

HIGH IMPACT PRACTICES



Spring 2025 Connection Calls

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FEBRUARY CONNECTION CALLS

HIPs 101: What Are HIPs, How Do They Work, & Are You Already Doing Them?

Date: February 19, 2025

Time: 1:00pm CST / 2:00pm EST

[HIPs 101 Call Link \(Teams\)](#)

PRESENTERS:

Gracie Rossie (WSCC)
Chris Rowland (TCAT Jackson)
Elvira Eivazova (CoSCC)
Carol Swayze (MTSU)
Karen Russell (TSU)

HIPs 201: Introduction to Learning Mindset Strategies

Date: February 28, 2025

Time: 10:00am CST / 11:00am EST

[HIPs 201 Call Link \(Zoom\)](#)

PRESENTERS:

Jennifer Thayer (APSU)
Jonathan Brigner (ChSCC)
Nicole Neely (TCAT Pulaski)
Deidra Rogers (ETSU)
Jessica Mills (WSCC)

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MARCH CONNECTION CALLS

HIPs 301: Navigating Culture Shock: First-Year, First-Gen, and Education Abroad

Date: March 5, 2025

Time: 2:00pm CST / 3:00pm EST

[HIPs 301 Call Link](#) (Zoom)

PRESENTERS:

Emily Naff (NSCC)

Cynthia Elliott (SWTCC)

Audie Black (TSU)

Carrie McCleese (TSU)

Amber Sullivan (VSCC)

HIPs 401: Infusing Growth Mindset into HIPs

Date: March 21, 2025

Time: 11:00am CST / 12:00pm EST

[HIPs 401 Call Link](#) (Zoom)

PRESENTERS:

Jessica Rabb (NSCC)

Tabetha Garman (NoSCC)

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APRIL CONNECTION CALLS

HIPs 501: Communicating About HIPs to Students, Staff, and External Partners

Date: April 8, 2025

Time: 11:00am CST / 12:00pm EST

[HIPs 501 Call Link \(Zoom\)](#)

PRESENTERS:

Stuart Lenig (CoSCC)

Sergei Markov (APSU)

Angie Wood (ChSCC)

Sharon Grigsby (CoSCC)

Iris Johnson (TSU)

HIPs 601: Implementing Technology Tools Across the Curriculum

Date: April 11, 2025

Time: 11:00am CST / 12:00pm EST

[HIPs 601 Call Link \(Teams\)](#)

PRESENTERS:

Parish Akin (SWTCC)

Maria Smith (TCAT Dickson)

Brooks Ziegler (PSTCC)

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