



MASFAP September 2024 Communication

MASFAP Conference Update

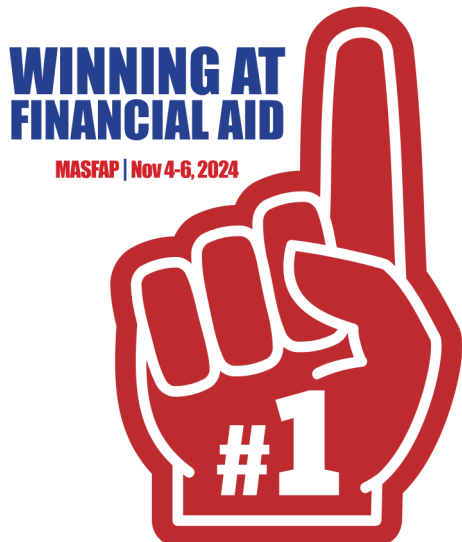


Register NOW for our Annual Conference at <https://www.masfap.org/> (along the right side of the page)! This is a must-attend conference for financial aid professionals in Missouri! Conference tentative agenda is located at [here](#)! In addition to the state and federal updates, sessions include data sharing, return to repayment, VA, gainful employment, sessions on SAI, FWS, and more! And we're having a MASFAP election watch event.

Since this conference falls during a national election, please plan to vote early in order to ensure your voice is heard and your vote is counted. Here is some information regarding Missouri's early voting process:

The general Missouri Secretary of State voting page can be found here: <https://www.sos.mo.gov/elections>

Early Voting, known as Absentee Voting, instructions can be found here: <https://www.sos.mo.gov/elections/goVoteMissouri/howtovote#absentee>



H.S. Counselor Workshops

MASFAP's Early Awareness Committee is hosting **14 in-person** high school counselor workshops across the state. In addition to the in-person workshops, MASFAP is partnering with MOCAN to also offer virtual workshops for high school counselors.

High school counselors can register for these events on MASFAP's website at: <https://www.masfap.org/workshops>

Do you have high school counselor contacts? Please help spread the word and encourage counselors to register for these free trainings!

MASFAP Scholarship Open

MASFAP's Who's Making a Difference Scholarship application is open now until October 15! We are awarding five scholarships this year, and we share the scholarship opportunity at the high school counselor workshops. Spread the word—seniors in high school may apply on [My Scholarship Central](#) and here is the direct link to apply:

[MASFAP Who's Making A Difference Scholarship \(The Missouri Association of Student Financial Aid Personnel\) - Scholarship Central \(academicworks.com\)](#)

MASFAP on Social Media

If you are on LinkedIn and/or X, please connect with us in social media! Follow us on LinkedIn @MASFAP and X/Twitter @MoASFAP. Starting up now through the fall you will see fun posts from MASFAP's Early Awareness Committee from our workshops that will be held all over the state. And lots of posts from our amazing conference in November. With so much happening—go follow the action!