Schedule at a Glance

All activities are held at The Lodge at Colonial Williamsburg unless noted*

Key: \$ Fee Required - onsite registrations for Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday events are available until sold out

	SATURDAY,	MARCH 14, 2026	
1:00 pm - 3:00 pm	Tour: We the People: The World in Our Commonwealth Location: Virginia Museum of History & Culture \$	1:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Workshop: Revolutionize Your Leadership Style Location: Jamestown Settlement \$
1:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Workshop: How to Write So People Will Read Location: Jamestown Settlement \$	5:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Opening Reception at the Muscarelle Museum of Art Location: William & Mary
1:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Workshop: You Want to talk with Kids about What? Location: Jamestown Settlement \$	7:00 pm - 8:30 pm	Tidewater/Eastern Shore Regional Meet-up Location: Precarious Beer Project
	SUNDAY, MARC	H 15, 2026	
9:00 am - 5:30 pm	Registration Open	1:00 pm - 2:15 pm	Concurrent Sessions 1
10:30 am - 5:00 pm	VMFA Art Mobile	2:30 pm - 3:30 pm	Student Poster Presentations
11:00 am – 12:15 pm	Opening Session: The Historian and The Historianish	3:00 pm - 4:15 pm	Concurrent Sessions 2
12:15 pm – 12:45 pm	First Time Attendee Meet-Up	4:30 pm - 6:00 pm	Exhibit Hall Reception
12:00 pm - 6:00 pm	Silent Auction/Exhibit Hall Open	6:30 pm - 8:30 pm	Evening at the Art Museums at Colonial Williamsburg \$
1:15 pm – 5:00 pm	CEO/Directors Forum \$		
	MONDAY, MARC	CH 16, 2026	
8:00 am - 5:30 pm	Registration Open	11:00 am - 12:15 pm	Concurrent Sessions 3
8:00 am - 9:00 amt	Light Breakfast	12:30 pm - 2:00 pm	Awards Luncheon \$
9:00 am - 10:00 am	Keynote Presentation:	2:30 pm - 3:45 pm	Concurrent Sessions 4
	·	4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Roundtable Discussion: Career Conundrums
9:00 am - 6:00 pm	Exhibit Hall/Silent Auction Open	4.20	
10:00 am - 10:30 am	Annual Meeting	4:30 pm - 6:00 pm	Exhibit Hall Reception
10:30 am - 11:00 am	Coffee Break	6:30 pm - 8:30 pm	Evening Event: Evening at the American Revolution Museum at
10:30 am - 5:00 pm	VMFA Art Mobile		Yorktown \$
	TUESDAY, MARG	CH 17, 2026	
8:00 am - 9:00 am	Light Breakfast	11:00 am - 12:15 pm	Concurrent Sessions 5
8:30 am - 10:30 am	Registration Open	1:00 pm - 3:00 pm	VAM Field Trip - Historic Jamestowne \$
8:30 am - 12:00 pm 9:00 am - 10:30 am	Silent Auction Pick Up	1:00 pm - 3:00 pm	John D. Rockefeller Jr. Library - Open House
9.00 am - 10.30 am	Town Hall: Practicing Pluralism		

Conference Tracks

Follow the conference tracks to create a customized agenda for your conference experience and help focus your time on topics that matter most to you.

Collections/Exhibitions
Education/Outreach
External Affairs
Internal Affairs
Career/Personal Development

Types of Conference Sessions

Roundtable (75 minutes): Roundtables are typically half presentation about a topic, half discussion and feedback with the panelists and attendees.

Case Study (75 minutes): Facilitated conversation with panelists on a particular topic, often including discussion questions with participants.

Expert-Led Discussion (75 minutes): Facilitated discussion with an expert or panel on a particular subject.

Panel Presentation (75 minutes): Two or more presenters, sometimes with a moderator, on the discussion of a project or case related to the theme.

Workshop (3-4 hours): A half-day workshop is a more intensive and skills-based deep dive into a topic. It includes concrete, practical tools and lessons for a smaller group of attendees.