

# 2026

# APP FELLOWSHIP CONFERENCE



Sept. 21: Preconference  
Sept. 22 – 23: Conference



Chicago, IL  
Westin Chicago River North

## AGENDA

### Pre-Conference

#### FACULTY DEVELOPMENT

- Creating a High-Yield Chalk-Talk
- Workshop: Breakdown and Feedback
- Feedback: Informal, Formal, and Tough Conversations
- Demo Tables: Handbooks, Data Collection, Curriculum Map

#### RETURN ON INVESTMENT

- Defining ROI for APP Fellowship Programs
- MBA for the Program Director – Financial Concepts That Support Your ROI Story
- ROI Metrics: What Data to Collect and How to Use It
- Executive Buy In and Your Elevator Pitch
- Demo Tables: Demo Tables: ROI Metrics, Pro-Formas, Data, and More

### Conference

#### CONFERENCE DAY 1

- The Benefits of a Centralized and Standardized Onboarding Process for Postgraduate Trainees
- Networking Break Out Session
- Next-Gen Learning: Strategies to Inspire and Engage the Next Generation of APP Learners
- Decoding Candidates: A Faculty Guide to Effective APP Fellowship Interviews
- Forecasting Success: Building a Data- Driven APP Fellowship Model
- Workshop: Digital Learning Unlocked: Affordable Tools and Tech for Next-Gen APP Education
- Beyond the Fellowship: Building Bridges, Sharing Knowledge, Strengthening Teams
- From Recruitment to Retention: Building a Sustainable Preceptor Program for Postgraduate Education
- Networking Breakout Session
- Cocktail Reception

#### CONFERENCE DAY 2

- Sustaining Growth Through Structured Leadership: A Decade of Expansion in an APP Fellowship Program
- Accreditation Self-Assessment: Tips and Tricks
- Accreditation Pro / Con – PANEL
- Accreditation PANEL with accrediting bodies
- ROI / C-suite Designing High-Impact APP Fellowship Assessments: From ACGME Alignment to Clinical Site Partnership
- The Missing Rounds: Using Debriefs to Support Learner Well-Being
- Fellow Podium Presentations
- Networking Breakout Session