

# 2025 AGB Institute for Board Leaders and Chief Executives of Public Universities and Systems

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**The most important relationship for effective governance is between the board chair and the chief executive.** To succeed, both must commit their time and talents to work as partners for the institution and the students who benefit from that service. At the AGB Institute for Board Leaders and Chief Executives of Public Universities and Systems, participants are empowered with the skills, strategies, and insights needed to effectively govern and lead in today's changing higher education environment.

## Escape from Daily Distractions and Focus on Your Shared Vision

Step away from the day to day, engage in shared planning, and benefit from expert guidance. The institute program is structured to ensure each team develops a unique “governance action plan” as the primary product of its collaboration onsite. Leadership teams attend to:

- » **Set clear and aligned strategic goals** to advance the institution or system, including identifying specific priorities to guide board activities.
- » **Develop plans to improve board effectiveness** and ensure the board adds value by focusing on the identified priorities.
- » **Create a mutual plan of action** with specific activities and deliverables to ensure strong collaboration and partnership when they return to their institutions or systems.

## Highly Engaging and Small by Design

AGB's renowned institutes are limited to a small number of teams and are for members only—so you get the attention you need. Participants value this intimate setting as well as:

- » **A contemplative environment** suited for focused learning and action planning
- » **Lively, facilitated small group sessions** that reveal best practices and innovations in governance and examples of effective strategies from other institutions
- » **Chair-president team meetings** interspersed throughout the program and one-on-one consultations for added guidance

Participants will depart having strengthened their team, found answers to emerging challenges, and created a focused agenda that creates alignment and momentum for moving the institution or system forward.

A digital certificate and badge are conveyed upon program completion.

## JOIN THE RANKS ...

**... of public institute attendees who have benefited from AGB's century-long history of serving board chairs and presidents.**

Arizona Board of Regents  
Bowling Green State University  
California State University System  
Central State University  
Clark Atlanta University  
Colorado Mountain College  
Colorado State University System  
Connecticut Board of Regents for Higher Ed.  
Florida Atlantic University  
Governors State University  
Grand Valley State University  
Grant MacEwan University  
Idaho State Board of Education  
Iowa Board of Regents  
Lakehead University  
Minnesota State Colleges and Universities  
Morgan State University  
New Jersey City University  
New Mexico State University  
North Carolina State University  
Northern Illinois University  
Pennsylvania State System of Higher Education  
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St. Mary's College of Maryland  
Tennessee Board of Regents  
The College of New Jersey  
University of Alaska System  
University of Hawaii Board of Regents  
University of Massachusetts System  
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