



Association of Independent Colleges & Universities of Pennsylvania

The AICUP PROVSITA Program

The Association recently joined with a growing number of private-college state associations by endorsing the aggregated purchasing program offered by the national group purchasing organization PROVISTA.

PROVISTA provides group purchasing and business solutions services to help colleges and universities achieve their supply chain objectives. Through Novation, Provista's contracting services company, Provista provides customers with the most competitive, extensive portfolio available with over \$34 billion in annual purchasing power and a powerful competitive advantage.

AICUP will be rolling out this program to AICUP members by staging multiple events throughout the coming months. These regional meetings will serve as an entry point for campus decision makers by focusing on the following:

1. Provista and the Novation Competitive Bid Methodology
2. Student Health Center Supplies/Pharmacy products
3. Housekeeping, Sanitation and Janitorial Supplies
4. National Foodservice Contracts (US Foods)
5. Next steps -- How do I engage Provista?
6. Questions and answers

There will be four seminars offered to provide more specific information for those member schools interested:

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| July 24, 2009 | Muhlenberg College | Allentown, PA | 9:30 – 11:30 AM |
| Aug. 21, 2009 | St. Francis University | Loretto, PA | 9:30 – 11:30 AM |
| Oct. 02, 2009 | Bryn Mawr College | Bryn Mawr, PA | 9:30 – 11:30 AM |
| Nov. 06, 2009 | Lebanon Valley College | Annville, PA | 9:30 – 11:30 AM |

**Registration & a Continental Breakfast will be available at 9:00 AM*

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Check one: **July 24 at Muhlenberg College** **Aug. 21 at St. Francis University**
 Oct. 2 at Bryn Mawr College **Nov. 6 at Lebanon Valley College**

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Please fax form at least a week prior to each event at (717) 233-8574

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