

South Atlantic Affiliate

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Conference Information

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Regional Conference Report

Overall, the 2005 SAACURH Regional Conference was an overwhelming success. Hosted at one, if not the, smallest member school in our region, the Regional Board was very pleased with all aspects of the conference. Northern Kentucky University, NKU, was awarded the conference after a thorough bid process in late March. This left the conference team with little over six months to plan a very large conference with a limited staff. NKU stepped up to the plate and delivered a well organized, fiscally conservative, and well executed conference. In the next few sections different facets of the conference will be discussed in detail.

Summer Summit

July 8th – 10th 2005, the SEC was welcomed by the NKU conference staff to their campus for the annual Summer Summit conference. The summit was used as an opportunity for the SEC and the conference staff to plan for the year and the conference. The SEC toured the campus and helped develop the conference as a whole. NKU has many great facilities for this conference. Both boardrooms were held in large, comfortable rooms and all of the programming rooms are well equipped. The minutes from the summit can be found on the SAACURH regional website.

Attendance

Attendance was lower than expected this year; however, the total number of schools in attendance was up. The Regional Board believes that this is mainly due to the high gas prices at the time of the conference and the fact that this was the third consecutive conference in the northern part of our region.

Delegates:	575
Advisors:	41
Others:	15
Total:	631

Registration

Registration opened roughly two months prior to the first day of the conference. While all registration information was posted on the both the regional and conference websites, physical registration was done entirely through the mail. Attending schools were asked to download forms, fill them out, and then mail them in. While the RBD initially had many concerns about the process, the paper system seemed to work fairly well. The NKU conference staff kept the documents very organized and no documents were lost. Once NKU received a school's registration, an electronic invoice was immediately e-mailed to the school.

Finances

The budgeting process for the conference went smoothly. The budget approved by the Regional Board was within \$3 of the NCC approved conference budget within their bid. NKU was able to cover many of the costs allowing for some fluctuations in the hotel and meal costs.

Quiet possibly the most frustration part of the conference was handling the conference finances. The conference bank account was held with the University and this led to multiple issues with both receiving and making payments. The conference staff had difficulty filling

out the necessary vendor profiles and W-9 forms received from attending schools due to the confusion with their procurement department.

Roll Call

Roll Call was held on Friday night in the NKU athletic center. Each state was allowed a five minute roll call that was organized by the individual state organizations. While the event went fairly smoothly, most delegates lost interest in the event by the 5th or 6th state. While the MCs did provide some entertainment between the states, including skits and OTM announcements, it was obvious that people were losing interest.

See the problems and issues section for more discussion.

Programming

The Regional Board's number one priority for the year is improving the programming at our conferences. While this was a major initiative last year and surveys showed improvement, the Regional Board was still not happy with the results from last year. The Director appointed Erin Yaden from Morehead State University to coordinate programming at the conference. This took some of the load off of NKU and allowed the Regional Board to have direct communication with the programming chair.

The Regional Board produced a list of 25 programs called the "SAACURH Standard" representing the programs the regional board believed needed to be presented at each conference. Erin released this list and ensured that each of the programs was presented once and only once. This reduced overlap and ensured that the programs that we wanted at the conference were there. Initially, we received 21 of the 25 programs (several of them were submitted five or six times) forcing us to do a little more work to get all 25.

In the end, we received 156 submissions for 100 programming spots (5 sessions with 20 programs each). Similar to last year, we decided not to have a Top 20 programming session due to the many concerns presented by NCCs. Instead, we held a NCC Navigation session on Friday night and simply recognized the Top 20 during the banquet.

While we have not received the evaluations from NKU yet, overall the response has been very positive. While the SAACURH Standard list will need some tweaking to ensure that the right programs are there, the Regional Board believes that a similar approach should be tried next year. The SAACURH Standard programs were some of the most heavily attended sessions at the conference and many of them made the Top 20. Additionally, the Regional Board was very happy with the concept of having an outside programming chair. Communication was very easy and it ensured that programming was a top priority.

Programming Tracks:

- Leadership and Ethics
- Programs for Residence Halls
- Organizational Development
- Personal Development
- Presidents
- Resident Assistants

See the appendix for the full SAACURH Standard programming list.

President Summit

The Regional Director appointed Tim Jackson, the Mississippi State University RHA President, to coordinate a President Summit during the conference. The Summit was targeted at RHA

and NRHH Presidents throughout the region, regardless of school size. While the Summit consisted primarily of roundtables, Tim provided two sessions designed to help new Presidents transition into their position. This is the second year the region has held the Summit and participation continues to improve. This year, roughly 20 Presidents were involved.

The region intends to hold another Summit during our No Frills conference and is currently creating material about the Summit to distribute to the region. If the Summits continue to go well, the Region may need to consider the creation of a Presidents Coordinator position that will either be elected or appointed. Tim has been enormous resource to the region and will continue in his current role until the end of the year.

State Board Summit

The SAACURH Regional Education and Development Coordinator (REDC) coordinated a State Board of Directors Summit on Friday and Saturday of the conference. On Friday, only State Directors were asked to attend and the most of the time was dedicated to updates and roundtable discussions. Saturday was open to all State Board members and was designed as a time to help train any new officers and discuss issues within each state.

While state associations within SAACURH are not officially affiliated with the organization, the region as a whole has made a concerted effort to help them in any way that we can. The feedback from the states has been positive and it is our hope that by helping them, they can continue to help us with affiliations and officer recruitment.

NCC/NRHH Navigation

The SAACURH University (aka NCC/NRHH Navigation) was held on Friday night immediately following Roll Call. This served as opportunity for the Regional Board to discuss the agenda for boardroom the next day, answer any questions about procedure, and offer tutorials on working with SAACURH and NACURH. Each Regional Board member (and few special guests) presented a 25-30 minute session on different facets of being an NCC following the Navigation. Evaluations showed that NCCs liked the training sessions but believed many of the 30 minute session needed some work.

See the appendix for the list of NCC/NRHH Navigation programs.

Boardroom

For the first time in three or four years, a majority of the NCCs in the boardroom (upwards of 80%) were new. This forced us to reconsider many of our practices and spend a little extra time on each bid and piece of legislation. Overall, the board met for a total of four hours and elected a new Advisor, selected two award winners (POY / SALT) and acted of six pieces of legislation.

While the region has made a concerted effort to reduce the size of our regional board over the last few years, this caused a few unexpected issues during the conference. For example, several times throughout the conference, there were only three officers in the boardroom due to other events going on at the same time (Summits, NRHH Boardroom, etc). The Regional Board quickly learned that you need at least four people to effectively run a boardroom (1 person to chair, 1 to take minutes, 1 to take roll/speakers list, and 1 person to assist and keep time). While the Director was easily able to find assistance, this was an unexpected side effect.

The selection of the 2005 SAACURH POY and SALT winners went fairly smoothly. This was the first year that POY selection included a presentation in the NRHH boardroom. Overall, the presentations went well; however, there are not to NACURH quality yet.

Overall, we received multiple bids for both awards and one bid for the Advisor-Elect position. For the first time in 10 years, the Advisor-Elect position is filled with someone other than Evelyn Wallington, the long time SAACURH Advisor.

Banquet

The end of conference banquet was an enormous issue during the planning process of the conference. There is a facility of a reasonable price in the Northern Kentucky area that can hold a banquet for more than 700 people. Originally, the conference staff intended to hold two banquets in one of the hotel conference rooms. Half of the delegates would eat first and then after a short cleanup period, the second half would eat. After a good bit of consulting with the hotel staff, the conference staff was able to arrange the room to allow all 623 delegates to eat the same time. While the room was incredibly tight and hot, delegates were happy to be able to eat together. During the conclusion of the banquet, an award ceremony was held honoring award winners, program presenters, and the conference staff.

Award winners:

Program of the Year	University of Mary Washington
S.A.L.T.	University of Florida
Advisor-Elect	Sean Pierce, FAU-Honors

No Frills Report

Mini-Summit

Due to scheduling constraints from the hotel, the SEC held a mini-Winter Summit at the No Frills conference host, the University of West Georgia. Four members of the SEC met with the conference staff to set the conference budget and registration schedule. This summit was necessary because the conference staff wanted to meet with the regional board prior to signing a contract. The regional board will hold a full Winter Summit the last weekend in January after state conferences.

Regional Operation Information

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Regional Goals and Progress

Regional Board Goals:

- (1) Place a strong emphasis on programming
- (2) Recruit and refocus
- (3) Continue the RHA President initiative
- (4) Keep communication lines open
- (5) Ensure an efficient boardroom
- (6) Continue technology initiative

Programming

Programming has been our number one priority from day one. Please read the update from the SAACURH 2005 conference, but there has been good progress made on improving the quality of programs presented at our regional conference. At No Frills, the discussions will continue on how we can better serve our member schools in this area.

Recruit and Refocus

The SAACURH Regional Affiliations Coordinator has been hard at work recruiting new schools from our member states. While he has received a large amount of help from the state associations, information pamphlets and e-mails have gone to pretty much every school in the region. To date, we have affiliated 57 schools and will affiliate between 7 and 10 more between now and No Frills. Due to the location of our conference, several schools in the state of Florida decided not attend and held off an affiliating until our business conference.

In addition to recruiting, the Regional Board has been working on ensuring everything the region is done for the right reasons and is not simply done because we have always done it that way. Discussions are currently taking place in regards to Roll Call, boardroom procedures, Regional Board configuration, bidding, and many other standard operating procedures. It is the Regional Board's hope that they can both reduce spending and fluff.

President's Initiative

While President Summits will occur at both SAACURH conferences this year, the Summits alone will not satisfy this goal. Presidents have long been unappreciated and forgotten in our region and the Regional Board hopes to ensure that they have a place in the region and feeling that their member schools are receiving their money's worth.

The RBD has been discussing the possibility of a President's Retreat to be held in April for outgoing and incoming organizational Presidents. This retreat would serve as a time to communicate with other Presidents in the region, train new officers, and prepare for the upcoming year. This retreat is still in the planning stages, but might become reality by next year.

Communication

If the Regional Board has struggled in any area, it has been communication with the region. While the board has attempted to remain as transparent as possible with the member schools, more updates should have gone out. The board will attempt to rectify this in the Spring by continuing the newsletter programming and sending out more reports. While the board has met the constitutional requirements, more communication is necessary.

Boardroom

A good bit of time was spent preparing for the boardroom and training NCCs and NRHHers to be effective representatives of their schools. In addition to NCC/NRHH Navigation, constant communication was kept with NCCs in regards to boardroom procedure, deadlines, etc. Overall, the boardroom at the regional conference went very smoothly and the board expects nothing different at the business conference.

Technology / Website Overhaul

It is the Region's belief that NACURH (and consequently SAACURH) are about 5 years behind where they should be in regards to technology. This May, SAACURH was able to release the new regional website and we just had our 10,000th visitor since then. The website is more user-friendly than past versions and is being updated constantly. The following features have been added or are currently a work in progress.

- History of SAACURH – Taken from the NACURH 50th Anniversary Book
- Alumni Pages – A place to find contact information of SAACURH Alumni.
- SAACURH RFI – Commonly used regional tutorials.
- Affiliations Documents – Documents designed for unaffiliated schools.
- Bid Submission – A dynamic bid submissions system.
- Governing Documents – A copy of the governing documents from SAA schools.

Progress Report

Documentation

The Regional Board has been hard at work producing resource documents for our member schools. It is our intention for the SAACURH website to be a starting place for any school intending to start a residence hall governing body. Additionally, we have created documents to help struggling chapters, schools intending to bid for awards/positions/conferences, and new officers within organizations. Ideally, by NACURH 2006 the document creation process will be complete.

Regional Conference Size

One of the primary concerns presented in the SAACURH 2004-2005 Semi-Annual report was the size of the regional conferences and the lack of bids. While no major progress has been made on this issue, it is exciting to note that the smallest school in the region hosted the past regional conference (NKU). NKU has just over 600 residents and is a very small campus. Hopefully this will encourage other small schools in the region to bid. Currently, the Regional Board is expecting a large number of No Frills bids.

Regional Committees

Four regional committees were formed and will begin work in the new year:

Spirit - The spirit committee was charged with developing a SAACURH spirit document, creating new cheers, and a new SAACURH graphic standard.

Administrative – The administrative committee was charged with revamping the SAACURH governing documents and creating a NRHH policy book.

NACURH Roll Call – The NACURH Roll Call committee was charged with creating the regional roll call for the NACURH 2006 conference.

Recruitment and Retention Efforts

State Associations

State Associations continue to be our region's number one retention and recruitment tool. State Associations are able to communicate on the school level with many schools that the board as a whole would not be able to communicate with otherwise. It is imperative that the regions relationship with the states remain stable.

Buddy Schools

Each regional board member was assigned between 10 and 15 schools (both affiliated and unaffiliated) within the region. It was that member's responsibility to contact each of his schools and see how the region could better serve them. In addition, this contact was used to ensure that schools affiliate and to see if we could help them with this process.

Letters

Each school (affiliated and unaffiliated) within the region received a letter from the Regional Affiliations Coordinator in regards to the affiliations process and the benefits of affiliating.

Special Projects

NRHH Policy Book

SAACURH is one of the few regions without a separate NRHH policy book and this has led to multiple issues over the past few years. The RBD and the administrative committee have been working towards the creation of a new NRHH policy and will be presenting legislation at the business conference.

Online Bid Submission

A new online bid submission process for the region should be up and running by the business conference. This system will allow affiliated schools to logon, upload bids, view uploaded bids, and receive confirmation of a bid being uploaded. Due to the (memory) size of bids, e-mail is no longer an acceptable form of bid submissions.

Recognition

Recognition within the issue is (and always has been) an area of improvement for SAACURH. Many delegates quickly get wrapped up in the business end of the organization and quickly forget the recognition end of the organization. The RBD will be working to create several new awards and recognition pieces over the next six months.

State Associations

The role of state associations within SAACURH is being looked by both the RBD and the individual NCCs. There are many different thoughts and opinions on their place within the organization. Some NCCs feel that Sub-Regions would make more sense, while others feel that SAACURH should not be working at all with the associations. Over the next year, the region as a whole will be working to better define the role of the state associations within the region.

Website

The website will continue to be upgraded and improved over the next year. Careful consideration was made during the design phase to ensure that once the current RBD leaves, the website will be easily modified by a new technology person. Most of the website is straight HTML with a few lines of PHP here and there to make some tasks easier.

Regional Issues

Virgin Islands and Bahamas

Two schools from the US Virgin Islands and Bahamas contacted the Regional Director about affiliation with the region and attendance at the regional conference. The Director said that they were more than welcome to attend the conference but affiliation is a very different issue. It is unknown at this point whether there will be more non-US schools wanting to affiliate, but either way, the region needs a solution.

New Advisor

For the first time in almost 10 years, the region will have a new advisor starting at NACURH 2006. The transition process will more than likely be a difficult one and the regional board is hoping for smooth transition. The process will probably be bumpy.

NRHH

The role of NRHH within the region has always been a major issue. As of late, there have been numerous questions about NRHH policy (both nationally and regionally). The regional board believes that the NRHH policy book will solve many of these issues; however, many NRHHers feel like "2nd class citizens" within the region due to the fact that 100% of the power is given to NCCs. As of now, the region has no great solution for this problem but is working towards a solution.

Roll Call

Many NCCs (and especially Presidents) are unhappy with the role of Roll Call at both the regional and national conference. Many feel that it is an enormous waste of time and many members of the Regional Board agree. At the No Frills conference, there are sure to be many heated conversations about the event. Roll Call, as we know it today, is very different than it was 50, or even 5 years ago. It may be time for it to go.

Legislation to Date

Several pieces of legislation passed at our Regional Business meeting:

Main Motion A: NRHH Business

This legislation clarified our policy book in regards to which awards were considered by which boardroom. Currently, SAACURH only has one policy book and two boardrooms. This legislation was the first step towards the creation of a separate NRHH policy book.

Main Motion B: Mileage Reimbursement

MMB increased the per mile reimbursement for SAACURH from 15 cents to 42 cents. The policy allows the SEC to reimburse up to 42 cents but not above. This is a crucial difference as our budget does not always allow us to reimburse the full amount.

Main Motion D: SEC Succession

MMD clarified the RBD/SEC Succession policy. The new policy is lengthy, but here is a simplified breakdown:

- The RD will appoint any vacancies (including advisors).
- The appointment of an Associate Director shall require the approval of the NCCs at the next regional business meeting. Once approved, the officer is eligible to assume the Directorship if necessary. If the appointment is not approved, a new appointment shall be made.
- Only an elected or approved officer may assume the Directorship.

- If no AD is available to assume the Directorship, an RCC shall temporarily assume the position and call an election at the next regional business meeting.

Main Motion E: ADA Policy

MME brings the SAACURH policy book inline with the NACURH policy book in regards to ADA compliance.

AD-NRHH Appointment Approval

The appointment of Beth Freeman as the Associate Director for NRHH was approved by unanimous acclimation in the NRHH boardroom. Ms. Freeman is now eligible to assume the Regional Directorship if called upon.

Only one piece of legislation failed:

Main Motion C: NCC of the Year

MMC would have allowed the SEC to select the NCOY award. This is the second time this legislation has been presented in the last year and both times has failed.

General Information

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Silver Pin Recipients (to-date)

[Pearl Colvin, Morehead State University](#)

Pearl has served as the Advisor to the Programming Chair at our regional conference for the last two years. Her outstanding dedication to region and ensuring the quality of programming within our region has been truly remarkable.

[Tim Jackson, Mississippi State University](#)

Tim coordinated the first-ever President's Summit at the SAACURH regional conference. Tim did an enormous amount of work organizing the Summit and has been an enormous asset to the region. Tim is organizing another President's Summit at our No Frills Conference in March.

[Erin Yaden, Morehead State University](#)

Erin has served as the Programming Chair for our Regional Conference for the last two years. She has filled a void in our region that has been desperately needed to be filled. Due to the size of our conferences, many conference hosts do not have the necessary staff to effectively plan the programming. Based on evaluations, programming has improved vastly due to her work.

The remaining five Silver Pins will be handed out later in the year.

Vacant RBD Positions

Following NACURH 2005, the Regional NRHH Advisor and AD-NRHH both stepped down due to various reasons. Immediately following NACURH, the Director started an application process for both positions. Over five applications were received for each position and all candidates were interviewed by both phone and e-mail. After a three week process, the following were appointed:

[AD-NRHH](#)

Beth Freeman, Georgia Southern University

Beth has served as the NRHH President at GSU, the RHA Vice President, and is an active member of their Residence Life Department. Additionally, Beth was named the 2005 SAACURH NRHH Member of the Year.

[Regional NRHH Advisor](#)

Bill Pickett, Georgia Southern University

Bill works in the Student Activities Department at GSU and has served as an NRHH Representative in the GLACURH region. Beth will serve as the NRHH Advisor until the close of the 2007 NACURH conference.

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SAACURH 2005 Regional Conference Attendees

Appalachian State University (14)
Bellarmine University (11)
Clemson University (9)
Columbus State University (3)
Conference Staff Morehead State (2)
East Tennessee State University (13)
Eastern Carolina University (9)
Eastern Kentucky University (9)
Elon University (13)
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University (14)
Florida Atlantic University (15)
Florida Atlantic University Honors (6)
Florida Gulf Coast University (4)
Florida International University (13)
Florida State University (9)
Gardner-Webb University (6)
Georgia College and State University (14)
Georgia Southern University (12)
Georgia Southwestern University (9)
Georgia State University (14)
Georgia Tech (10)
Jacksonville State University (7)
Maryville College (12)
Methodist College (8)
Mississippi State University (14)
Mississippi University for Women (12)
Morehead State University (12)
Murray State University (14)
NCAT (10)
NIC Representative (1)
NKU Conference Advisor (1)
NKU Conference Staff (2)
NKU VIP (2)
North Carolina State University (10)
Northern Kentucky University (10)
NRHH National Office (1)
OCM (2)
Radford University (14)
Rollins College (2)
SEC/VIP (8)
Spalding University (13)
UNC Chapel Hill (6)
University of Alabama (8)
University of Alabama @ Birmingham (7)
University of Central Florida (9)
University of Florida (15)

University of Georgia (5)
 University of Kentucky (14)
 University of Louisville (11)
 University of Mary Washington (4)
 University of Memphis (15)
 University of Mississippi (10)
 University of North Carolina Greensboro (15)
 University of North Carolina Wilmington (14)
 University of South Alabama (9)
 University of South Carolina (8)
 University of South Florida (8)
 University of Southern Mississippi (14)
 University of Tennessee Knoxville (15)
 University of Virginia @ Wise (14)
 University of West Alabama (2)
 University of West Georgia (4)
 Valdosta State University (9)
 Virginia Tech (11)
 Wake Forest University (3)
 Western Carolina University (9)
 Western Kentucky University (10)
 William and Mary (9)
 Winthrop University (15)
 Total: 637

SAACURH Standard Programs

How to recruit membership (OD)
 How to retain membership (OD)
 Starting NRHH Chapter (OD)
 How to bid for a conference (L)
 Working with your NCC (Pres)
 How to write OTMs (OD)
 Parli Pro (Beginner, advanced) (PD)
 Writing a constitution (OD)
 Budgets (OD)
 Training of an officer (OD)
 Fundraisers (OD)
 How to do a program (Prog)
 How to write/read a bid (OD)
 How to be a delegate (PD)
 Taking advantage of resources (PD)
 Welcome week (Prog)
 Build council (Prog)
 How to revive struggling chapter (OD)
 How to recognize/ why recognize (L)
 What is SAACURH? (L)
 How to build an RHA website (OD)
 Effective communication (L)
 Building a strong executive board (Pres)
 Dealing with difficult people (PD)
 Working with an advisor, relationship ((PD)
 Effective record keeping/minutes (OD)

Advertising (OD)
How to be a VP (PD)
Tips for new president/NCC...now what? (Pres)
Building your state associations

NCC/NRHH Navigation Program

THE University of SAACURH (NCC/NRHH Navigation):

Introduction/Boardroom Preview

Presented by the SEC

New NCCs

Learn the basics of the NCC position, including working with people, preparing a delegation, working with NIC, and how to read and write a bid.

Presented by Andrew Worth

New NRHHers

Learn the basics of NRHH, including working with the National Office, OTMs, and membership.

Presented by Beth Freeman

The Conference is Over, Now What?

You've done roll call, been to some programs, and now you're back on your campus. Now what? Learn how to take the ideas you learn at conferences and implement them on your campus.

Presented by Andrew Howard

How to Write a B.A.D. A.S.S. National Bid

The art of writing winning bids is one of the more difficult things to do in the RHA world. Those judging your bids, both NCCs and national board members, like to see certain components in bids. Come to this program to gain a perspective from someone who's been there and get some tips on how to write a winning bid!

Presented by Gavin Luter

State Director Meeting

This is a meeting for the director of each state organization.

Presented by Tom Kernan

Taking Your Skills to the Next Level

Whether you are interested in a career in housing or not, this program will give you ideas on how to benefit from the experience you've gained in SAACURH.

Presented by Kevin Hemphill

Recruiting and Training Your Replacement

It takes a certain personality to be an NCC or NRHH Representative, and those personalities aren't always easy to come by. This program gives you ideas on how to cultivate relationships in order to recruit a suitable NCC or NRHH Representative for your RHA or NRHH Chapter. It's not as easy as you'd think! This program also gives tips for training a new NCC or NRHH Representative.

Presented by Hope Cannon

Advisors: Your role at SAA

*What? There's more to advising a delegation than driving the van? Absolutely!
This program gives insight to the role of advisors in SAACURH.*

Presented by Evelyn Wallington