

# \*\*\*BELOW PLEASE FIND THE SCHEDULE FOR TIES 2016. CHECK BACK SOON FOR UPDATES ABOUT TIES 2017\*\*\*

## 2016 Virginia Transgender Information & Empowerment Summit (TIES) Conference Schedule October 22, 2016 – VCU Student Commons

Time	James River Terrace	Commons Theater	Virginia Room AB	Virginia Room C	Virginia Room D	Richmond Salon 1 & 2	Richmond Salon 3	Richmond Salon 4	Common Ground
8:45-9:30	Registration								
9:45-10:45	Community Voices: Resources and Groups from Across Virginia		Inside Scoop	MTF Gender Confirming Surgery Updates!	Trans-masculine Roundtable**	What Does Gender Queer Mean? Exploring Non-binary Gender Identities	Justice in the Search for Sage Smith	Race and Gender: Navigating the Intersection of Identities	
11:00-12:00			Stories for Change!	FTM Gender Confirming Surgery Updates!	Trans-feminine Roundtable**	Non-binary Experience: Panel Discussion	Partners of Trans* Folks Open Caucus Space	Anti-Violence and Trans People of Color	
LUNCH BREAK									
1:00-2:00		America's Next Top Ally! Supporting the Trans People in Your Life	Facilitating Peer-led Support Groups				End-of-Life Planning 101		
2:15-3:15		The Brain on Trauma: Understanding Violence's Consequences on our Mind, Body, and Community	Housing & Homelessness Roundtable	Trans-feminine Partner Support Group**	Trans-masculine Partner Support Group**	The Rights of Transgender Students and Employees Under Federal Law**	Mental Health Resource Center	Mental Health Resource Center	Name and Gender Marker Change Clinic
3:30-4:30		Experiencing Peace	Healthcare and Insurance Access			Public Benefits 101			
4:45-5:15		Closing Remarks							

\*\* This denotes a closed session. Please refer to the program for more information