



**Pat Whitely**  
**Board Chair**  
**Board of Directors Report**  
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## NASPA Mission

To be the principal source for leadership, scholarship, professional development, and advocacy for student affairs.

## Leadership

- Convened with Kevin Kruger, Stephanie Gordon, and Paulette Dalpes at the first ever Community Colleges Summit in New York City on October 2 and 3.
- Worked with the NASPA Executive Committee of the NASPA Board and Quint Associates to conduct a compensation analysis with the goal of presenting to President Kevin Kruger.
- Worked with the NASPA Board of Directors and NASPA Staff updating our new three year strategic plan for review in the December 2014 Board Meeting.
- Presented President Kevin Kruger with a new contract, pending approval from the Board of Directors in December, effective March 2015.

## Scholarship

- Nothing to report at this time.

## Professional Development

- Attended and spoke about NASPA at the following conferences:
  - NASPA Western Regional Conference, November 10 and 11, Anaheim, California

- NASPA Region IV-West, November 11 and 12, Albuquerque, New Mexico
- Worked with NASPA staff in the NASPA Office in Washington, DC, from October 8-10 to select conference programs for the 2015 NASPA Annual Conference in New Orleans, entitled “Navigating with Courage”.

## Advocacy

- Continue to work with President Kruger on issues of sexual assault education and violence prevention.
- Worked with President Kruger on crafting a statement about our strong position regarding guns on campus with 15 other higher education organizations in Washington, DC, including ACPA, ACUI, ASJA, ACUHO-I, etc.
- Worked with President Kruger and Stephanie Gordon in the offering of an Ebola webinar in early November.