

NACAC Assembly Report: At the conclusion of the annual Assembly, the chief delegate shall formally report activities of the delegation to the PCACAC membership. The following is a report submitted by Jayne Fonash, PCACAC Past President and Chief Assembly Delegate for the 2011 NACAC Assembly.

NACAC's 67th Annual Conference in New Orleans is now history, and marked a number of important events for NACAC and PCACAC. PCACAC was well represented as faculty for pre-conference workshops, presenters for professional development offerings, and participation in national committee meetings. The NACAC Assembly of delegates, representing all 23 NACAC affiliates met on Saturday, September 24, 2011 in New Orleans, (LA).

PCACAC was represented by 15 delegates: 3 in the presidential cycle, five from colleges and seven from the high school side.

The 2011 Assembly elected four new members to the NACAC Board of Directors.

- Jim Rawlins, Executive Director of Admissions at Colorado State University (CO), President-Elect;
- David Allen, Managing Director of Global College Counselors Ltd (UK), Board Director;
- Fran Cubberley, Vice President for Enrollment Management at Delaware County Community College(PA), Board Director;
- Steve Syverson, Dean of Admissions Emeritus at Lawrence University; Board Director.

NACAC President Jim Miller reviewed the status of the association's consideration of incentive-based compensation for international student recruitment. He noted that the board's call for comments on its May proposal to clarify the language in the Statement of Principles of Good Practice (SPGP) that the mandatory provision banning per capita remuneration applied equally to domestic and international recruiting resulted in more than 300 submissions from individuals, secondary schools, postsecondary institutions, and related organization. A document including analysis of comments on this issue was shared with the Assembly and Membership, and can be found on the NACAC website.

President Miller also reviewed the July NACAC Board's Statement on Incentive-Based Compensation for International Student, which included their agreement to appoint a commission to make recommendations for the promotion of ethical practices in international recruiting. During the Assembly meeting, President Miller announced the appointment of Phillip Ballinger, director of admission at the University of Washington, as one of two co-chairs of the commission. Assembly members spent some time during the meeting sharing their thoughts, ideas, questions and comments to help inform the work of the Commission.

The 2011 Assembly agreed to the following two motions:

- *To request that the Admission Practices Committee study and evaluate college admission waitlist practices and report back to the Assembly at the 2012 NACAC conference. The evaluation of waitlist practices will include, but not be limited to, topics of timing, transparency and financial consideration.*
- *To recommend to the Board that the National Member Relations Committee spend one year assessing the technology services that NACAC provides its members, to include a*

survey of the NACAC membership, culminating in a report to Assembly 2012 as to how NACAC can best serve its members in this area.

At the annual Membership Meeting Evelyn Boyd White assumed office as the current NACAC President. Evelyn's eloquent remarks set the tone for a leader grounded by parents who saw a college education as "the best protection and preparation they could provide to their children."

Evelyn expressed her high expectations for herself as well as the membership of NACAC in continuing the "work that must be done to assure that the hopes and dreams of a better life can be realized not only for our children, but also for those who find that they need to reposition themselves because of natural disasters, the state of the economy, or because they are returning from war in Iraq or Afghanistan." She reminded us of our unique position to effect positive change for so many individuals as well as our responsibilities to our communities.

The full text of Evelyn's remarks can be found at [on the NACAC web page](#).