on the Gifted and Talented, University of Connecticut Title of the keynote: <i>The Schoolwide Enrichment Model: A Comprehensive Plan for Identifying and Developing the Creativity, Giftedness, and Talents of All Students</i>

5 mins	Q&A
6.40 pm – 6.55 pm UAE TIME 9.40 am – 9.55 am US EST TIME	<i>(Prof. Karen introduces Speaker)</i> KEYNOTE SPEAKER Speaker: Dr. Elizabeth Wright Acting Chancellor, Pennsylvania State University, Hazleton Director of Academic Affairs, Academic Affairs Associate Professor of English Title of the keynote: <i>The COVID-19, Collaboration, and Change: How Penn State Hazleton responded to the pandemic</i>
5 mins	Q&A
7.00 pm – 7.05 pm UAE TIME 10.00 am – 10.05 am US EST TIME	<i>(Dr. Mohamed and Dr. Georgios announce)</i> Announcement of the Winners.
7.05 pm – 7.20 pm UAE TIME 10.05 am – 10.20 am US EST TIME	Group Winner 1 Project title: Presenters' Names: Team Members' names:
7.20 pm – 7.35 pm UAE TIME 10.20 am – 10.35 am US EST TIME	Group Winner 2 Project title: Presenters' Names: Team Members' names:
7.35 pm – 7.50 pm UAE TIME 10.35 am – 10.50 am US EST TIME	Group Winner 3 Project title: Presenters' Names: Team Members' names:
7.50 pm – 7.55 pm UAE TIME 10.50 am – 10.55 am US EST TIME	Lizbeth Luna Araujo Senior, Business/Info Sciences & Technology, Penn State Hazleton Nikki O'Neil Senior, Health Policy & Administration/ Business, Penn State Hazleton Haseena Shah Junior, Special Education (Sensory Impairment), United Arab Emirates University Learning Outcomes (3 questions)
7.55 pm – 8.00 pm UAE TIME 10.55 am – 11.00 am US EST TIME	Closing Remarks

