

# Conference Schedule

September 29 – October 1, 2026 · Gilbert, AZ

## Track & Room Key

Track A – Foundations · Atlas Auditorium

Track B – Specialty · Apollo Classroom

Track C – Strategic Leadership · Athena Classroom

Keynote · See session for room

☆ **ACE Credit** — session qualifies for continuing education credit

## Day 1 – Tuesday, Sep 29

16 sessions

🕒 8:00 AM  
– 9:00 AM

**Ceremony**

### Registration & Check-In

📍 Lobby

🕒 9:00 AM  
– 9:30 AM

**Ceremony**

### Opening Ceremony: Presentation of Colors by Honor Guard & Introductions

📍 Atlas Auditorium

🕒 9:30 AM  
– 10:30 AM

**Keynote** ☆ ACE Credit

### Keynote #1: Rules From the Road — How to Survive & Thrive through the Unfair, Unpredictable & Uncontrollable

Kwesi Millington

📍 Atlas Auditorium

🕒 10:30 AM  
– 10:45 AM

**Break**

### Morning Break

📍 All Rooms

🕒 10:45 AM  
– 12:00 PM

**Track A – Foundations**

### First Timers Orientation

Stacy Olson, Kim Schmitz, Jeana Johnson

📍 Atlas Auditorium

🕒 10:45 AM  
– 12:00 PM

**Track B – Specialty**

### The Weight of the Record: Resilience in High-Stakes

📍 Apollo Classroom

🕒 10:45 AM  
– 12:00 PM

**Track C – Strategic Leadership**

### Blueprint for Wellness – Creating Sustainable Organizational Programs

Maggie Baumgartner  
📍 Athena Classroom

🕒 12:00 PM  
– 1:15 PM

**Meal**  
**Lunch**  
📍 All Rooms

🕒 1:15 PM  
– 2:30 PM

**Track A – Foundations**  
**Leading from the Front**  
📍 Atlas Auditorium

🕒 1:15 PM  
– 2:30 PM

**Track B – Specialty**  
**Communications Course**  
📍 Apollo Classroom

🕒 1:15 PM  
– 2:30 PM

**Track C – Strategic Leadership**  
**Ethics & Professionalism for Assessors**  
📍 Athena Classroom

🕒 2:30 PM  
– 2:45 PM

Break  
**Afternoon Break**  
📍 All Rooms

🕒 2:45 PM  
– 3:45 PM

**Track A – Foundations**  
**Effective Strategies and Tools for Generating Agency Buy-In**  
📍 Atlas Auditorium

🕒 2:45 PM  
– 3:45 PM

**Track C – Strategic Leadership** ☆ ACE Credit  
**The Legal Shield: How Accreditation Protects Your Agency**  
📍 Athena Classroom

🕒 3:45 PM  
– 4:00 PM

**Ceremony**  
**Reflect & Realign: Preparing for Day 2**  
Stacy Olson  
📍 Atlas Auditorium

🕒 5:00 PM  
– 7:00 PM

**Social**  
**Evening Social Night**  
📍 All Rooms

## Day 2 – Wednesday, Sep 30

17 sessions

🕒 8:00 AM  
– 9:00 AM

**Keynote** ☆ ACE Credit  
**Keynote #2: Intentional Influence**  
Chief Deanna Cantrell (ret.)  
📍 Atlas Auditorium

🕒 9:00 AM  
– 10:00 AM

Track A – Foundations

### Leading from the Middle — Driving Change as a New Accreditation Manager

Lieutenant Beau Barber, Jeana Johnson

📍 Atlas Auditorium

🕒 9:00 AM  
– 10:00 AM

Track B – Specialty

### The Human Element of Compliance: Accountability in P&E and ECC

Kim Schmitz

📍 Apollo Classroom

🕒 9:00 AM  
– 10:00 AM

Track C – Strategic Leadership

### Identifying the Next Generation: Accreditation as a Leadership Incubator

📍 Athena Classroom

🕒 10:00 AM  
– 12:00 PM

Track A – Foundations

### ALEAP Commission Meeting & Hearings — Agency Awards

📍 Atlas Auditorium

🕒 10:00 AM  
– 11:00 AM

Track B – Specialty

### P&E Fundamentals: Inventory & Auditing

📍 Apollo Classroom

🕒 10:00 AM  
– 11:30 AM

Track C – Strategic Leadership ☆ ACE Credit

### Evidence-Based Policing Without the PhD

📍 Athena Classroom

🕒 11:00 AM  
– 12:00 PM

Track B – Specialty

### Emergency Communications Centers — Evaluating the Standards

📍 Apollo Classroom

🕒 12:00 PM  
– 1:15 PM

Meal

### Lunch

📍 fLZ9

🕒 1:15 PM  
– 2:30 PM

Track A – Foundations ☆ ACE Credit

### The Policy Blueprint: From Drafting to Implementation

📍 Atlas Auditorium

🕒 1:15 PM  
– 2:30 PM

Track B – Specialty

### Property & Evidence — Evaluating the Standards

📍 Apollo Classroom

🕒 1:15 PM  
– 2:30 PM

Track C – Strategic Leadership ☆ ACE Credit

### What You Do Matters — Lessons from the Holocaust (Part 1)

Chief Chris Olson

📍 Athena Classroom

🕒 2:30 PM  
– 2:45 PM

Break

### Afternoon Break

📍 All Rooms

🕒 2:45 PM  
– 3:45 PM

Track A – Foundations

### Law Enforcement — Evaluating the Standards

📍 Atlas Auditorium

🕒 2:45 PM  
– 3:45 PM

Track B – Specialty

### Mission Aligned Accreditation: Leveraging Sworn and Professional Staff Partnerships

Lieutenant Beau Barber, Kim Schmitz

📍 Apollo Classroom

🕒 2:45 PM  
– 3:45 PM

Track C – Strategic Leadership ☆ ACE Credit

### What You Do Matters — Lessons from the Holocaust (Part 2)

Chief Chris Olson

📍 Athena Classroom

🕒 3:45 PM  
– 4:00 PM

Ceremony

### Daily Download: Day 2 Review

📍 Atlas Auditorium

## Day 3 – Thursday, Oct 1

6 sessions

🕒 8:00 AM  
– 9:00 AM

Track C – Strategic Leadership ☆ ACE Credit

### CEO Panel Discussion — Mitigating Risk: The Executive's Case for ALEAP

📍 Athena Classroom

🕒 8:00 AM  
– 9:00 AM

Track A – Foundations

### Navigating Reaccreditation

📍 Atlas Auditorium

🕒 8:00 AM  
– 9:00 AM

Track B – Specialty

### CAPA Quarterly Meeting

CAPA

📍 Apollo Classroom

🕒 9:30 AM  
– 9:45 AM

Break

### Morning Break

📍 All Rooms

🕒 10:00 AM  
– 11:30 AM

Ceremony

### Question and Answer Roundtable

Stacy Olson

📍 Atlas Auditorium

🕒 11:30 AM  
– 12:00 PM

Ceremony

### ALEAP 2026: The Roadmap Ahead

📍 Atlas Auditorium

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