

ACI Events Schedule Revised Because of COVID-19 Emergency

May 1, 2020



ACI's spring and early summer events calendar changed in March because of local and state orders to cancel most public events in response to the COVID-19 health emergency.

The most significant change for ACI was the annual Benefit Reception, originally scheduled for April 17, at the University Club of Chicago. Instead, the organization planned a Virtual Benefit Reception, which launches online today, May 1. (See story above). Related meetings, such as ACI's Annual Board of Trustees meeting and ACI's Presidents Institute were rescheduled as conference calls and webinars. The annual meeting was reset for May 15, and the Presidents Institute will be held as webinars planned for June 5, June 12 and June 19.

Other event changes include:

- **Work and Life Skills Boot Camp:** Scheduled for April 25, this session was postponed and will be held this fall, with the date and location to be announced.
- **ACI Wealth Advisors Breakfast:** Planned for May 14, the event was postponed until a fall date and location to be announced.
- **ACI Spring Conference:** Scheduled for June 8 at Eureka College, the conference was cancelled. Instead, a series of webinars is being planned with speakers working at member colleges in advancement, finance and student engagement.
- **Summer Get-Together for public relations marketing professionals:** Set for June 11 and hosted by Augustana College, this event was cancelled. The next is expected in June 2021.