

Agenda

Baccalaureate Leadership Council - Fall 2026 Meeting

October 12th-October 13th, 2026

Hosted by
Centralia Community College
600 Centralia College Blvd.
Centralia, WA 98531
Building: TAC Room 105 B/C

Monday, October 12th, 2026 General Membership and Business Meeting
(For Business Meeting, all are welcome to attend, but only official voting members or proxies may vote.)

Monday, October 12th	Agenda Topic	Information/Lead
General Meeting		
8:00-8:45 am	Networking Light Refreshments - coffee/tea/pastries	Room 105
8:00-8:30 am	New Member Welcome	Tamra Gilchrist Tsai En Cheng Annie Garrett
9:00-9:15 am	Call to Order and Welcome Housekeeping ● Please Sign-in on the Attendance Form ● Check and Update the BLC Membership List Welcome from BLC Exec. Team & Campus Host Introduction of Attendees by College Review of Agenda	Room 105 Lead: BLC Chair and Exe.
9:15 -10:00 am	Introduction of 2026-2027 Workplan	Room 105 Lead: Tsai En Cheng

10:00 - 10:15	Break	
10:15 - Noon	Workgroup time ● Group/ Goal 1: Recruitment & Retention, Equity ● Group/ Goal 2: Articulation and System Alignment ● Goal 3/ Policy 1# Upper Division ● Goal 3/ Policy #2 Alternative/Reduced Credit Bachelor Degrees	Locations: TBD Leads: Policy #1: Skye Field & Vicki Chew Policy #2: TBD Articulation/System Alignment: Chris Mahoney Recruitment & Retention: Cristie Crawford/Shawna Blue Ron May
Noon - 12:15 pm	Break	
12:15 - 1:15 pm	Working Lunch - Committee Report out	Committee Leads
1:15 - 2:00 pm	Hot Topics	Leads: Tanya Powers, Annie Garrett, & Rebecca Jayasundara
Business Meeting Zoom (only available during this portion of the meeting 2:00-4:15pm):		
2:00 - 3:30 pm	Executive Committee Reports ● Chair: Tsai En Cheng ○ Spring BLC Meeting ○ BAS Conference 28 ● Treasurer: Cindy Walker	Room 105 Leads: BLC Chair and Exe.
	Voting Items ● Spring Meeting Minutes ● Executive Nominations and Elections	

	○ Vice-chair Other Business	
3:30 - 4:00 pm	Liaison Reports ● Instruction Commission (IC) - Connie Smejkal ● Workforce Education Council (WEC) - TBD ● Articulation and Transfer Council (ATC) - Chris Chen Mahoney ● Research and Planning Commission (RPC) - Kelley Sadler ● Library Leadership Council (LLC) - Christie Flynn	
4:00 - 4:15 pm	Preview of the next day Adjourn	

Tuesday, October 13th, 2026 - General Meeting continued and Joint Session with Workforce Education Council
(Presentations are still being finalized)

Tuesday, Oct. 13th	Agenda Topic	Information
8:00-8:45am	Breakfast & Networking (BLC & WEC)	Joint BLC/WEC
8:45-10:30 a.m.	Call to Order & Welcome ● Centralia College President Dr. Mohrbacher ● Statewide updates	BLC/WEC members
10:30-10:45 a.m.	Break	
10:45 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Joint featured session and morning wrap-up	BLC/WEC members
12:00 p.m. - 1:00pm	WEC working lunch	Available for BLC attendees who are attending the afternoon meeting
1:00 p.m. -	WEC featured session	TBD

BLC Resources:

[BLC Canvas page](#)

[BLC Listserv info page](#)

[SBCTC BLC page](#)

Fall Meeting Resources:**Reserve lodging by September 12**

Courtesy blocks are available at the Holiday Inn Express and Best Western Plus in Chehalis for \$110 per night plus tax. Attendees are responsible for making and paying for their own reservations. If you have any questions, please call the hotel directly and they will honor the discounted rate for Sunday, October 11th.

- [Holiday Inn Express & Suites Chehalis-Centralia | Booking Link](#)
- [Best Western Plus Park Place Inn & Suites Chehalis | Booking Link](#)

Additional Lodging

- La Quinta Inn & Suites: Call (360) 669-8110 and request the \$110 government rate for October 12–14. Availability is not guaranteed.
- [McMenamins Olympic Club](#): Rates are currently below per diem, but rooms have shared hallway bathrooms and the hotel is next to an active rail line.

Campus Map: [campus-map.pdf](#)

Parking: Parking at Centralia College is free, no permit required.

Upcoming Meetings:

- Winter 2026 - TBD
- Spring 2027- TBD