

STUDENT GOVERNANCE SUMMIT

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GOUCHER COLLEGE

Collegetown welcomed 106 student leaders from 12 institutions, 2 of those schools being *out-of-network institutions, to the seventh annual Student Governance Summit, an opportunity for students to collaborate with peers from area colleges and universities. Throughout the day students networked with one another, participated in roundtable discussions, and attended breakout sessions on social media strategies for engagement, how to track your social media data and analytics, and real-life mental health strategies.

INSTITUTIONS REPRESENTED:

Coppin State University	Loyola University Maryland	Notre Dame of Maryland University
Goucher College	MICA	Towson University
Johns Hopkins Peabody Conservatory	Morgan State University	University of Baltimore
*BCCC	*Carroll Community College	UMBC

SUMMIT GOALS:

- Participants will identify ways to increase overall student government engagement and/or participation on campus.
- Reflect on their roles as student leaders.
- Connect with other student governance leaders from other institutions.
- Build community and network across institutions.
- Learn how to manage, lead, and navigate being an SGA member.

IMPACT:

According to evaluation responses, students liked the opportunity to network and learn from one another. There was also a tremendous amount of great feedback towards a new session we introduced this year, "The SGA Experience: A Student-Led Panel Discussion" where students were able to ask questions and receive feedback on the experiences and knowledge of more

experienced SGA leaders. Some areas for improvement include having a broader range of topics for breakout sessions.

Student learning outcomes data on a scale from 1 to 5, with 1 being very ineffective and 5 being very effective:

I connected with student governance leaders from other institutions.	4.55
I discussed current student government topics/issues and possible next steps.	4.45
I identified ways to increase overall student government engagement and/or participation on campus.	4.30
Overall summit satisfaction	4.25



QUOTES FROM STUDENTS:

"I really enjoyed how student led this was."

"Loved it! Heard such great feedback from everyone I spoke to!"

"I just can't wait to come again!"

"It was extremely informative...I look forward to attending next year"

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