

IACRAO 2026

NORTHERN DISTRICTS SPRING MEETING



Friday, March 27, 2026



9:30 AM – 2:30 PM



Elmhurst University, IL



Agenda:

9:30 AM: Welcome and Introductions

10:00 AM: Opening Speaker “How Admissions and Registrar Shape the Student Experience” - Eric Ruiz, Director of First-Year Admission, Elmhurst University (50 min)

11:00 AM: Continuing the Conversation: A Roundtable Discussion (50 min)

12:00 PM: Lunch and School Swag Exchange

1:00 PM: Campus Tour (optional)

1:30 PM: Birds of a Feather (50 min)

2:30 PM: Closing

Hosted by Jessica Gonzalez (Elmhurst University)
and Matthew Werstler (Northern Illinois University)

Please confirm your attendance and any dietary restrictions by RSVPing in the link provided. If you would like to participate in the swag exchange, kindly bring one item of school-branded merchandise. We look forward to seeing you there!

Directions and parking instructions will be provided to registrants in a separate email.