Schedule for 2025 Hybrid Conference
Time Zone 14: North America Maritime*

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		
10:00 – 10:30 pm	101	Orientation
10:30 – 11:00 pm	102	Opening Ceremony
11:00 – 11:50 pm	111 - 116	Breakout Session 1
Monday, May 12, 2025		
Midnight – 12:50 am	121 - 126	Breakout Session 2
01:00 – 01:50 am	131 - 136	Breakout Session 3
02:00 – 02:50 am	144 - 146	BYOF* Special Sessions
Tuesday, May 13, 2025		
10:00 – 10:50 pm	201 - 203	BYOF* Special Sessions
11:00 – 11:50 pm	211 - 216	Breakout Session 4
Wednesday, May 14, 2025		
Midnight – 12:50 am	221 - 226	Breakout Session 5
01:00 – 01:50 am	231 - 236	Breakout Session 6
02:00 – 02:50 am	244 - 246	BYOF* Special Sessions
Thursday, May 15, 2025		
10:00 – 10:50 pm	301 - 303	BYOF* Special Sessions
11:00 – 11:50 pm	311 - 316	Breakout Session 7
Friday, May 16, 2025		
Midnight – 12:50 am	321 - 326	Breakout Session 8
01:00 – 01:50 am	331 - 336	Breakout Session 9
02:00 – 02:50 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		
11:00 pm – 02:00 am (May 23)	411	PDI 1: **Unlocking Career Potential: A Live Demonstration for Practitioners** by *Dr. Kevin Glavin*
Friday, May 23, 2025		
10:00 – 10:15 pm	511a	Opening and Welcome
10:15 – 11:10 pm	511b	Keynote 1: **AI-Driven Career Design for a Brighter Future** by *Dr. Kevin Glavin*
11:10 – 11:40 pm	521	Keynote 2: **Promoting Career Education Curriculum Development in Higher Education with a Focus on Meaning Construction** by *Dr. Qiao Zhihong*
11:40 – 11:55 pm	532 - 536	Tea break & Virtual Poster Sessions
11:55 pm –12:15 am (May 24)	531b	Keynote 3: **21st Century Core Competencies and Career Development** by *Dr. John Lee Chi-Kin*

Saturday, May 24, 2025		
12:15 – 12:45 am	541	Keynote 4: **Navigating the Disrupted Path: Cultivating Lifelong Learning for a Changing Workforce** by *Dr. Wang Jianhua*
12:45 – 01:15 am	551	Keynote 5: **Future Talent Development Landscape from the Perspective of Industry Trends and Technological Development** by *Miss Smilla Yuan*
01:15 – 01:45 am	561	Keynote 6: **Career Development in the Age of AI: Findings from the China Higher Education Employability Blue Paper AI** by *Dr. Fan Hongmin*
01:45 – 02:00 am	571	Closing Remarks
02:00 – 03:30 am	582 - 584	Lunch in-person & Virtual BYOF* Special Sessions
10:00 – 10:20 pm	611	Awards Ceremony
10:20 – 11:40 pm	621	Panel Discussion: **Inspiring the "lying flat" generation to move towards the future with a positive and proactive attitude,** *Introduction and Part 1*
11:40 pm – Midnight	632 - 636	Tea break & Virtual Poster Sessions
Midnight – 01:30 am (May 25)	641	Panel Discussion: *Part 2 and Summary*
Sunday, May 25, 2025		
01:30 – 02:00 am	651	Virtual Closing Ceremony
11:00 pm – 02:00 am (May 26)	711	PDI 2: **Future-Ready Leadership: Mastering the Art of People and Innovation** by *Allan Gatenby*