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A number of Consortium events are occurring within the next six weeks and highlighting them in this message gives all the opportunity to share in the work that is happening statewide. Please mark your calendars now.

- March 17 – While initially scheduled as our monthly conference call, we have altered it to combine with our Quarterly Advisory Meeting to be conducted at Millersville University in person. The meeting begins at 2:00pm and will last approximately 90 minutes. We are seeking program updates, progress, and discussion about Consortium sustainability beyond the TPSID grant period. If you are able to attend, please contact Matt or Gabriela @ 717.871.7357 by Friday, March 13.
- March 23-25 – Millersville University's Integrated Studies is one of five programs selected by ThinkCollege to participate in this year's Disability Policy Summit in Washington, D.C. Information learned will be shared by those who attended with all Consortium members in a future Conference Call.
- April 22-23 – Our TPSID's year five Symposium will be part of a two-day statewide event that celebrates Disability Pride, the 30th Anniversary of ADA, and Inclusive Postsecondary Education. The lens of "how everyone else does it" or the culturally valued analogue (CVA) is the thread that runs throughout all aspects of the two days. Click here for more details: <https://pihec.com/home/april-22-23-2020-beyond-inclusion-empowering-celebrating-advocating/>

Other news includes a welcome to newest Consortium member, Villanova University!

Lastly, those of you who have operational programs, please know that we are currently looking for information to continue to support our efforts. A survey link about technology will be e-mailed to you in the next few days. Thanks in advance for your assistance with learning more about the work you are doing for students with intellectual disability in your initiatives.

Ann Marie Licata, Ph.D., Director

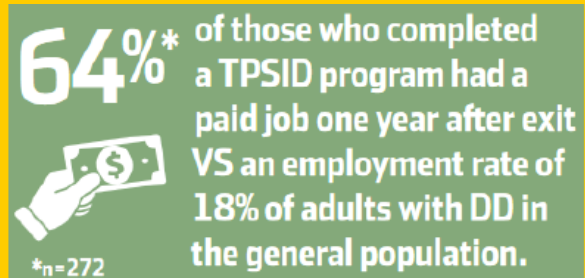


Consortium members, Alia Pustorino-Clevenger (Duquesne University), Ann Marie Licata (PIHEC), Gabriela Hagi(PIHEC/Millersville University), Zach Baynham and Wendy Fagan (Slippery Rock University), presented at the March 3, 4th Annual Disability and Mental Health Summit in Pittsburgh.

WHAT IS HAPPENING

- [2020 Disability Policy Seminar will be held on March 23 – 25, 2020 at Renaissance Hotel, Washington, DC](#)
- [Beyond Inclusion: Empowering, Celebrating, Advocating a three in one event featuring international disability right activist Judy Heumann will be held on April 22-23,2019 at Millersville University](#)
- [2020 SEPSEA CONFERENCE will be held on May 21-22, 2020, at Bryant Conference Center in Tuscaloosa, Alabama](#)
- [Save the date for the fifth annual Regional Post-Secondary Inclusive College Program Summit that will be held on May 28, 2020 at the College of NJ in Ewing, NJ.](#)
- [AAIDD Annual Meeting will be held on June 1-4, 2020 at the Wyndham Grand Pittsburgh Downtown Hotel in Pittsburgh, PA](#)
- [National Down Syndrome Congress Annual Convention will be held on June 25, 2020 at the Hyatt Regency New Orleans in New Orleans, LA](#)
- [2020PA Community of Practice Transition Conference will be held on July 15 -16,2020 at the Penn StaterConference Center in State College PA](#)
- [STATE OF THE ART 2020 will be held on October 7-8, 2020 at the Sheraton Hotel Syracuse University in Syracuse NY](#)

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