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Trends & Shifts

NCP'S ANNUAL CONTINUING ED GATHERING & RETREAT

March 13-15, 2023



*Keynote Speaker: Niala Boodhoo,
Host/Editor, Axios Today*

Niala is the host of Axios Today, the flagship daily news podcast of Axios. She's been a journalist since 2000 for Reuters, the Associated Press, the Miami Herald and public radio stations including WBEZ/Chicago Public Media. A fourth-generation Presbyterian, Niala serves on the Board of Trustees of her alma mater, Calvin University, where she obtained an undergraduate degree in Philosophy/Psychology. She also has a M.S.J. from Northwestern University's Medill School and a M.A. in Latin American/Caribbean Studies from Florida International University. Niala is a certified spiritual director, a Veriditas-trained labyrinth facilitator and an ordained elder in the Presbyterian church. She lives in Washington, DC.



*Featured Speaker: Emily Swanson,
Owner/President of Holy Cow! Consulting*

Taken the Congregational Assessment Tool (CAT) or considering it? Join us to hear from Emily Swanson who will guide us through the trends and shifts that show up specifically within our Presbytery, according to the data as well as share the overall landscape.



**Hyatt Regency Chesapeake Bay
Golf Resort, Spa and Marina -
Cambridge, MD**

Cost:

\$350 per person (single occupancy)

\$225 per person (double occupancy)

**Register [HERE](#) (Registration closes
on February 17, 2023)**



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Schedule



Monday, March 13

- 4:00PM Official Check-in
(welcome to use facility prior to check-in)
- 6:30PM Welcome Reception - Hors d'oeuvres



Tuesday, March 14

- 8:00AM Breakfast
- 9:00-12:00PM Keynote & Questions with Niala Boodhoo
- Faith Talks (small groups)
 - Dialogue in the Divides
 - Bold Action
 - Praise and Prayer
- 12:30PM Lunch - Sponsored by the Board of Pensions
- 3:00-5:00PM Featured Speaker: Emily Swanson
Countering Burnout Through
 - Equipping More Leaders
 - Breaking Out of Isolation

- 5:30PM Dinner
- After Dinner Fireside Chats



Wednesday, March 15

- 8:00AM Breakfast (on your own)
- 9:00AM Debrief / Worship

