

## **Announcement: ACE Women's Network of Florida Info Session – April 19, 2018**

Are you interested in pursuing leadership development opportunities in higher education?

Then attend the ACE Women's Network of Florida open meeting on April 19, 8-9 a.m., at the Rinker Environmental Learning Center (RELC). Please [RSVP](#).

Stetson University is a proud member of the ACE Women's Network of Florida. As such, we are hosting an on campus open meeting for faculty and staff women in our community who have a professional goal to serve in executive level roles in higher education. At this session, we will share more about the Network and collect information on the goals and needs of the attendees.

The ACE Women's Network is a national system of networks within each state with the goal of advancing and supporting women in pursuing higher education leadership. ACE aims to develop programs that identify, develop, encourage, advance, link and support (IDEALS) women in higher education careers.

For more information on the meeting, contact [Lua Hancock](#) or [Rosalie Richards](#). For more information on ACE Women's Network, [visit the website](#).

- 8:00-8:05:** Guests get settled (donuts, fruit, juice, coffee, water)
- 8:05-8:15:** Breathing exercise (Lua)  
Get to know your neighbor in a way that makes this different than just another meeting
- 8:15-8:20:** What is ACE? (Rosalie; very quickly – PPT)  
What is AAUW? (Carol Buckels)  
Point out that we have a parking lot on the wall for people to list any ways they know of that Stetson is specifically engaging women towards leadership – women's lead floor, gen W conference, NOW, HERS, etc.) (Lua; will bring flip chart and markers)
- 8:20-8:45:** Open conversation of what would be the most helpful in supporting your leadership goals as a woman (Rosalie)  
*[15 mins think-group-share; 10 mins share-out on Post-Its followed and conversation]*
- 8:45-8:55:** Work on creation of your board of directors with your neighbor using a mind map chart (Lua to provide an example).  
Make a smart goal and get the contact info of your accountability partner