



We are delighted to present the 96th annual meeting for Lutheran college presidents.

Given the many demands placed upon your time, we understand that it is difficult for you to get away for reflection and renewal. We're delighted to provide you with such an opportunity and hope you enjoy the chance to interact with your fellow presidents and draw strength from your common experience.

Our member colleges and universities give our young men and women the training and inspiration to make significant contributions to their churches and communities. Your leadership ensures that our graduates continue to have tremendous positive impact on our world and we appreciate your service.

Best wishes for an inspiring conference.

Ralph Wagoner, *President*
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Lutheran College Presidents Annual Meeting

Savannah, Georgia | February 7-9, 2009



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Conference Agenda

Saturday, February 7, 2009

- 10:00 a.m. **Board Meeting**
Savannah Room
- 1:00–2:15 p.m. **Annual Business Meeting**
Scarborough 1–2
- 1:00–2:30 p.m. **Spouse Session I: “Old Savannah”**
Plimsoll

> Penny Cedel, *Chair of Spouse Program*
- 2:30 p.m. **Plenary Session I: The Lena Meyer Lecture**
Scarborough 1–2

LEARNING: “Leadership, Partnership, and Trust in a Networked Society: Practical and Theoretical Perspective”

> Dr. Thomas Cedel, *President*
Concordia University Texas

> Dr. Richard Hanson, *President*
Waldorf College
- 3:45 p.m. **Break**
Scarborough Foyer
- 4:00 p.m. **Plenary Session II**
Scarborough 1–2

ENGAGEMENT: “Leadership and Partnering”

> General Jefferson Howell, *Senior Research Fellow*
Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs
The University of Texas at Austin
- 5:15 p.m. **Adjourn**
- 6:00–8:00 p.m. **Opening Reception**
Scarborough 3–4

Dinner on your own

Sunday, February 8, 2009

- 9:00 a.m. **Worship Service**
Harborside Center

> Rev. Dr. Bruce Peffer
Concordia University Texas
- 10:00–11:30 a.m. **Brunch**
Harborside Center
- 11:30 a.m.–4:00 p.m. **Plenary Session III: “Renewal”**

Free Time
Explore Historic Savannah, Visit Shops, Museums,
Take a Trolley Tour
- 4:00 p.m. **Plenary Session IV**
Scarborough 1–2

CONVERSATION: A discussion of “Leadership, Partnership and Trust in a Networked Society”

Moderator:
> Dr. Brian Friedrich, *President*
Concordia University, Nebraska

Panelists:
> Sarah Flanagan, *Vice President*
NAICU

> Dr. Jay Lemons, *President*
Susquehanna University

> Dr. Viji George, *President*
Concordia College–New York
- 6:00–7:30 p.m. **Savannah Style Reception**
Harborside Center

Dinner on your own

Monday, February 9, 2009

- 8:00 a.m. **Continental Breakfast**
Scarborough Foyer
- 8:30 a.m. **Worship Service**
Scarborough 1–2

> Rev. Dr. Bruce Peffer
Concordia University Texas
- 9:00 a.m. **Plenary Session V**
Scarborough 1–2

AFFIRMATION

> Richard Ekman, *President*
CIC
- 10:00 a.m. **Spouse Session II**
Plimsoll

> Penny Cedel, *Chair of Spouse Program*
- 10:30 a.m. **ELCA Presidents Meeting**
Scarborough 3
Lunch in Scarborough 4
- 10:30 a.m. **LCMS Presidents Meeting**
Savannah Room
Lunch in Savannah Room
- 6:00 p.m. **Banquet Reception**
Scarborough Foyer
- 7:00 p.m. **Banquet/Evening Entertainment**
Scarborough 3–4