



2026 CONVOCATION

THE AMERICAN DREAM: IT'S POSSIBLE



DAY 1

Monday, Aug. 10

Who: All faculty and staff

Where: Wildstein Center

8:30-9:20 a.m. Breakfast hosted by the SFSC Foundation

9:30-9:45 a.m. Welcome Remarks by DBOT Chair Terry Atchley

9:45-10 a.m. President's Address

10-10:10 a.m. VP Updates

10:10-10:30 a.m. HR Announcements

10:30-10:35 a.m. AFC Update

10:35-10:45 a.m. Foundation Update

10:45-10:50 a.m. United Way Rep

10:50-11 a.m. Preview of Keynote

11 a.m. Lunch on your own

Division Meetings

1:30-3 p.m. Applied Sciences and Technologies, UC Auditorium

1:30-3 p.m. Arts and Sciences, B-112

1:30-3 p.m. Health Sciences, HSC-138/150

3:15-4:30 p.m. Faculty Council, B-112

DAY 2

Tuesday, Aug. 11

8:45 a.m.-noon New Hire Orientation, CIT (by invitation)

2-3 p.m. Faculty News and Updates, CIT

3:30-4:30 p.m. AFC Meeting, CIT and Zoom

Meeting ID: 253 643 2078

Password: 571277

DAY 3

Friday, Aug. 14

Who: All students, faculty, and staff

Where: Wildstein Center

10:30 a.m. Doors Open to Crossfire Creek

11-11:10 a.m. Opening Remarks

11:10 a.m.-12:20 p.m. Keynote

Presentation: "The Golden Thread: Weaving the American Dream through Education" by Dr. Christie Bassett

12:20-1 p.m. Complimentary All-American Grab-and-Go Lunch and Ice Cream

🎵 **Community Concert** 🎵

7 p.m. Country/Rock Music Concert by Crossfire Creek. Free admission to students and staff with convocation wristband or College I.D.

