Sunday, September 13th

4:30 – 7:30pm  Registration
5:00 – 5:30pm  New Attendee Orientation
5:00 – 7:30pm  Welcome Reception
7:30 – 9:00pm  Dinner on Your Own/Hospitality Room

Monday, September 14th

7:30 – 8:30am  Breakfast/Registration & Networking
8:30 – 8:45am  Opening Greetings
8:45 – 10:00am  Keynote One: Walk in My Shoes: A Human-Centered Approach to Business Innovation
                 Presenter: Andi Witczak, Kansas State-Olathe, Design Thinker in Residence
10:00—10:15am  Break
10:15—11:00am  Keynote One: …continued
                 Presenter: Andi Witczak, Design Thinker in Residence, Kansas State University-Olathe
11:10—12:10pm  **Session 1:** RFP Technical Evaluation  
Presenter: Nancy Brooks, Director of Purchasing, Iowa State University

**Session 2:** Procurement & Payables: A Strategic Partnership  
Presenter: Barry Swanson, Chief Procurement Officer, University of Kansas

12:15—1:15pm  Lunch

1:15—2:15pm  **Session 3:** Purchasing 101….the Basics  
Presenter: Cathy Simonds, Client Relations Manager, University of Missouri

**Session 4:** Innovators Forum  
Presenter: Melanie Freeman, Manager, Education & Training, NAEP

2:15—2:45pm  Break

2:45—3:45pm  **Session 5:** ipad Beginner  
Presenter: Houcine Chraibi, Software Licensing Manager, University of Nebraska-Lincoln

**Session 6:** How a Supply Chain’s Value Analysis Program Reshaped Expenses by $10M  
Presenter: Tony Hall, Chief Procurement Officer, University of Missouri

4:00—5:00pm  **Session 7:** ipad Advanced  
Presenter: Houcine Chraibi, Software Licensing Manager, University of Nebraska-Lincoln

**Session 8:** e-procurement Innovations  
Presenter: K.T. Nelson, Manager Procurement Services, University of Nebraska-Medical Center
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2:45—3:45pm  **Session 13**: Electronic Bidding  
Presenter: Sara Luther, Sourcing Manager, University of Nebraska-Lincoln

**Session 14**: Uniform Guidance  
Presenter: Al Brooks, Director of Research/Major Contract, Iowa State University

3:45—4:00pm  Break

4:00—5:00pm  **Round Tables**—Large & Small Schools

5:30—9:30pm  **Supplier Exhibition** with hors d’oeuvres

9:30—11:00pm  Hospitality Room

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**Wednesday, September 16th**

7:30—8:30am  Breakfast

8:30—9:30am  **Keynote Three**: Memory Power  
Presenter: Paul Mellor, author, Success Links

9:45—10:45am  **Session 15**: Mentoring Program  
Presenter: Karen Harthorn, Associate Vice President of Procurement, University of St. Thomas; Nicole McCoid, Manager Procurement Systems, University of Nebraska-Lincoln

**Session 16**: Purchasing Dashboard  
Presenter: Renee Funk, Senior Sourcing Agent, University of Iowa

11:00—12:00pm  **Business Meeting/Closing Comments**