

2026 SPA Convention Program

March 25-29, 2026 | Toronto, ON



7:30 pm – 5:00 pm 8:00 am - 4:45 pm 8:00 am - 11:45 am 8:00 am – 5:00 pm 10:15 am - 10:30 am 12:00 pm – 1:15 pm 1:00 pm - 4:45 pm 3:15 pm – 3:30 pm

5:30 pm – 9:00 pm

7:30 am – 5:30 pm

Registration Open Full-Day Workshops Half-Day Workshops Board of Trustees Meeting Coffee Break (Workshop Registrants ONLY) Lunch Break Half-Day Workshops Coffee Break (Workshop Registrants ONLY)

Elevation & Evaluation: Circles of Connections

Thursday

10:15 am – 10:30 am 10:30 am – 11:30 am 11:45 am – 1:00 pm 12:00 pm – 6:00 pm 1:05 pm – 2:50 pm 2:50 pm – 3:00 pm 3:00 pm – 4:30 pm 4:30 pm – 4:45 pm 4:45 pm – 6:30 pm 6:30 pm – 7:00 pm 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm

8:00 am - 11:45 am Half-Day Workshops 8:00 am – 12:00 pm **Exhibitors Setup** 9:00 am - 11:45 am Deep Dives Coffee Break** Mentorship Lunch Exhibitors Open Opening Plenary Session Transition Break Concurrent Sessions (1.5 hrs) Coffee Break **Book Signing** Poster Session I

Registration Open

First Time Attendee Orientation, Hosted by SPAGS SPA Awards Ceremony & Bruno Klopfer Lecture President's Welcome Reception Institutional Partner Fair



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7:30 pm

Registration Open
Exhibitors Open
Concurrent Session (1.5 hrs)

Transition Break

Concurrent Session (1.5)

Exhibitor Coffee Break

SPAGS Board Meeting

Interactive Interest Group Meeting

Lunch Break

Practitioners and Trainees of Color Lunch (Invite Only)

Concurrent Sessions (1.5 hrs)

Coffee Break - Networking - Sip & Share

Plenary Sessions I

SPA Business Meeting

Joint Diversity & Social Justice and International

Community Social

SPAGS Social

28 Mar Saturday 7:30 am – 5:30 pm 7:45 am – 8:45 am

8:00 am – 9:00 am

8:30 am – 2:00 pm

9:00 am – 10:30 am

10:30 am – 11:00 am 11:00 am – 12:00 pm

12:00 pm – 1:30 pm

12:15 pm – 1:15 pm

1:30 pm – 3:00 pm

3:00 pm – 4:00 pm

4:00 pm – 5:30 pm

5:30 pm – 6:30 pm

5:30 pm – 7:00 pm

Registration Open

JPA Editorial Board Breakfast

Fun Run and/or Wellness Activities

Exhibits Open

Concurrent Sessions (1.5 hrs)

Exhibitor Coffee Break

Plenary Session II

Lunch Break

LGBTQ+ Practitioners and Trainees Lunch (Invite Only)

Concurrent Sessions (1.5 hrs)

Coffee Break - Networking - Interest Group Sessions

Concurrents (1.5 hrs)

Poster Session II

Joint SPA and HiTOP Reception, Sponsored by JPA

29 Mar Sunday 8:00 am – 4:45 pm

8:00 am – 11:45 am

8:30 am – 12:30 pm

10:30 am – 10:45 am

11:45 am – 1:00 pm

Full-Day Workshops*

Half-Day Workshops*

Mobile Sessions

Coffee Break

Lunch Break

*Additional registration required.

**Reserved for those attending morning workshops.