

The Ripple Effect: Strengthening Connection, Enhancing Instruction, + Elevating Assessment

Florida A&M University

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Wednesday, July 29, 2026 | The Gathering

Presented by: Offices of Clinical Affairs and Academic Excellence and Development

Facilitated by: Dr. Pamela Davis, Growth Matters, LLC

Preliminary Agenda - updated

7:30a-8:00a Breakfast

Opening Reflections:

8:00a-8:45a

Welcome & Introduction: Dr. Palm

Greetings: Dr. Vanessa Sheppard

Concept of HSERI: Dr. Donald Palm

State of the CoPPS-IPH: Dr. Seth Ablordeppey

Segment 1: Strengthening

8:45a-10:00a: Opening Plenary

Strengthening Connection

10:00a-10:15a: Coffee Break

Segment 2: Enhancing

10:15a-10:45a: Setting the Stage | FAMU Leadership

10:45a-12:00p

Breakout Sessions: Enhancing Instruction, Assessment Matters

12:00p-1:00p: Lunch

12:45p-1:15p: Mid-day Plenary: One College. One Mission. One Student Experience

Segment 3: Elevating

1:15p-1:30p: Setting the Stage | FAMU Leadership

1:30p-2:45p

Breakout Sessions: Elevating Assessment. Support that Improves

2:45p-3:00p Break

3:00p-3:30p: Closing Plenary | The Ripple Effect

3:30p-4:00p: Closing Remarks