

ELD Unconference Guide



The Unconference is a forum that allows more informal discussions on topics of interest to the ELD members and a podium for presentations that did not make it into the ASEE conference program.

What to expect :

- ❖ The Unconference includes a continental breakfast, a session for agenda setting, two breakout sessions (one in the morning, one in the afternoon), group discussion regarding upcoming ABET changes, lunch/Museum tour and a wrap-up session.
- ❖ The morning breakout session is reserved for 15 minutes presentations on topics proposed by ELD members. Presentations were accepted based on title alone and involve no peer-review.
- ❖ The afternoon breakout session is reserved for discussion groups convened based on topics of interest. The discussion groups will meet for 15 minutes time slots, followed by a 5 minute break to allow for group rotation.
- ❖ Topics in the afternoon sessions include but are not be limited to suggestions submitted during event registration. New topics suggestions are also accepted and the final selection will be done by general vote.
- ❖ For each accepted topic, a coordinator/moderator will be elected at the time of topic voting. The coordinator will be expected to keep track of the time. They are also responsible for presenting a 5 minute succinct summary of the discussion during the concluding session. The coordinator is also expected to submit a written version of the summary to the event organizers for posting on the ELD Unconference webpage.
- ❖ The wrap-up session will allow for 3-5 minutes of discussion on the group summaries.

9:00 - 9:30 am	Continental Breakfast and Networking - Breakfast sponsored by SPIE
9:30 -10:00 am	Welcome and Agenda Setting
10:00 – 11:00 am	Unconference Session 1: Presentations
11:00- 11:45 am	Impact of ABET Changes
11:45 - 1:00 pm	Lunch Buffet and Self-guided Museum Tours
1:00-2:30 pm	Unconference Session 2: Rotating Discussion Groups
2:30 – 3:00 pm	Wrap-up Session: Discussion Summaries