

42<sup>nd</sup> ANNUAL NYSUT COMMUNITY COLLEGE CONFERENCE

*“Unions: Social Change through Solidary”*

November 5-7, 2021

The Gideon Putnam Hotel — Saratoga Springs, New York

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**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2021**

- 4:00 – 7:30 p.m. Registration and Hospitality
- 6:00 – 7:00 p.m. Reception – Combine with dinner and served buffet
- 7:00 – 7:30 p.m. OPENING SESSION:  
Chairperson’s Welcome - Roberta Elins  
Greetings from NYSUT Officers
- 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. Dinner  
❖ Recognition of NYSUT Higher Education Members of the Year:  
Michael Fabricant, Professional Staff Congress; Jamie Dangler United University Professions;  
Barbara Bowen, Professional Staff Congress

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2021**

- 7:30 – 9:00 a.m. Breakfast Buffet
- 7:30 – 9:00 a.m. First Time Conference Attendees and Local Presidents Breakfast
- 9:00 – 10:30 a.m. SESSION 1 WORKSHOPS  
A. Setting the Table for Negotiations  
B. Organizing During a Crisis  
C. Certified Safe Zone Training (Session 1 of 2)  
D. Contract Exchange – Adjunct Issues: Job Security and Course Selection  
E. Labor History – Education Unions
- 10:30 – 10:45 a.m. Morning Break
- 10:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. SESSION 2 WORKSHOPS  
F. Racial Inequity on Campuses  
G. Certified Safe Zone Training (Session 2 of 2)  
H. Adjunct and Contingent Employee National Trends  
I. Online Educational Resources and Online Learning: Best Practices  
J. Protecting and Preparing your Members for Teaching in the Post Covid Classroom
- 12:30 – 1:45 p.m. Lunch Buffet
- 1:45 – 3:15 p.m. SESSION 3 WORKSHOPS  
K. Overview of Grievance and Arbitration Process  
L. Adjunct Organizing: Getting the Card Signed  
M. Majority Matters: Challenges and Opportunities for Women in Education  
N. Finance Data and Dollars – NYS Trends  
O. The Challenges to Organized Labor Today
- 3:15 – 5:15 p.m. Free Time
- 5:15 – 7:00 p.m. ED 39 Meeting (Dwayne Schaffer virtual discussion with ED 39)
- 5:15 – 7:00 p.m. PSC Meeting
- 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. Dinner  
Keynote Address Barbara Bowen, President of the Professional Staff Congress (2000-2021)

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2021**

- 8:00 – 9:00 a.m. Breakfast Buffet
- 9:00 – 10:30 a.m. Plenary Session – Town Hall - Locals Helping Locals:
- 10:30 – 11:00 a.m. Closing Session and Conference Review