

Regional Counselor Special Interest Group Meeting at NACAC '21 in Seattle.

We are running our meeting(s) a little bit differently this year, so we wanted to let you know what to expect. Over the past few years, the Regional Counselor SIG has branched off into <u>NARAC</u> (National Association of Regional Admission Counselors) driven largely by a need for more time to meet that a one-hour SIG meeting at the annual NACAC conference. From 2012-2019, NARAC has met off-site on the Wednesday before the NACAC conference begins for a daylong meeting allowing us to talk in-depth about trends and best practices related to the field of regional admissions.

As we return to in-person conference opportunities in 2021, we wanted to balance our membership's interest in meeting in person with the current public health protocols in place locally. This year, instead of a daylong meeting, we have taken much of what we would normally discuss during that meeting and split it up across the 3 SIG meeting times NACAC has offered during the conference.

As a result, you will see that the Regional Admission Counselor SIG has 3 different meeting options listed and you are welcome to attend all 3 sessions or just 1 or anything in between. We've included the session topic offered at each session below to help with your planning. We recognize that non-regional admission counselors often attend our SIG meeting to learn more, and we welcome you to join us. If you are a regionally based representative interested in staying in touch with NARAC, we encourage you to complete our quick NARAC meeting registration form <u>here</u>.

Regional Admission Counselor SIG/NARAC Meeting Info:

Thursday, September 23 11:00 AM – 11:45 AM Welcome and Parade of Regionals Room 2AB

Friday, September 24 12:50 PM – 1:35 PM State of Regional Admissions 1 – Everyone Works from Home Room Skagit 4

Friday, September 24 6:00 PM – 6:45 PM State of Regional Admissions 2 – Navigating the Hybrid World Skagit 4