



A special focus track for attendees interested in learning more about higher education in Cuba and opportunities to build sustainable partnerships between U.S. and Cuban academic institutions.

### **SUNDAY, MAY 28, 8:00 A.M. – 6:00 P.M.**

- Partnering in the Americas: 100,000 Strong in the Americas Capacity-Building Workshop  
Discover best practices for developing partnerships to drive student mobility in the region. Presenters, including Innovative Fund grant recipients, will discuss leveraging networks to build partnerships, making the experience affordable, and participating in new Innovation Fund grant competitions.

### **MONDAY, MAY 29, 2:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.**

- Latin America Forum: Strategic Partnerships for Sustainable Development in Latin America  
Explore issues related to international partnerships and cooperation with Latin America. Latin American higher education leaders share innovative practices in the region and provide insight on how to develop sustainable and successful internationalization strategies and partnerships. Preregistration required.

### **WEDNESDAY, MAY 31, 2:45 P.M. – 3:45 P.M.**

- Session: Beyond Havana – International Partnerships with Cuban Universities, Universities outside of Havana are developing new, innovative relationships with U.S. and Canadian universities. This session features 3 Cuban presenters who share their experiences in managing and developing these higher education partnerships.

### **THURSDAY, JUNE 1, 9:30 A.M. – 10:30 A.M.**

- Session: Facilitating Education Diplomacy and Partnerships Building with Cuba, Officials from the U.S. Department of State and Embassy Havana will share experiences and best practices for facilitating programming and guiding communications to support education partnerships between Cuban and U.S. educational institutions. Representatives from Cuban institutions will provide different perspectives to create personal connectedness.

### **FRIDAY, JUNE 2, 10:00 A.M. – 11:15 A.M.**

- Session: Reflecting on the Cuban Education System as U.S. – Cuba Relations Improve, This session provides an overview of the educational system in Cuba and reviews the current changes. Learn strategies to detect unauthentic documents and gain a better understanding of the credentials available at various educational levels.