

SEE YOU NEXT YEAR!



GOVERNANCE CAMP

POWERED BY STUDENT VOICE

FEB. 28—MARCH 3, 2024

GALVESTON

WELCOME, CAMPER!

We are so excited to have you join us in Galveston for the 2023 Governance Camp! While the name is catchy, the premise of taking a deep dive into trustee development alongside friendly faces from around the state is what makes Governance Camp different than other events.

Camp is an opportunity for you to experience a truly unique training event with ocean views that will leave you inspired and energized. Get ready to learn from experts and peers about best practices, network with new and familiar faces, and hear firsthand from students about their educational experiences.

To make the most of this learning opportunity, we ask that you really show up — be open-minded and ready to hear new and interesting perspectives. Be unafraid of asking hard questions of others and of yourself. Dig deep and challenge yourself to leave Camp with a renewed passion for your role and ideas that can lead to lasting change in your home district. We hope the next few days at Camp will bring great memories, relationships, and “aha” moments. Get ready for an unforgettable experience!

SPECIAL EVENT

**THURSDAY,
MARCH 2
8-10 P.M.
AFTER HOURS
SPONSORED
BY E3**

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Event sponsor E3 is hosting a game-filled fun time with refreshments for attendees and their guests. That's what Camp is all about: fun times, memory-making, and spending time with your trustee friends from across the state. Head to the Hilton Hotel for some fun!

CRYSTAL BALLROOM, LOBBY LEVEL, HILTON HOTEL

AGENDA

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1

Regiception (Pick up your packet and visit with friends.)	4-6 p.m.
Pre-conference Exploring the Many Aspects of School Safety	6-9 p.m.

THURSDAY, MARCH 2

Registration Opens	7 a.m.
Breakfast	7:30-8:15 a.m.
General Session	8:15-9:15 a.m.
Education Sessions	9:30-11:45 a.m.
Lunch and An Advocacy Story	11:45 a.m.-1:15 p.m.
Education Sessions	1:30-5 p.m.
Reception	5-5:45 p.m.
After Hours sponsored by E3 HILTON HOTEL	8-10 p.m.

FRIDAY, MARCH 3

Registration Opens	7 a.m.
Breakfast	7:30-8:15 a.m.
Student Scholarship Panel	8:15-9:15 a.m.
Student Voice Sessions	9:30-10:30 a.m.
Students Inspired: Demonstrations	10:30-11:15 a.m.
Student Voice Sessions	11:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m.
Lunch and Students Inspired: Q&A about Engagement	12:15-1:15 p.m.
Student Voice Sessions	1:15-2:15 p.m.
Closing Session	2:30-4:30 p.m.

SATURDAY, MARCH 4

Breakfast By the Bay	7-8 a.m.
Post-conference Session Evaluating and Improving Student Outcomes (EISO)/SB 1566 Training	8-11 a.m.

GENERAL SESSION SPEAKERS

THURSDAY, MARCH 2

HOLLY HOFFMAN was the last remaining member of the Espada Tribe and the last woman standing on Season 21 of *Survivor Nicaragua*. Through that experience, and others throughout her life, Hoffman was inspired to share her message of positivity, determination, and confidence.



A professional speaker and the author of *Your Winner Within* and *Write Yourself a Note*, Hoffman acknowledges that life is made up of challenges, and we are often faced with situations that seem insurmountable. She inspires her audience to focus their thoughts, emotions, and energy toward success and shares the knowledge, tools, and discipline to achieve it.

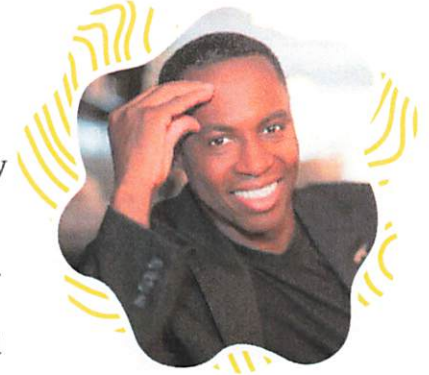
A lifelong resident of America's heartland, Hoffman graduated from her hometown high school in Eureka, South Dakota, and then attended Northern State University. She is the proud mother of three wonderful children and six grandchildren.

In 2019, Hoffman earned the CSP® (Certified Speaking Professional™) designation from the National Speakers Association. She travels across the country speaking to a wide variety of corporations, associations, universities, schools, and women's organizations.

Hoffman's message not only offers encouragement and optimism but a roadmap for self-discovery and spiritual enlightenment. Her methods are intuitive, honest, and adaptable to any situation. Her audience is guaranteed to walk away inspired and motivated to succeed.

FRIDAY, MARCH 3

ADOLPH BROWN offers the most uniquely inspiring and entertaining, yet profoundly challenging, presentations around. He is an American businessman, investor, author, urban and rural school educator, research scientist, and keynote speaker. He is a servant leader at heart, a lifelong social justice advocate, and a career teacher educator.



He is admired for his simple and direct *Real Talk* and powerful, universal, and timeless teachings. For more than 30 years, Brown has researched, field tested, and implemented a set of concrete strategies used to support and enhance schools and businesses around the world.

As a credentialed master teacher, Brown helps teachers reach every student. As a much sought-after and highly effective unconscious bias, equity, diversity, and inclusion keynote speaker, Brown skillfully addresses the impact of stereotypes. He credits much of his success to the luxury of humble beginnings of being reared by a single-parent mother in abject poverty of the inner-city housing projects infested with gangs, drugs, and violence. His oldest sibling and only brother was murdered when Brown was only 11 years old.

Brown is the author of acclaimed books, including the international mental wellness best seller *Two Backpacks*. Other best sellers authored by Brown include business soft skills classic *Champion Habits* and the education classic *Real Talk*. He is also the co-author with his third-grade teacher of the children's book *It's Gonna Be a Great Day!*

