

**International Association for Truancy and Dropout Prevention- IATDP  
111th Conference October 15-18, 2023  
San Antonio, Texas**

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**October 14, 2023- Saturday**

4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. IATDP Pre-Conference Executive Meeting- Guadalupe

**October 15, 2023- Sunday**

4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. *Conference Registration Open*

4:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. Texas Association for Truancy and Dropout Prevention (TATDP Board of Directors Meeting- Trinity

**General Session San Antonio 1 & 2**

6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Welcome/Conference Charge- IATDP President Tony Terry

**Opening Speaker: Vincent Robinson** Co-Founder of Hessed Ministries Helotes, Texas

7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. President's Reception –  
Meet and Greet/Drinks and Eats  
Live Entertainment- *Piano Sing-Along Show Louie Juarez  
Songs from the 1950's- present- pop, country, rock*

**October 16, 2023- Monday**

8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. *Conference Registration Open*

**Opening Session San Antonio 1 & 2**

9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. **Keynote Speaker: Hedy Chang Attendance Works**  
San Francisco, California

Break

10:45 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Incorporating Community and Business Leaders in the Mission-  
Jason St. Pierre and students- Walker High School, Walker  
Louisiana

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**11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.** LUNCH on your own/Visit the Vendors/Networking  
*IATDP Board of Directors Lunch Guadalupe*

**1:00 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.** **Concurrent Session #1**

*San Antonio 1- A Call to Action: The Role and Impact of a Graduation Coach for Secondary Students Dr. Jeryl Kimbrough-Scott Graduation Coach Williamsburg James City County Schools, Williamsburg Virginia*

*San Antonio 2- Positive Youth Development in Juvenile Justice and Diversion Practices- Leanna Brown Faulkner County Conway, Arkansas*

*Trinity- "Where are Our Students?" Tiered Actionable Strategies to Address Chronic Absenteeism- Dr. Sharon Bradley RestorativeFlo Educational Solutions Plano Independent School District, Plano Texas*

*Medina- Hearing Officer Certification Training Session #1 (4 sessions total required- limited space 45 participants) Dr. Thomas Cothorn- School Leadership Coach*

**2:00 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.** **Concurrent Session #2**

*San Antonio 1- Beyond Interventions: Focusing on Students' Stories for Accelerated Outcomes Brenda Payne Assistant Superintendent Emeritus Richardson Independent School District, Richardson Texas*

*San Antonio 2- Combating Truancy: It Takes a Village- Thomasena Stuckett- Shelby County School District- Memphis, Tennessee*

*Trinity- Attendance Intervention: Transitioning from Punitive to Proactive- Pam Gould Assistant Director at Office of Student Advocacy- Northside Independent School District San Antonio, Texas*

*Medina- Hearing Officer Certification Training Session #2*

**3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.** **IATDP Business Meeting/Elections/Door Prizes- San Antonio 1/2**

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**October 17, 2023- Tuesday**

*8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Conference Registration*

**9:00 a.m.- 9:45 a.m.**

**Concurrent Session #3**

*San Antonio 1- Beyond Interventions: Focusing on Students' Stories for Accelerated Outcomes  
Brenda Payne Assistant Superintendent Emeritus Richardson Independent School District,  
Richardson Texas REPEAT SESSION*

*San Antonio 2- "Where are Our Students?" Tiered Actionable Strategies to Address Chronic  
Absenteeism- Dr. Sharon Bradley RestorativeFlo Educational Solutions Plano Independent School  
District, Plano Texas REPEAT SESSION*

*Trinity- Whole Team Buy-In for Timely Student Interventions Turn into Provable Success- Myra  
Castaneda Galena Park Independent School District, Houston Texas*

*Medina- Hearing Officer Certification Training Session #3*

**10:00 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.**

**Concurrent Session #4**

*San Antonio 1- A Call to Action: The Role and Impact of a Graduation Coach for Secondary  
Students Dr. Jeryl Kimbrough-Scott Graduation Coach Williamsburg James City County Schools,  
Williamsburg Virginia REPEAT SESSION*

*San Antonio 2- Mindset Matters Mandy Benedix- Owner Rooted Together and Mentor Specialist  
Pearland Independent School District, Pearland Texas*

*Trinity- Jayne Demsky The School Avoidance Alliance*

*Medina- Hearing Officer Certification Training Session #4*

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**General Session San Antonio 1 & 2**

- 11:00 a.m.- 12:00 p.m.**      **Keynote Speaker Dr. Tommie Mabry-** Motivational speaker and master storyteller, Jackson, Mississippi
- 12:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.**      IATDP Awards Luncheon
- 1:45 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.**      Principal Kim Darden PACE Center- Prepare, Persist, and Prevail- Pearland Independent School District, Pearland Texas
- 2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.**      Texas Association of School Administrators (TASA) Deputy Exec. Director, Advocacy/Former Superintendent/- Dr. Brian Woods, Austin Texas
- 3:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.**      Networking/Last Chance to Visit the Vendors

**October 18, 2023- Wednesday**

**9:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.**      **Concurrent Session #5**

*San Antonio 1- Attendance Intervention: Transitioning from Punitive to Proactive- Pam Gould Assistant Director at Office of Student Advocacy- Northside Independent School District San Antonio, Texas REPEAT SESSION*

*Trinity- Whole Team Buy-In for Timely Student Interventions Turn into Provable Success- Myra Castaneda Galena Park Independent School District, Houston Texas REPEAT SESSION*

*Medina- Attendance and Dropout Prevention- The Pearland Way- Susan Holloway, Robert Galan, Lisa Cisneros, and Nicole Evans- Pearland Independent School District, Pearland Texas*

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**Closing Session San Antonio 1 & 2**

10:00 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	Speaker Joe Madison- Demand Disruption Human Trafficking Prevention
10:45 a.m.- 11:45 a.m.	Closing Keynote Speaker Mandy Benedix- The Power of One More
11:45 a.m. - 12:00 a.m.	Closing Remarks/Door Prizes

Tentative