Hack the Gates: The Convening

About
Hack the Gates: The Convening is a two-day event, November 8-9, 2019, in which 100 college admissions stakeholders will engage in facilitated dialogues and creative collaboration to generate ideas and propose potential systemic transformations to the college admissions process.

Reason
Hack the Gates: The Convening is a part of the Hack the Gates: Radically Reimagine Admissions project. Over the next year, Hack the Gates: Radically Reimagine Admissions will facilitate urgently needed conversations among college admissions stakeholders about the roles we play as gatekeepers to opportunity, perpetrators of inequities, and transformative leaders in designing equitable college access and enrollment processes. Through online learning, creative brainstorming, and policy analysis, Hack the Gates: Radically Reimagine Admissions will be a catalyst for a complete transformation of the college admissions process.

Hosted by
Hack the Gates: Radically Reimagine Admissions is a research-to-practice partnership between ACCEPT: Admissions Community Cultivating Equity & Peace Today and the RISE Center of Colorado State University, with generous support from the Joyce Foundation, and in partnership with the Common Application.

Event Schedule
Friday, November 8, 2019
5:30-6:30 pm Reception
6:30-8:30 pm Keynote talk with Paul Tough, author of The Years That Matter Most: How College Makes or Breaks Us, and Dr. Angel Pérez, Vice President for Enrollment and Student Success at Trinity College

Saturday, November 9, 2019
8-9 am Breakfast served/Registration open
9-11 am Examining Equity-center design
11 am-4 pm Ideation and prototyping
4-5 pm Presentation of ideas

Location
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