

ELAM® Texas and Regional Alumnae Event
[The Mokara Hotel and Spa](#)
San Antonio, Texas

Annotated Agenda | January 10 – 11, 2013

All ELUMs are invited to join us in San Antonio, Texas for a two day event featuring a workshop led by Diane Magrane, and a networking dinner to reconnect with your ELUM colleagues and to meet the 2012-2013 class of Fellows.

Thursday, January 10, 2013

Laptops: Discouraged (you will be changing seats throughout the session)

Suggested Dress: Business Casual

11:30 – 11:50 a.m.

Registration/Check In

For those attending the IAP Peer Mentoring Session, check in and receive your materials needed for the day.

12:00 – 1:15 p.m.

Institutional Action Project (IAP) Peer Mentoring Lunch and Orientation

If you are participating in the Institutional Action Project (IAP) Peer Mentoring session, you will be required to attend the orientation lunch. During the lunch, you will get more information about what is expected during the mentoring session.

1:30 – 3:00 p.m.

IAP Peer Mentoring Session

During the Institutional Action Project (IAP) Peer Mentoring session, you will have the opportunity to use your own areas of expertise to give guidance to a group of current Fellows working on their IAPs.

Recall how challenging it was to design an action project that moved your institution forward, gave you the right kind of visibility and was actually do-able? We can use your experience and guidance to assist the ELAM fellows as they are in the midst of developing their own IAPs. This also is a great opportunity to show the Fellows how our ELUM community contributes to their leadership development and success, and previous ELUM consultants said they learned as much as they contributed – a usual side effect of mentoring!

3:30 – 6:00 p.m.

Alumnae Networking Opportunity TBD (optional)

After the Institutional Action Project (IAP) Peer Mentoring session, you will have the opportunity to meet with your fellow alumnae during an activity to be determined.

6:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Special Fellow/ELUM Networking Dinner and Program

Help us to close the winter ELAM session, and open the ELUM session with a reception and dinner on Thursday evening. The dinner will feature [Celebrity Interviews](#) of the new members of the Alumnae Advisory Group, where they will tell their stories of their, “Life After ELAM.” This will also be an excellent opportunity to reconnect with ELUMs attending the event, and to meet the members of the 2012-2013 class of Fellows.

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Friday, January 11, 2013

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Suggested Dress: Business Casual

7:00 – 8:45 a.m.

Breakfast

8:30 – 9:00 a.m.

Registration / Check -in

Check in and receive your materials needed for the day.

9:00 – 11:30 a.m.

Works-In-Progress Consultations Workshop

ELAM Director Diane Magrane will lead a *Works-In-Progress Consultations* workshop on Friday morning. This process of group consultation is grounded in our everyday experience of learning from our colleagues. All different types of dilemmas are best sorted out through conversation with others who have experience and new perspectives on the situation, and that it is through dialogue that humans reach understanding, insight, and make sense of “messy” challenges. Each session participant will have an opportunity to both narrate and listen to peer discussion of an organizational or professional challenge of her choosing, bringing new insight and problem-solving approaches to a vexing issue in her career.

11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Lunch Buffett (optional)