



**IMLS Grants to States All States Conference**  
September 18-19, 2024  
Hilton Milwaukee City Center, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor Crystal Ballroom

**Agenda**

(all times are Central unless noted otherwise)

Virtual New Attendee Orientation: Wednesday, September 11 at 3pm Eastern Time

**Day 1: Wednesday, September 18**

8:45 – 9:00am	Optional New Attendee/IMLS Introductions (Oak Room, 5 <sup>th</sup> Floor)
9:00 – 9:45am	Welcome and Preliminaries (Crystal Ballroom, 5 <sup>th</sup> Floor) Teri DeVoe (IMLS) Dr. Darrell Williams (Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction)
9:45 – 10:15am	Regulatory Updates for Grants Administration
10:15 – 10:30am	Break
10:30 – 12:00pm	Revisiting Allowable Costs
12:00 – 1:30pm	Lunch on your own
1:30 – 2:15pm	CARES Act/ARPA Evaluation: Sharing the Findings Lisa Hechtman (IMLS), Emily Plagman (IMLS)
2:15 – 3:00pm	Analysis of Grants to States' Project Reports Office of Research & Evaluation (IMLS)
3:00 – 3:15pm	Break
3:15 – 4:00pm	IMLS Learning Agenda Matt Birnbaum (IMLS), Emily Plagman (IMLS)
4:00 – 4:15pm	Follow up to the Future of the State Program Report (SPR): Revisiting Outcomes Matt Birnbaum (IMLS), Teri DeVoe (IMLS)
4:15 – 4:45pm	Day 1 Wrap Up, Announcements, Recognition
4:45 – 6:00pm	State Networking Activity (OPTIONAL)
6:00 – 6:30pm	“Office Hours” with Program Officers and IMLS staff (OPTIONAL – sign up)

**Day 2: Thursday, September 19**

7:30 – 9:00am	“Office Hours” with Program Officers and IMLS staff (OPTIONAL – sign up)
9:00 – 9:15am	Reflection from Day 1, Day 2 Overview
9:15 – 10:00am	IMLS Updates Cyndee Landrum, Acting Director (IMLS)
10:00 – 10:30am	Break
10:30 – 11:30am	Financial Bootcamp (MOE, Match, Administrative Costs)
11:30 – 12:00pm	Monitoring Best Practices
12:00 – 1:30pm	Lunch on your own
1:30 – 3:00pm	State Perspectives: Lightning Talks and Small Group Discussions Chris Guerra (AZ), Chris Gauvreau (CT), Stephanie Bailey-White (ID), Karren Reish (MI), Maura Walsh (NJ), Nicolette Baffoni (RI), Erica McCormick (TX)
3:00 – 3:15pm	Conference Wrap-up and Closing Remarks