

CALL FOR PROPOSALS

SOUTH CAROLINA ORGANIZATION FOR STUDENT SUCCESS

43rd ANNUAL CONFERENCE



Friday, April 17, 2026

Greenville Technical College
506 S Pleasantburg Dr.
Greenville, SC 29607

This year's conference theme is emblematic of the fact that when anchored in student success education is the vessel that transports students from where they are to where they want to be. As advisors, coaches, teachers, administrators, and other guides in the field of student success, we help students chart their path, steer through storms, avoid hazards, identify beacons of light, stay on course, and navigate the waters of college and life. If you are passionate about student success, then plan to hoist sails, catch wind, voyage to Greenville, and drop anchor with SCOSS.

Call for Proposals

The SCOSS Program Committee welcomes any proposals on topics related to education, personal health, the joys of teaching, and the conference theme. Proposals should, however, be based on sound theoretical practices, research, and ongoing practices in the field of education.

Appropriate topics are not limited to but may include:

- Community building and belonging
- Self-efficacy, advocacy, and equity
- Self-awareness, stress management, and/or conflict resolution
- Instructional delivery techniques and technologies
- Student personal responsibility and study skills

- Teaching and learning techniques for struggling students
- Programs for non-native, L2, and translingual language users
- Learning support systems such as tutoring and coaching
- Methods to facilitate student success
- Advising and recruitment
- Internal and external institutional partnerships
- AI in the classroom and beyond

Concurrent Session Format: Forty-five (45) minutes is allotted for each presentation, including question and answer time. Sessions may include lectures/discussions, hands-on activities, panel presentations, demonstrations, and other effective methods.

Poster Presentation Format: Poster sessions will showcase visual representations highlighting creative approaches to services offered at your institution designed to anchor students in success during their academic development. Conference attendees can view posters and discuss the student services represented with presenters during the opening breakfast. Posters will be presented during lunch. Presenters will be stationed at their posters to explain and discuss their work during this time.

Procedure: Complete the electronic proposal form, including an abstract and session summary. Submit your proposal by using the link <https://forms.gle/Gh66bn6tjaa1x1EP8> or the QR Code below.

- Abstract: In approximately 200 words, describe your session.

Include (a) objectives, (b) content of your presentation, (c) application to the conference theme, and (d) summary of major points.

- Summary: Type a summary (maximum 50 words) with the title of the presentation and the name(s) of the presenters. If your proposal is accepted, this summary will appear in the program.

Deadline: March 6, 2026

Use the QR code or this link: <https://forms.gle/Gh66bn6tjaa1x1EP8>



A committee will review all proposals and contact you on or before March 13