

Schedule for 2025 Hybrid Conference

Time Zone 15: North America Eastern*

The Whova Conference Software will open in mid-April. Log in and explore our Virtual Conference website. Take our Conference Website Tour to make sure you know how to take advantage of everything the conference offers. Set up your Attendee Profile. Post discussion topics on the Community feature. Plan your time during the conference using the Agenda feature and add the sessions you wish to attend to.

Week 1: All Virtual on May 11 – 16, 6 rooms will be used for simultaneous sessions. The final number of the Session ID indicates the room number. Skill Builder and Career Practices sessions last 50 minutes. Research sessions last 25 minutes and 2 different research sessions are scheduled during a single 50-minute session ("a" and "b"). A 10-minute music break is offered between each 50-minute session. On the conference website, click on each room at each session time to find out what is offered in the room.

Time	Session ID	Event
Sunday, May 11, 2025		
09:00 – 09:30 pm	101	Orientation
09:30 – 10:00 pm	102	Opening Ceremony
10:00 – 10:50 pm	111 - 116	Breakout Session 1
11:00 – 11:50 pm	121 - 126	Breakout Session 2
Monday, May 12, 2025		
Midnight – 12:50 am	131 - 136	Breakout Session 3
01:00 – 01:50 am	144 - 146	BYOF* Special Sessions
Tuesday, May 13, 2025		
09:00 – 09:50 pm	201 - 203	BYOF* Special Sessions
10:00 – 10:50 pm	211 - 216	Breakout Session 4
11:00 – 11:50 pm	221 - 226	Breakout Session 5
Wednesday, May 14, 2025		
Midnight – 12:50 am	231 - 236	Breakout Session 6
01:00 – 01:50 am	244 - 246	BYOF* Special Sessions
Thursday, May 15, 2025		
09:00 – 09:50 pm	301 - 303	BYOF* Special Sessions
10:00 – 10:50 pm	311 - 316	Breakout Session 7
11:00 – 11:50 pm	321 - 326	Breakout Session 8
Friday, May 16, 2025		
Midnight – 12:50 am	331 - 336	Breakout Session 9
01:00 – 01:50 am	344 - 346	BYOF* Special Sessions

* BYOF = Bring Your Own Food and beverages

Week 2: Zhengzhou University, Zhengzhou, China, May 22 – 26. All morning sessions will be plenary sessions. Presentations in the morning each day are both in-person and broadcast to our virtual attendees. The afternoon and evening activities will not be broadcast.

Time	Session ID	Event
Thursday, May 22, 2025		
10:00 pm – 01:00 am (May 23)	411	PDI 1: Unlocking Career Potential: A Live Demonstration for Practitioners by Dr. Kevin Glavin
Friday, May 23, 2025		
09:00 – 09:15 pm	511	Opening and welcome
09:15 – 10:10 pm	512	Keynote 1: AI-Driven Career Design for a Brighter Future by Dr. Kevin Glavin
10:15 – 10:45 pm	521	Keynote 2: Career Development in the Age of AI: Findings from the China Higher Education Employability Blue Paper AI by Dr. Fan Hongmin
10:45 – 11:00 pm		Coffee break

11:00 – 11:20 pm	531	Keynote 3: Promoting Career Education Curriculum Development in Higher Education with a Focus on Meaning Construction by <i>Dr. Qiao Zhihong</i>
11:25 – 11:55 pm	541	Keynote 4: Navigating the Disrupted Path: Cultivating Lifelong Learning for a Changing Workforce by <i>Dr. Wang Jianhua</i>
Saturday, May 24, 2025		
Midnight – 12:30 am	551	Keynote 5: Future Talent Development Landscape from the Perspective of Industry Trends and Technological Development by <i>Miss Smilla Yuan</i>
12:30 – 12:40 am	561	Closing Remarks
09:00 – 09:20 pm	611	Awards Ceremony
09:20 – 10:25 pm	621	Panel Discussion: Inspiring the "lying flat" generation to move towards the future with a positive and proactive attitude, Introduction and Part 1
10:25 – 10:40 pm		Coffee break
10:40 pm – 12:30 am (May 25)	622	Panel Discussion: Part 2 and Summary
Sunday, May 25, 2025		
12:30 – 01:00 am	631	Virtual Closing Ceremony
10:00 pm – 01:00 am (May 26)	711	PDI 2: Leadership in Career Development by <i>Allan Gatenby</i>