

**2024 NDEP Annual Meeting  
April 4-5, 2024  
Seattle, WA**

***Tentative Agenda***

**DATE Thursday, April 4, 2024**

- 7:30 am**      **Breakfast and Registration**
- 8:15 am      Welcome and Announcements
- 8:30 am      Findings from the NDEP Diversity & Inclusion Fellowship Framed for Action and Understanding  
Marie Allsopp, DrPH, RD, LD, CHES
- 9:30 am      Panel Q&A – BOD, CDR, ACEND
- 10:30 am**      **Morning Break – Meet the Exhibits/Sponsors**
- 11:00 am      Breakout Sessions: Group 1
- New Application Process for Dietetics (ACEND Presentation) (Main Ballroom)
  - Addressing Burnout among Nutrition and Dietetic Preceptors and Program Directors with Mindfulness-Based Strategies
  - Integrating AI into undergraduate research opportunities for dietetics students
  - Equitable Education for Introverts
  - Lessons learned: Strategies to support students during the transition to a higher-level education
- 12:00 pm**      **Lunch & Networking**
- 1:15 pm      Round Tables (4 – 30-minute sessions) – to include
- Immigrant food insecurity, food pantries, and the role of nutrition and dietetics students
  - NDTR & RDN Collaboration
  - Setting up DICAS Page/DICAS Training Resources
  - Common Issues and Concerns Tables for:
    - AI Integration in Dietetics Education
    - Application Process Update
    - DIs
    - DPDs
    - FEM GPs and CPs
    - Helping Students Who Didn't Pass the First Time
    - New Program Directors Using LMS's for Program Competency Monitoring
- 3:15 pm**      **Afternoon Break**
- 3:30 pm      Breakout Sessions: Group 2
- The Rules of Engagement: Relationship Building between Program Directors and Experiential Learning Site Leaders (Main Ballroom)

- Case Studies Come Alive! Using Immersive Virtual Reality in Dietetics Education
- Building Capacity and Resiliency among Dietetics Program Directors and Educators
- Utilizing Object Based Learning in Nutrition and Dietetics Education
- Securing our Food Future: Sustainable Diets in Dietetics Education

**4:30 pm          Wrap up and Adjourn**

**DATE   Friday, April 5, 2024**

**7:30 am          Breakfast**

8:15 am          Welcome and Agenda Overview

8:30 am          The RDN Enrollment Cliff: Current Sights and Future Outlooks  
Heather Cox, MS, RDN

**9:30 am          Mid-morning break – Hotel Check Out**

9:45 am          Best Practice Presentations (20 minutes each)

- Sharing Strategies to Enhance Students’ Success on RDN/NDTR Examinations
- Site Visit Preparation: Getting your Ducks in a Row
- Using Podcasts to Engage Your Students and Enrich Your Nutrition Course
- Don't Let Conflict End the Relationship
- Recruitment & Clinical Placement of Dietetic Interns (Finale)

**11:45 am        Closing and Adjournment**

***To demonstrate our commitment to sustainability, we recommend attendees bring personal travel mugs and/or water bottles***

***Conference Evaluation and CPEU certificate – to be sent via email***