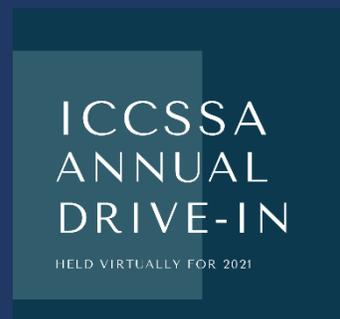


Call for Proposals

The ICCSSA board is now accepting presentation proposals for the Annual Drive-In to be held June 4, 2021 via Zoom. While the focus of the fall conference has been to bring in outside speakers, the Drive-In is a chance to hear from other Iowa community college employees. Please consider taking advantage of this excellent professional development opportunity by sharing your expertise and insights. [Submit your proposal here.](#)



SUB-GROUP SPOTLIGHT

Student Activities Chair: Greta Giese

The Campus Life sub-group is one of ICCSSA's newest and smallest groups, but we are excited to capitalize on our growth opportunities. This group includes student services professionals in the areas of Student Activities, Student Life, Housing, Recreation, and Athletics. Previous discussion topics have included motivating students to participate in campus activities, co-curricular assessment, and programming ideas. This year Student Activities coordinators from around the state of Iowa have been working together on virtual events in light of COVID-19 restrictions, so we have new, uncharted territory to explore within our sub-group.

Student Activity, Student Life, Housing, Recreation, and Athletic employees are invited to join the sub-group [Zoom Meeting](#), Thursday, March 11 at 10am.

This month:
Advising/Admissions Sub-Group [Zoom Meeting](#), Wednesday, February 24, 12pm-1pm

December Roundtable Update

ICCSSA's first Virtual Roundtable Event was held December 8, 2020 and attended by thirteen individuals from four institutions. Participants explored how COVID-19 has influenced process and policy changes at their institutions in regards to graduation, recruitment activities, satisfactory academic progress, and much more. The roundtable was led by Lisa Ciesielski, Advising/Admissions ICCSSA Sub-Group chair, from Hawkeye Community College. Thank you to all who attended!

Community College Highlights

- Iowa Central will be offering the 2021 Commencement ceremony virtually this spring.
- NIACC has received an Iowa Arts & Culture Recovery Program Grant to support the technology needed to virtually stream artists and speakers from their campus auditorium.

Save the Date

- **April 13, 2021, 12pm-1pm-** Concurrent Enrollment/High School Relations, Sub-Group Zoom Meeting
- **June 4, 2021, time TBD-** Annual Drive-In (held virtually for 2021)

Please submit your presentations and community college highlights [here](#).
Submit ICCSSA Board nominations to kari.kaufman@hawkeyecollege.edu by May 1.