



Session	Name & Presenter	Room
7:30 - 8:30 am	Registration and Breakfast	Foyer
8:00 - 8:30 am	Graduate Student Poster Presentations	Foyer
8:30 - 8:45am	Welcome <i>Dr. Amy Gaesser - Counselor Education, The College at Brockport & WNYSCC Conference Chair</i>	Ballroom
Keynote Speaker 8:45 - 9:45 am	Embracing Diversity and Equitable Access for Our Students <i>Dr. Jason Willis - Director of Afro-American Studies - Rochester City School District</i>	Ballroom
Session I 10:00 - 11:00 am	A Forming Home-School Partnerships to Help Meet Needs of Newly-Arrived ELL students <i>Mary Andrecolich-Diaz, Principal of the Rochester International Academy - Rochester City School District</i>	Salon A
	B Navigating Racial Stress in the Body: An Experiential Exploration <i>David Sanchez - Gandhi Institute</i>	Salon B
	C The Hazards of Vaping and Other Smokeless Substances and A Marijuana Update: What Are We Learning From Marijuana Friendly States <i>Dr. Gary Metz and Carmelo Oliveri - Healthcare Studies, The College at Brockport</i>	Salon C
Session II 11:10 - 12:10 pm	D Restorative Discipline Practice <i>Shira May - Partners in Restorative Initiatives (PIRI)</i>	Salon A
	E Working with Students of Incarcerated Parents <i>Cassie Fleck - Prevention Mental Health Counselor, Lyndonville Schools</i>	Salon B
	F Working with Migrant and Undocumented Students <i>Sally Espinosa, MS Ed, CAS, MHC-P - Catholic Charities</i>	Salon C
12:15 - 1:50 pm	Luncheon: Networking with Colleagues 12:15 - 12:45pm Overview of NYS School Counselor Regulations Updates - 12:45- 1:15p <i>Benedetta Gerardi, Region IX NYSSCA Governor and Summer Reiner - Counselor Education, The College at Brockport</i> Award Presentations 1:15- 1:30pm	Ballroom
Session III 1:40 - 2:40 pm	G Social-Emotional Mindfulness with High School Students <i>Melanie Macdonald, M.Ed., RYT - Eugenio Maria de Hostos Charter School SEAM</i>	Salon A
	H Addressing the Social-Emotional Needs of ELL Students <i>Svetlana Stowell - Regional Bilingual Special Education Specialist, RSE TASC - Monroe 1 BOCES</i>	Salon B
	I Regulations and Pathways to a Diploma for Students with Disabilities <i>Sandra Johnville, Regional Special Education Training Specialist and Brittany Jensen Transition Specialist - Mid-West Regional Special Education Technical Assistance Support Center (RSE-TASC)</i>	Salon C
Session IV 2:50 - 3:50 pm	J Brain-based Mindfulness with Middle School Students <i>Mary Birchenough - Brockport Central School District</i>	Salon A
	K Homelessness and Youth <i>Valerie Douglas - Director of Counseling and Runaway and Homeless Youth Services, Center for Youth Services</i>	Salon B
	L Supporting First-Generation, College-Bound Students <i>Carmelita Brown-Wallace - Monroe Community College, Upward Bound</i>	Salon C