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ICMA 2024 Schedule of Events

This color gray represents joint fellows class events.

**Please note we did our best to capture the alumni presenting but this may not be an exhaustive list.
DLLCC = David L. Lawrence Convention Center*

Saturday, September 21

Start	End	Event	Location
8:30 am	12:00 pm	Building High-performing Board-Manager Relations (<i>Micro-Certification Course</i>) Mike Letcher (MPA 1978)	DLLCC Room 316
10:15 am	11:15 am	Data Science for Social Good: Using Data to Implement a Proactive Response to Community Needs Penny Post oak Ferguson (MPA 1994)	DLLCC Room 403-405
10:15 am	11:15 am	Art of Assistant Leadership: It's Good to Be Number 2; Sharpening Your Skills and Filling Your Bucket as a Career ACAO Shelli Siemer (MPA 1995)	DLLCC Room 401-402
11:30 am	12:30 pm	Politics and Administration: Bridging the Gap (<i>Micro-Certification Course</i>) John Nalbandian (professor emeritus) and Michelle Ferguson (MPA 1998)	DLLCC Room 316
1:00 pm	5:00 pm	Politics and Administration: Bridging the Gap (<i>Micro-Certification Course</i>) John Nalbandian (professor emeritus) and Michelle Ferguson (MPA 1998)	DLLCC Room 316
3:15 pm	4:15 pm	How Effective Local Government and Police Leadership Relations Enhance Public Safety Strategies Sara Ott (MPA 2002)	DLLCC Ballrooms BC

Sunday, September 22

Start	End	Event	Location
9:15 am	10:15 am	Culture Wars Come Home: When Local Government Decision-making Becomes a Platform for Culture Wars and How to Work Through It Michael Walters Young (MPA 2003) and Eric Stuckey (MPA 1994)	DLLCC Ballrooms BC
10:00 am	10:45 am	Academic Symposium: Finding the Right Approach to Implementing Strategic Plans and Initiatives David Mitchell (MPA 2003)	The Westin Pittsburgh Room: Westmoreland Central
10:30 am	11:30 am	Rethinking Budgeting: How You Can Adapt Your Budget to Today's Challenges and Opportunities Craig Owens (MPA 1993)	DLLCC Room 310-311
12:00 pm	1:30 pm	2nd Year Fellows Reflections on Full-time Internships	DLLCC Room 322
1:30 pm	3:30 pm	General Session The Age of Infinity-Generative AI & Our Future <i>featuring Shawn Kanungo</i>	DLLCC Exhibit Hall A
6:00 pm	9:00 pm	KUCIMAT Reception <i>*Pre-Event Registration Required*</i>	Pick up is at DLLCC - see 'know before you go' email for details or KU table staff.

Monday, September 23

Start	End	Event	Location
8:30 am	9:30 am	Who Will Lead? Identifying, Inspiring, and Supporting the Next Generation of Police Leaders <i>Vince Davenport (MPA 2009)</i>	DLLCC Room 301-302
8:30 am	9:45 am	2nd Year Fellows City and County Management; differences, similarities, and collaboration	DLLCC Room 322
10:00 am	11:30 am	General Session Crossing the Generational Divide: Unexpected Discoveries and Practical Solutions <i>featuring Jason Dorsey</i>	DLLCC Exhibit Hall A
1:30 pm	2:30 pm	ELDON FIELDS COLLOQUIUM Restoring Trust in Democracy Through Narrative Leadership: The Critical Role of City/County Managers <i>Chris Koliba (KU Faculty)</i>	DLLCC Room 306-307
1:30 pm	2:30 pm	Building Strong and Resilient Cities in the United States in Times of Global Crisis from the Bottom Up Lori Luther (MPA 1997)	DLLCC Room 308
1:30 pm	2:30 pm	When #2's Move Up: A Ten-Year Reflection Penny Postoak Ferguson (MPA 1994)	DLLCC Room 303-305
4:00 pm	5:00 pm	KUCIMAT Board Meeting	DLLCC Room 322
4:00 pm	5:00 pm	Strategic Doing: Learn How to Fast Track and Hardwire Strategic Action into Your Organizational Culture Marilu Goodyear & Alex Terwilliger (PMC Staff)	DLLCC Room 406
4:00 pm	5:00 pm	How City/County Managers Can Survive (and Even Thrive) an Annual Performance Evaluation Jan Perkins (MPA 1976)	DLLCC Room 317
5:30 pm	7:30 pm	KACM/MCMA Reception <i>(Optional for 2nd Year Fellows but Recommended)</i>	Voodoo Brewing 337 N. Shore

Tuesday, September 24

Start	End	Event	Location
8:30 am	9:45 am	2nd Year Fellows Masters of the Profession: lessons from a seasoned local government manager, and collaboration	DLLCC Room 322
8:30 am	9:45 am	Local Government 2030: How to Create a Resilient Workforce <i>Jordan Jerkovich (MPA 2022)</i>	DLLCC Room 411-412
10:00 am	11:30 am	General Session How To Be a Great Leader and Also Have a Life <i>featuring Brigid Schulte</i>	DLLCC Exhibit Hall A
12:30 pm	2:45 pm	Coaching Elected Officials: A Nonconventional Approach <i>(Skill-Building Workshop)</i> Bill Ebel (MPA 2007)	DLLCC Room 321
2:00 pm	2:45 pm	The Declaration of Ideals and the Manager's Role in Community Leadership <i>Julia Novak (MPA 1988)</i>	DLLCC Room 315
2:00 pm	3:15 pm	Taking the Reins as a New City Manager in this New Century <i>Jan Perkins (MPA 1976) and Diane Stoddard (MPA 1995)</i>	DLLCC Room 308
2:00 pm	3:15 pm	Mission-driven Recruitment Sarah Alig (MPA 2015) and Dianne Miller (MPA 2002)	DLLCC Room 336
2:00 pm	3:15 pm	Working Across Systems to Address Homelessness <i>Penny Postoak Ferguson (MPA 1994)</i>	DLLCC Room 301-302
5:30 pm	6:45 pm	2nd Year Fellows Seminar Summary and ICMA Conference Wrap up	DLLCC Room 322
7:00 pm	9:00 pm	Fellows Joint Class Dinner	

Wednesday, September 25

Start	End	Event	Location
9:30 am	11:30 pm	Closing General Session Late Night Lessons on Leadership <i>featuring Lindsay Shookus</i>	DLLCC Exhibit Hall A