



WASA SEPTEMBER 26–28 | 2021

Fall Conference

Permission to Feel... Permission to Lead

September 26, 2021

12:45–3:30 p.m. e-Bike Tour (optional, pre-register)
5–6 p.m. Reception (Terrace)

September 27, 2021

6–7 a.m. Walk with WASA (meet at entrance)
7:45–8:30 a.m. Breakfast (Centennial Ballroom)
8:30–8:45 a.m. Welcome
8:45–8:55 a.m. Dr. Michaela Miller
OSPI's Vision for SEL
9–10:30 a.m. Keynote Dr. Marc Brackett
Author of "Permission to Feel"
10:30–10:45 a.m. Break
10:45–11:15 a.m. Keynote Dr. Stephen Bond
Author of "Perseverance in a Strange Land"
11:15 a.m.–12 p.m. Keynote Houston Kraft
Leading with Empathy
12–1 p.m. Lunch
1–2:15 p.m. Eric Bruns & Kelcey Schmitz
From Evidence to Impact: What Does Research Tell
Us About School Mental Health?
2:15–2:30 p.m. Break
2:30–3:45 p.m. Susan Barrett
The Way Forward: Leveraging MTSS for Effective
School Mental Health
5–6 p.m. Reception
6 p.m. Dinner and Celebrating Helene Paroff

September 28, 2021

7:45–8:30 a.m. Breakfast (Centennial Ballroom)
8:30–8:45 a.m. Welcome
8:45–10 a.m. Tom Hierck
Author of "Trauma-Sensitive Instruction"
10–10:15 a.m. Break
10:15–11:45 a.m. Tom Hierck Continues
11:45 a.m.–12 p.m. Closing and Boxed Lunches