



**APPALACHIAN
REGIONAL
COMMISSION**

*A Proud Past,
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THE APPALACHIAN TEACHING PROJECT 2017

Presents Student Research

“Strengthening Community Assets to Shape a Positive Future for Appalachia”

Hosted by the Appalachian Regional Commission

With the Consortium of Appalachian Colleges and Universities

Crystal City Marriott at Reagan National Airport

Potomac Ballroom

1999 Jefferson Davis Highway

Arlington, VA 22202-3526

AGENDA – Friday, December 1, 2017

8:00 AM **Buffet Breakfast**

Welcome and Overview

8:30AM Ron Roach, Director, Center for Appalachian Studies & Services, ETSU

Kostas Skordas, Director, Division of Planning & Research, ARC

Earl F. Gohl, Federal Co-Chair, ARC

Developing Natural and Cultural Assets

9:00 AM East Tennessee State University, Johnson City, TN

9:15 AM Frostburg State University, Frostburg, MD

9:30 AM University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN

9:45 AM *Question and Answer Session*

10:00 AM ***Break and Group Photographs (Friday Presenters)***

Investing in Regional Public Schools

10:30 AM University of North Georgia, Dahlonega, GA

10:45 AM Fairmont State University, Fairmont, WV

11:00 AM Auburn University, Auburn University, AL

11:15 AM *Question and Answer Session*

Appalachian Regional Commission Fellowship Program

11:30 AM Kostas Skordas, Director, Division of Planning & Research, ARC

11:45 AM Jacob Meadows, Inaugural ATP Fellow, Appalachian State University

12:00 PM **Buffet Lunch**

1:00 PM **Directors Meeting, Salon A**



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AGENDA – Saturday, DECEMBER 2, 2017

8:30 AM **Buffet Breakfast**

Downtown Development and Community Leadership

9:00 AM Zane State College, Zanesville, OH

9:15 AM Southeast Kentucky Community and Technical College, Cumberland, KY

9:30 AM Alfred State College, Alfred, NY

9:45 AM *Question and Answer Session*

10:00 AM ***Break and Group Photographs (Saturday Presenters)***

Enhancing Health and Quality of Life in Appalachia

10:30 AM Indiana University of Pennsylvania, Indiana, PA

10:45 AM University of Pittsburgh at Bradford, Bradford, PA

11:00 AM *Question and Answer Session*

Tourism Development of Regional Waterways

11:15 AM Radford University, Radford, VA

11:30 AM Appalachian State University, Boone, NC

11:45 AM *Question and Answer Session*

12:00 PM **Buffet Lunch**

12:30 PM Student Wrap-up

12:45 PM ARC-Closing Thoughts, Earl Gohl