

U.S.-Colombia Summit:
Partnerships for Inclusive International Education
Cali, Valle-Colombia. August 15-17, 2024

	Food served/ Coffee stations available
	Admin breaks/logistics time
	Networking opportunities
	Concurrent sessions

Wednesday Aug 14	Thursday Aug 15	Friday Aug 16	Saturday Aug 17	Sunday Aug 18
7:00	Breakfast at the Hotel Restaurante Las Palmas	Breakfast at the Hotel Restaurante Las Palmas	Breakfast at the Hotel Restaurante Las Palmas	
7:30	Registration			
8:00				
8:30	<p>Opening Remarks Zakiya Carr-Johnson, Chief Diversity and Inclusion Officer, Department of State Alejandro Corrales, Deputy Director for Higher Education, Ministry of Education Aurora Vergara, Former Minister of Education Clinton White, Counselor, USAID <i>Salón Versalles</i></p>	<p>Panel: Financing International Exchange Opportunities. Participants: Colfuturo: Jerónimo Castro, Executive Director Icetex: María Francisca Cepeda, Dir. Int. Cooperation Fulbright: Ana María Carvajal. EducationUSA Adviser U.S. Embassy: Rosalyn Wiese, Public Diplomacy Off. Moderator: Kelley Butcher, Deputy HRO U.S. Embassy, Bogota <i>Salón Versalles</i></p>	<p>Intercultural Partnerships: Best Practices. (Concurrent sessions) Presenters: 1. Cultural Archives: New Orleans Jazz Festival <i>Salón Ceiba</i> 2. Howard University in Colombia <i>Salón Versalles</i> 3. Morgan State University and UTCH <i>Salón Centenario</i></p>	
9:00	<p>The HBCU System: Building an Inclusive Society Presenter: Dr. Charlene Chester Assistant Dean, College of Liberal Arts Morgan State University <i>Salón Versalles</i></p>			
9:30		<p>Intercultural Communication in Professional Contexts Training Academy Presenter: Andre Phillip Stevenson, Director of the Office of International Programs Elizabeth City State University <i>Salón Versalles</i></p>	<p>Institutional Exchanges: Towards Impactful Long-Standing Partnerships Keynote speaker: Godlove Fonjweng, Prairie View A&M University <i>Salón Versalles</i></p>	
10:00	<p>Afro-Colombianidad and Higher Education Opportunities Aurora Vergara, Former Minister of Education <i>Salón Versalles</i></p>			
10:30	<p>Visit Stands/ Networking Colfuturo; EducationUSA; Fulbright: Icetex; Colombian Association MSI; HR-U.S. Embassy/USAID <i>Pasillo Salón Versalles</i></p>	<p>Introduction to the Four Thematic Focus Areas Presenters: Amelia J. Dietrich, ForumEA Alejandra Gonzalez, Univ. de la Sabana-CCYK <i>Salón Versalles</i></p>		
11:00	<p>Building International Opportunities for All Presenter: Dr. Giovanni Anzola-Pardo Fulbright Executive Director <i>Salón Versalles</i></p>	<p>Break-out Groups By Themes: (Concurrent sessions) 1. Sustainability Leader: Efrain Parra, UAO <i>Salón Versalles</i> 2. Biodiversity Leader: Universidad del Valle <i>Salón Ceiba</i> 3. Social and Racial Justice Yoseth Ariza, Universidad ICESI <i>Salón Centenario</i> 4. Ancestral Knowledge Angelica Mayolo, Universidad Javeriana Cali <i>Salón El Peñon</i></p>	<p>A Shared Future: Partnerships for Inclusive International Education Presenter: Blakeney Vasquez, U.S. Department of State, WHA/PDA <i>Salón Versalles</i></p>	
11:30	<p>Diverse Experiences in Partnerships: From Vocational to Post-Doctoral International Exchange Opportunities (Concurrent sessions) 1. SENA: Natalia Rojas, Advisor Inter. Cooperation <i>Salón Versalles</i> 2. Universidad Autónoma de Occidente <i>Cristina Peñafort, Director International Relations Salón Ceiba</i> 3. TSU: Jewell Winn, Executive Director/Senior International Officer <i>Salón Centerario</i></p>			
12:00		<p>Campus Visits Logistics: Camilo Puerto, CCYK/ Diana Patiño, U.S. Embassy</p>	<p>Closing Plenary and Conclusions Presenter: Rosalyn N. Wiese, Cultural Affairs Officer U.S. Embassy, Bogota <i>Salón Versalles</i></p>	
12:30	<p>Executive Lunch V.I.P. guests <i>Salón El Peñon</i></p>	<p>Lunch <i>Salón Carlton</i></p>	<p>Closing Remarks: Daniel García-Peña Jaramillo, Colombian Ambassador to the U.S. Charge d'Affaires Francisco Palmieri, U.S. Embassy <i>Salón Versalles</i></p>	
13:00	<p>Lunch <i>Salón Carlton</i></p>		<p>Lunch <i>Salón Carlton</i></p>	
13:30			<p>Featuring Chef Tamra Patterson, from Chef Tam's Underground Cafe</p>	

Arrival

Check-out
Departure date

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14:00	100,000 Strong in the Americas: Impact for Academic Exchange Colombia and the U.S. Clinton White, Counselor, USAID Alejandro Corrales, Deputy Director for Higher Education, Ministry of Education Zakiya Carr-Johnson, Chief Diversity and Inclusion Officer, Department of State Moderator: Blakeney A. Vasquez, Foreign Affairs Officer WHA/PD Workshop: Diana Patño, U.S. Embassy, Bogotá <i>Salón Versailles</i> Alumni Meet-Up (Held Simultaneously) Leader: Dr. Giovanni Anzola-Pardo, Fulbright Executive Director <i>Salón El Peñón</i>	Higher Education Institution Campus Visits: <i>(4 simultaneous groups/itineraries)</i> HEIs Representatives Philanthropic Organizations Organizers Routes: 1. Sustainability and Biodiversity: Universidad del Valle/ Universidad Santiago de Cali 2. Sustainability: Universidad de San Buenaventura/ Universidad Claretiana 3. Racial and Social Justice and Ancestral Knowledge: Pontificia Universidad Javeriana/ Universidad ICESI 4. Sustainability, Social Justice, Ancestral Knowledge, Biodiversity: Universidad Autónoma de Occidente/ Institución Universitaria Antonio José Camacho	Transportation to: Petronio Alvarez Music Festival: 2:30 Marimba Music Workshop 3:30 Caserio: Fair of traditional products	
14:30				
15:00	Alumni Panel: Experience and Testimonials Panelists: Helena Valencia, SUSI Ginary Gutierrez, MLK Libia Díaz, IVLP/YLAI Sedney Suárez, Fulbright Andrea Lloreda, Fulbright Moderator: Kelley Butcher, Deputy HRO U.S. Embassy, Bogota <i>Salón Versailles</i>			
15:30				
16:00	Empowering Alumni Networks Presenter: Antonio Copete, Vicerrector-Universidad EAFIT/ President MIT-Harvard Club <i>Salón Versailles</i>			
16:30				
17:00	Networking Reception at Intercontinental Hotel Salsa Performance by Universidad Autónoma de Occidente Remarks by: Kandy Obezo, Consul General Colombian Embassy in the U.S. Rosalyn N. Wiese, Cultural Affairs Officer U.S. Embassy, Bogota <i>Terraza Piscina Hotel InterContinental</i>			
17:30				
18:00	Return to hotel			
18:30				
19:00			6:30 Music performances: El Folclor de mi Pueblo Marimba Matachinde Chirimia: Aires de mi Tierra La Calle Maniga 9:00 Ecos de Matrona (Brazil) Sintesis (Havana-Cuba) 10:00 Herencia de Timbiquí	
19:30				
20:00			(First group Check-out and Departure)	
22:00				
			Return to hotel	