SLATE SUMMIT SIGNALS

Slate Summit 2026 Field Guide

A guide to the patterns, practices, and next skills emerging from Slate Summit 2026 presentations

Prepared for Slate professionals, enrollment leaders, builders, and teams looking for practical ways to apply Summit ideas.

The Innovation Forge

How to Read This Field Guide

This is a synthesis guide. A referenced session shows where an example, pattern, or theme appeared; the recommendations and cross-session interpretation are original analysis. Treat the guide as a route map for what to study and how to adapt the ideas locally.

Section	What it answers
What mattered	The dominant conference signals and why they matter for practitioners.
Reader pathways	Which sessions to examine for your role or current problem.
Institution patterns	What different types of institutions are building and why.
Ready vs. testing	Which practices are mature enough to copy and which need governance, pilots, or validation.
Learning paths	Recommended sequences for beginners, specialists, and advanced builders.
Source ledger	All 92 sessions with consistent presenter and institution credit.

What Mattered Most at This Summit

1. Slate work is becoming decision infrastructure, not just configuration.

The strongest sessions treated Slate as an operating layer for decisions: funnels, yield, assignment lists, student success, advising, financial aid, events, and cross-unit coordination. This was clearest in sessions on decision infrastructure, Querybase Views, yield volatility, and origin/source reporting.

Representative sessions: S20 Durable Change By Design: From Human Insight to Decision Infrastructure; S88 What a View! Querybase Views for Quick Wins; S03 Adapting to Yield Volatility: Using Data and Technology to Shape the Right Class; S33 From Rough Demo to Data Hit: Telling Your Origin Story

2. Query literacy is now a baseline professional skill.

Configurable Joins, subqueries, Querybase Views, table relationships, and reusable query patterns showed up as the foundation beneath reporting, events, portals, communications, rules, and operations.

Representative sessions: S26 Fantastic Data & Where to Find It: Demystifying Tables, Joins, and Relationships; S92 "Yes, You Need to Know Configurable Joins": A Beginner's Guide to Configurable Joins; S01 A Join Named Sue; S14 But Why Subqueries; S76 Technolutions Training: Query Grab Bag - An Assortment of Next-Level Querying Techniques; S88 What a View! Querybase Views for Quick Wins

3. Behavior data is moving from reporting into action.

Several sessions pushed beyond passive engagement reports toward targeted campaigns, signal interpretation, counselor actions, and measurement loops. The public lesson is not 'score everything'; it is to define what a signal permits staff to do.

Representative sessions: S68 Student Signals, Stranger Things, and the Path to Personalized Outreach; S32 From Insight to Action: Using Behavioral Data to Power Targeted Campaigns; S04 All the Small Clicks: Conversion Rate Optimization Lessons from Ads to Applications; S63 Slate-Powered Giving Tuesday: Multi-Channel Personalization for Annual Giving

4. Communications teams need governance as much as creativity.

The practical communications sessions were about reusable blocks, Liquid logic, multi-phase streams, audience discipline, channel choice, and measurement. The problem is no longer whether Slate can send the message; it is whether the campaign can be maintained and understood.

Representative sessions: S48 Mastering Flexible Drip Campaigns for Email and Print; S77 Technolutions Training: The Hitchhiker's Guide to Content Blocks & Liquid Markup; S65 Solo Captain, Big Impact: Building Multi-Phase Campaigns; S64 So You Want To Be A Rock & Roll Star?

5. Events and portals are becoming measurement systems.

Event templates, personalized schedules, attendance tracking, portal adaptation, homepage design, and coordinated campus recruiting all pointed to a larger shift: portals and events are not just experiences; they are structured evidence about intent, friction, and follow-up.

Representative sessions: S75 Technolutions Training: Building a Keystone Event; S24 Event Schedules II: Personalized Schedules Without Custom SQL; S89 Where's My Camper: A Real-Time Attendance Tracking Solution; S25 FanTABstic Portals: How to Build Them and Ways to Use Them; S57 Portalandia: Turning Your Entire Campus into a Coordinated Recruitment Team

6. Hidden rules, legacy decisions, and permissions are real strategic risk.

Sessions on rules, security, legacy workflow, and database stewardship made the same operational argument from different angles: the instance must have owners, review rhythms, retirement paths, and change records.

Representative sessions: S07 Behind the Music: The Hidden Rules Powering Your Instance; S19 Don't Forget to Lock the Doors: Enhancing Security and Data Protection; S91 Written in Slate (Not Stone): Excavating Legacy Decisions and Building for Scale; S90 Workflows: From Legacy to Universal; S13 Building Evergreen Applications: A Database Stewardship Approach

7. AI is useful, but the best near-term pattern is supervised assistance.

AI sessions showed real momentum, especially for prompts, portals, chatbots, assistant workflows, and feature direction. The ready pattern is not unsupervised automation; it is a reviewed sandbox where AI accelerates drafts and examples while humans validate logic, privacy, tone, and fit.

Representative sessions: S49 New Feature Spotlight: Slate AI; S78 The Captain and the Sidekick: Using Slate AI Without Losing Your Superpowers; S46 Leveraging the Slate AI Assistant: Power, Pitfalls, and Potential; S86 Vibing with Slate AI: From Prompts to Production-Ready Portals; S73 Technolutions Training: AI Chatbots

8. Training and documentation are now part of the build.

Sessions on scalable training, gamified practice, change design, decentralized administration, and legacy excavation all suggest that advanced Slate work fails when knowledge stays implicit. The next maturity marker is whether someone else can maintain the build.

Representative sessions: S38 Hitting the Right Notes: Designing a Scalable User Training Program; S82 This Is Not a Side Quest: Gamifying Training Using Interactive Forms; S20 Durable Change By Design: From Human Insight to Decision Infrastructure; S40 In Perfect Harmony: Centering Department Administrators in Decentralized Graduate Admissions; S91 Written in Slate (Not Stone): Excavating Legacy Decisions and Building for Scale

Which Sessions to Examine by Reader Need

Slate beginners

Understand how Slate stores, relates, and retrieves information before copying advanced builds.

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Communications teams

Move from isolated messages to governed campaign systems.

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Operations teams

Make daily work routable, auditable, and maintainable.

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S07 Behind the Music: The Hidden Rules Powering Your Instance; S05 Assignment Lists & Cadences; S29 From Chaos to Cadence: Designing Assignment Lists for Daily Use	S06 Assignment Lists Unleashed: Optimizing Alert Processing; S90 Workflows: From Legacy to Universal; S35 From Spreadsheet Hell to Workflow Heaven: Automating Complex Evaluations and Remediation Processes; S13 Building Evergreen Applications: A Database Stewardship Approach	Audit ten high-impact rules, lists, or workflows and assign each one an owner, status, test case, and retirement condition.

Admissions leadership

Use Slate evidence for enrollment strategy without overclaiming what the data proves.

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S03 Adapting to Yield Volatility: Using Data and Technology to Shape the Right Class; S04 All the Small Clicks: Conversion Rate Optimization Lessons from Ads to Applications; S88 What a View! Querybase Views for Quick Wins	S20 Durable Change By Design: From Human Insight to Decision Infrastructure; S45 Level Up Your Enrollment Cycle: Gamification with Digital Badges; S41 Increasing Yield with Real-Time Award Automation; S68 Student Signals, Stranger Things, and the Path to Personalized Outreach	Define five recurring leadership questions and decide which dashboard, metric, owner, and action each one requires.

Data and analytics staff

Build reusable reporting and signal layers that others can interpret.

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S26 Fantastic Data & Where to Find It: Demystifying Tables, Joins, and Relationships; S71 Technolutions Training Querying 101: Practical Tips for Embracing Configurable Joins; S76 Technolutions Training: Query Grab Bag - An Assortment of Next-Level Querying Techniques	S88 What a View! Querybase Views for Quick Wins; S33 From Rough Demo to Data Hit: Telling Your Origin Story; S32 From Insight to Action: Using Behavioral Data to Power Targeted Campaigns; S51 On the CASE! Creating a CASE Engagement Metrics Report with a Portal and Materialized Views	Turn a recurring export into a documented Querybase View or dashboard component with a definition and limitation note.

Portal builders

Build staff and student portals that clarify action instead of becoming unowned UI layers.

Start with	Then examine	Practice activity
S25 FanTABstic Portals: How to Build Them and Ways to Use Them; S39 Home Sweet Homepage; S56 Out of the Box and into Our Hearts: Making a Suitcased Portal Your Own	S57 Portalandia: Turning Your Entire Campus into a Coordinated Recruitment Team; S11 Build Your Own Slate.org Portal; S79 The Friendly Front Porch: Creating a Seamless Student Support Experience; S86 Vibing with Slate AI: From Prompts to Production-Ready Portals	Redesign one portal tab around user task, source data, owner, access rule, and measurement point.

Events teams

Connect registration, attendance, personalization, follow-up, and reporting.

Start with	Then examine	Practice activity
S75 Technolutions Training: Building a Keystone Event; S87 We Walk the Line: Cutting Costs and Complexity in Event Management; S69 Take Note: Making Flexible Event Templates Using Event Notes	S24 Event Schedules II: Personalized Schedules Without Custom SQL; S89 Where's My Camper: A Real-Time Attendance Tracking Solution; S80 The Great Falcon Migration: Scaling a Global Applicant Experience; S30 From Fragmented to Fully Integrated: Reimagining New Student Orientation	Build a test event with attendance, no-show follow-up, and a conversion report that can be read one business day after the event.

Advanced Slate developers

Choose durable data structures and maintainable automation patterns.

Start with	Then examine	Practice activity
S01 A Join Named Sue; S14 But Why Subqueries; S27 Flexing Your Configurable Join Muscles: Working Out CJs	S34 From Scratch: Key Ingredients for Mixing Custom Datasets - Southern-Style; S23 Enti-Tea! How an Entity Transformed our Summer Institute; S17 Departments and Dragons: Implementing Slate Across the Decentralized Realms; S74 Technolutions Training: Bridging the Gap - Web Services for Slate Integrations	Write a build decision note explaining why the design uses a field, dataset, entity, related record, source format, rule, or integration.

Graduate and professional admissions teams

Adapt Slate to decentralized, specialized, and professional-program complexity.

Start with	Then examine	Practice activity
S17 Departments and Dragons: Implementing Slate Across the Decentralized Realms; S40 In Perfect Harmony: Centering Department Administrators in Decentralized Graduate Admissions; S37 hELP Is on the Way: Streamlining the English Proficiency Exemption Process	S08 Beyond Merge Fields: Building a Custom Financial Offer Workflow; S62 Slate Without Borders: Rethinking Admissions for a Global Context; S46 Leveraging the Slate AI Assistant: Power, Pitfalls, and Potential; S86 Vibing with Slate AI: From Prompts to Production-Ready Portals	Map one decentralized process to owner roles, approval logic, data structures, communications, and escalation paths.

What Different Types of Institutions Are Building

Institution type	Build pattern	Representative sessions
Large undergraduate admissions teams	Training, reporting governance, conversion optimization, event systems, and cross-campus recruitment coordination.	S38 Hitting the Right Notes: Designing a Scalable User Training Program; S04 All the Small Clicks: Conversion Rate Optimization Lessons from Ads to Applications; S87 We Walk the Line: Cutting Costs and Complexity in Event Management; S57 Portalandia: Turning Your Entire Campus into a Coordinated Recruitment Team
Small or resource-constrained teams	Multi-phase campaigns, flexible drip programs, suitcased portal adaptation, lightweight event cost control, and single-captain operating models.	S65 Solo Captain, Big Impact: Building Multi-Phase Campaigns; S48 Mastering Flexible Drip Campaigns for Email and Print; S56 Out of the Box and into Our Hearts: Making a Suitcased Portal Your Own; S87 We Walk the Line: Cutting Costs and Complexity in Event Management
Graduate and professional schools	Decentralized administration, specialized review/exception processes, AI-assisted support, financial offer workflows, and global admissions patterns.	S17 Departments and Dragons: Implementing Slate Across the Decentralized Realms; S40 In Perfect Harmony: Centering Department Administrators in Decentralized Graduate Admissions; S37 hELP Is on the Way: Streamlining the English Proficiency Exemption Process; S08 Beyond Merge Fields: Building a Custom Financial Offer Workflow; S62 Slate Without Borders: Rethinking Admissions for a Global Context
Advancement shops	Giving campaigns, engagement metrics, gift agreements, assignment customization, finance-data reporting, and AI use cases.	S63 Slate-Powered Giving Tuesday: Multi-Channel Personalization for Annual Giving; S51 On the CASE! Creating a CASE Engagement Metrics Report with a Portal and Materialized Views; S67 Stop Chasing External Documents: Creating Signed Gift Agreements Natively; S52 One Feature, Many Uses: Customizing Assignments for Advancement; S42 Inside Advancement AI: Real-World Use Cases & Insights

Institution type	Build pattern	Representative sessions
Student success and lifecycle teams	Advising, alerts, direct aid, internship matching, Greek life, registrar partnerships, and systems that extend beyond admissions.	S02 A Semester of Success: Course & Campus Engagement, Course Alerts & Performance, Advising & Registration; S81 The Moonshot: An Academic Advising and Enrollment Management System That Drives Retention and Serves Everyone; S85 Uplifting Students: Direct Aid Made Easy and Trackable; S18 Designing a Scalable Internship Matching Ecosystem; S60 Slate and the Registrar: A Powerful Partnership for Student Success
Multi-campus and global operations	Shared Slate ecosystems, admissions-to-onboarding transitions, global event operations, and cross-unit operating models.	S53 One Slate to Rule Them All: Unifying Admissions and Student Success Across Campuses; S54 One State, Many Campuses: A Smarter Path from Admissions to Student Success Onboarding; S80 The Great Falcon Migration: Scaling a Global Applicant Experience; S83 To Infinity and Abroad: Beyond Admissions to a Global Operations Engine
Highly technical Slate teams	Subqueries, configurable joins, datasets, entities, web services, Querybase Views, and universal workflow migration.	S01 A Join Named Sue; S76 Technolutions Training: Query Grab Bag - An Assortment of Next-Level Querying Techniques; S34 From Scratch: Key Ingredients for Mixing Custom Datasets - Southern-Style; S23 Enti-Tea! How an Entity Transformed our Summer Institute; S74 Technolutions Training: Bridging the Gap - Web Services for Slate Integrations; S90 Workflows: From Legacy to Universal

Practices Ready to Use Now

Practice	How to apply it	Session base
Create a query learning ladder	Sequence relational basics, CJ training, subqueries, Query Grab Bag, and Querybase Views. Do not treat advanced querying as one workshop.	S26 Fantastic Data & Where to Find It: Demystifying Tables, Joins, and Relationships; S71 Technolutions Training Querying 101: Practical Tips for Embracing Configurable Joins; S14 But Why Subqueries; S76 Technolutions Training: Query Grab Bag - An Assortment of Next-Level Querying Techniques; S88 What a View! Querybase Views for Quick Wins
Audit hidden automation	Inventory high-impact rules, active campaigns, assignment lists, workflow triggers, and permission-sensitive processes.	S07 Behind the Music: The Hidden Rules Powering Your Instance; S19 Don't Forget to Lock the Doors: Enhancing Security and Data Protection; S91 Written in Slate (Not Stone): Excavating Legacy Decisions and Building for Scale; S05 Assignment Lists & Cadences

Practice	How to apply it	Session base
Govern communications streams	Name owners, audiences, frequency rules, content-block dependencies, QA steps, and reporting purpose before sending.	S48 Mastering Flexible Drip Campaigns for Email and Print; S77 Technolutions Training: The Hitchhiker’s Guide to Content Blocks & Liquid Markup; S65 Solo Captain, Big Impact: Building Multi-Phase Campaigns
Turn event attendance into action	Use event templates, notes, attendance, no-show logic, and follow-up reporting as one operating loop.	S75 Technolutions Training: Building a Keystone Event; S69 Take Note: Making Flexible Event Templates Using Event Notes; S89 Where's My Camper: A Real-Time Attendance Tracking Solution; S87 We Walk the Line: Cutting Costs and Complexity in Event Management
Document data structure decisions	Before building, decide whether the problem calls for a field, dataset, entity, related record, rule, source format, or integration.	S34 From Scratch: Key Ingredients for Mixing Custom Datasets - Southern-Style; S23 Enti-Tea! How an Entity Transformed our Summer Institute; S17 Departments and Dragons: Implementing Slate Across the Decentralized Realms; S13 Building Evergreen Applications: A Database Stewardship Approach
Build training into the platform	Use native forms, portals, completion tracking, and role-based progression to turn knowledge transfer into a managed process.	S38 Hitting the Right Notes: Designing a Scalable User Training Program; S82 This Is Not a Side Quest: Gamifying Training Using Interactive Forms; S20 Durable Change By Design: From Human Insight to Decision Infrastructure
Use dashboards as decision surfaces	Start with recurring questions, define metric logic, and document limitations instead of building generic report collections.	S88 What a View! Querybase Views for Quick Wins; S04 All the Small Clicks: Conversion Rate Optimization Lessons from Ads to Applications; S33 From Rough Demo to Data Hit: Telling Your Origin Story; S51 On the CASE! Creating a CASE Engagement Metrics Report with a Portal and Materialized Views

Ideas That Require More Testing or Governance

Idea	Test before scaling	Session base
AI assistant, chatbot, and AI-built portal work	Use AI in a sandbox first. Require human review of audience, source data, tone, security, accessibility, and truthfulness before production.	S49 New Feature Spotlight: Slate AI; S46 Leveraging the Slate AI Assistant: Power, Pitfalls, and Potential; S78 The Captain and the Sidekick: Using Slate AI Without Losing Your Superpowers; S73 Technolutions Training: AI Chatbots; S86 Vibing with Slate AI: From Prompts to Production-Ready Portals
Behavior-driven targeting and model-informed campaigns	Define allowed actions, measurement strategy, missing-data treatment, bias/privacy review, and how to distinguish correlation from lift.	S32 From Insight to Action: Using Behavioral Data to Power Targeted Campaigns; S68 Student Signals, Stranger Things, and the Path to Personalized Outreach; S03 Adapting to Yield Volatility: Using Data and Technology to Shape the Right Class
Gamification and digital badges	Pilot with clear behavioral goals. Do not let the mechanic replace belonging, clarity, affordability, or counselor relationship.	S45 Level Up Your Enrollment Cycle: Gamification with Digital Badges; S82 This Is Not a Side Quest: Gamifying Training Using Interactive Forms
Real-time aid, award, and deposit automations	Test timing, edge cases, aid interpretation, appeal processes, and staff escalation before scaling.	S41 Increasing Yield with Real-Time Award Automation; S08 Beyond Merge Fields: Building a Custom Financial Offer Workflow; S58 Reconstructing Financial Aid: A Master Builder's Adventure
Applicant fraud prevention and ghost-app workflows	Govern false positives, review rights, student impact, legal/policy boundaries, and staff accountability.	S28 Fraud Uncovered, Confidence Kept: Operationalizing Applicant Fraud Prevention; S36 Ghostbusting: Finding Ghosts and Verifying Real Apps
Enterprise student success ecosystems	Treat as institutional programs, not side projects. Define sponsorship, data boundaries, roles, and long-term ownership first.	S81 The Moonshot: An Academic Advising and Enrollment Management System That Drives Retention and Serves Everyone; S66 Start with Strategy: Decisions That Make or Break Your Student Success Build; S53 One Slate to Rule Them All: Unifying Admissions and Student Success Across Campuses; S60 Slate and the Registrar: A Powerful Partnership for Student Success

Idea	Test before scaling	Session base
Complex personalized event scheduling	Validate whether personalization improves experience enough to justify maintenance, QA, and support burden.	S24 Event Schedules II: Personalized Schedules Without Custom SQL; S80 The Great Falcon Migration: Scaling a Global Applicant Experience; S75 Technolutions Training: Building a Keystone Event

Skills Practitioners Should Develop Next

- Configurable Joins, subqueries, table relationships, and Querybase Views.
- Content Blocks, Liquid, Deliver QA, suppression logic, and campaign measurement.
- Data modeling: fields vs. datasets vs. entities vs. related records vs. source formats.
- Rule, workflow, assignment-list, and permission governance.
- Portal design that starts from user task, data source, access rule, and owner.
- Event architecture: templates, notes, schedules, attendance, and post-event follow-up.
- Analytics translation: metric definitions, source/origin rules, signal interpretation, and model action policies.
- AI evaluation: prompting, validation, sandbox protocols, privacy, and escalation.
- Documentation and teach-back practices so advanced Slate knowledge survives staff transitions.
- Integration literacy, especially where Slate is becoming a campus operating layer rather than an admissions-only tool.

The synthesis: advanced Slate work is moving toward modular, governed, cross-functional systems. The builders who matter most will not only know which button to click; they will know how a data structure, rule, portal, campaign, dashboard, and staff workflow affect one another.

Where Advanced Slate Work Appears to Be Going

Direction	What it means	Session signals
From records to relationships	Entities, related records, datasets, and person-record changes suggest a richer model of people, programs, experiences, and context.	S50 New Feature Spotlight: The Person Record, Reimagined; S23 Enti-Tea! How an Entity Transformed our Summer Institute; S34 From Scratch: Key Ingredients for Mixing Custom Datasets - Southern-Style; S17 Departments and Dragons: Implementing Slate Across the Decentralized Realms

Direction	What it means	Session signals
From reports to action systems	Dashboards and views increasingly exist to drive lists, communications, staff work, and leadership decisions.	S88 What a View! Querybase Views for Quick Wins; S32 From Insight to Action: Using Behavioral Data to Power Targeted Campaigns; S51 On the CASE! Creating a CASE Engagement Metrics Report with a Portal and Materialized Views; S04 All the Small Clicks: Conversion Rate Optimization Lessons from Ads to Applications
From campaigns to governed messaging libraries	The reusable unit is becoming the stream, content block, decision rule, and measurement loop rather than the one-off email.	S48 Mastering Flexible Drip Campaigns for Email and Print; S77 Technolutions Training: The Hitchhiker's Guide to Content Blocks & Liquid Markup; S65 Solo Captain, Big Impact: Building Multi-Phase Campaigns
From events to experience telemetry	Events now generate structured signals: attendance, interests, schedules, follow-up, and post-event conversion.	S89 Where's My Camper: A Real-Time Attendance Tracking Solution; S24 Event Schedules II: Personalized Schedules Without Custom SQL; S87 We Walk the Line: Cutting Costs and Complexity in Event Management
From individual expert to operating model	Training, documentation, governance, and teach-back are increasingly treated as part of the build itself.	S38 Hitting the Right Notes: Designing a Scalable User Training Program; S82 This Is Not a Side Quest: Gamifying Training Using Interactive Forms; S20 Durable Change By Design: From Human Insight to Decision Infrastructure; S91 Written in Slate (Not Stone): Excavating Legacy Decisions and Building for Scale
From AI novelty to supervised builder support	The most useful AI work will likely be bounded: draft, inspect, suggest, explain, and accelerate, with review gates before production.	S78 The Captain and the Sidekick: Using Slate AI Without Losing Your Superpowers; S86 Vibing with Slate AI: From Prompts to Production-Ready Portals; S49 New Feature Spotlight: Slate AI

Recommended Learning Paths

Each path is a practical sequence. The goal is to study just enough, then build a local artifact that proves the concept.

Path	Sequence	Sessions
Beginner to useful operator	1. Understand tables/joins. 2. Read simple CJ logic. 3. Interpret a campaign audience. 4. Explain one rule or report.	S26 Fantastic Data & Where to Find It: Demystifying Tables, Joins, and Relationships; S92 “Yes, You Need to Know Configurable Joins”: A Beginner’s Guide to Configurable Joins; S71 Technolutions Training Querying 101: Practical Tips for Embracing Configurable Joins; S07 Behind the Music: The Hidden Rules Powering Your Instance
Communications builder	1. Inventory campaign streams. 2. Learn Content Blocks and Liquid. 3. Add behavior/persona rules. 4. Measure and retire.	S48 Mastering Flexible Drip Campaigns for Email and Print; S77 Technolutions Training: The Hitchhiker’s Guide to Content Blocks & Liquid Markup; S68 Student Signals, Stranger Things, and the Path to Personalized Outreach; S04 All the Small Clicks: Conversion Rate Optimization Lessons from Ads to Applications
Operations stabilizer	1. Map rules and assignments. 2. Audit owners and tests. 3. Modernize workflows. 4. Document what must not be forgotten.	S05 Assignment Lists & Cadences; S29 From Chaos to Cadence: Designing Assignment Lists for Daily Use; S90 Workflows: From Legacy to Universal; S91 Written in Slate (Not Stone): Excavating Legacy Decisions and Building for Scale
Data and dashboard lead	1. Build the relational base. 2. Create reusable views. 3. Connect behavior data to action. 4. Document metric limitations.	S76 Technolutions Training: Query Grab Bag - An Assortment of Next-Level Querying Techniques; S88 What a View! Querybase Views for Quick Wins; S32 From Insight to Action: Using Behavioral Data to Power Targeted Campaigns; S33 From Rough Demo to Data Hit: Telling Your Origin Story
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Advanced architect	1. Master CJs and subqueries. 2. Choose durable data structures. 3. Connect services when needed. 4. Govern security and ownership.	S01 A Join Named Sue; S14 But Why Subqueries; S34 From Scratch: Key Ingredients for Mixing Custom Datasets - Southern-Style; S74 Technolutions Training: Bridging the Gap - Web Services for Slate Integrations; S19 Don't Forget to Lock the Doors: Enhancing Security and Data Protection

Session Directory by Reader Need

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S02	A Semester of Success: Course & Campus Engagement, Course Alerts & Performance, Advising & Registration	Jonathan Grossman; Merrimack College Academic Success Center	Student Success and Retention
S03	Adapting to Yield Volatility: Using Data and Technology to Shape the Right Class	Catie Clark; Christie Smith; Olivia Nash; Ally Metcalf; Niche; Alfred University; University of the Pacific; The University of Tulsa	Enrollment Strategy and Yield
S04	All the Small Clicks: Conversion Rate Optimization Lessons from Ads to Applications	Lillie Miller; Michael Doran; Launa Smith; The University of Georgia Undergraduate Admissions; The University of Georgia Undergraduate Admissions; The University of Georgia Undergraduate Admissions	Analytics and Reporting
S05	Assignment Lists & Cadences	Traci Giovinazzo; Colby Vere; Benjamin Szabo; Technolutions	Rules and Workflow Automation
S06	Assignment Lists Unleashed: Optimizing Alert Processing	Tiffany Hedrick; Ryan Maitland; Kathryn Lucas; Augusta University Undergraduate Admissions; Augusta University Undergraduate Admissions; SIG Strata Information Group	Rules and Workflow Automation
S07	Behind the Music: The Hidden Rules Powering Your Instance	Nina Lifshey; Darian Quinn; Drew Griffin; Carnegie; Rockhurst University	Rules and Workflow Automation
S08	Beyond Merge Fields: Building a Custom Financial Offer Workflow	Michelle Carman; TJ Backofen; Princeton University Graduate School; ReWorkflow	Financial Aid and Awards
S09	Beyond Reader: Designing a Flexible, Multi-Scholarship Review Process	Margarita Clarke; Bianca Kunzinger; Solidan Inc.; Hutchinson Community College	Reader and Review
S10	Breaking Down Barriers: Redesigning the Student Experience	Morgan Gossett; Western Kentucky University Undergraduate Admissions	Portals and User Experience
S11	Build Your Own Slate.org Portal	Elsa Evans; University of California, Berkeley Undergraduate Admissions	Portals and User Experience
S13	Building Evergreen Applications: A Database Stewardship Approach	Chenetta Mallette; Alana Allekotte; Nikita Milton; Winston-Salem State University; SIG Strata Information Group; Loyola University New Orleans Graduate Admissions	Applications and Forms
S12	Building an End-to-End Transfer Credit Evaluation Workflow	Melanie Egan; Peter Scorcia; Villanova University Undergraduate Admissions; Human Capital Education	Process Redesign and Operations
S14	But Why Subqueries	Jason Davitt; University of Scranton Graduate Admissions	Querying and Data Retrieval
S15	Complex Gift Management and Stewardship: Building Scalable Workflows	Amy Lampi; Chrystal Bate; Scott Larner; Bwf; Mercer University Advancement	Advancement Operations
S16	Creative Portals with Purpose for Advancement	Natalie Mackey; Savannah Marshall; Scott Larner; Becky Kennedy; Amy Lampi; Duquesne University; BWF Zuri	Advancement Operations
S17	Departments and Dragons: Implementing Slate Across the Decentralized Realms	Heather Lefebvre; Ryan Walsh; Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Office of Graduate Education; Carnegie	Data Architecture and Governance
S18	Designing a Scalable Internship Matching Ecosystem	Emily Milius; Kevin Salkas; Wallin Education Partners	Student Success and Retention
S19	Don't Forget to Lock the Doors: Enhancing Security and Data Protection	Nathan Vick; Emma Ortiz; Amy Shaiman; Matthew Haugen; Asbury University; Asbury University; Miami University of Ohio Advancement; Baylor University Undergraduate Admissions	Security, Permissions, and Fraud

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S21	Enhancing Collaboration without Compromising Structure using Translation Codes	Canaan Perry; Georgia State University Graduate Admissions	Data Architecture and Governance
S22	Enrollments in Slate: Organizing Student Experiences Across the Lifecycle	Ken Higgins; Steve Dailey; Technolutions	Student Success and Retention
S23	Enti-Tea! How an Entity Transformed our Summer Institute	Isaac Duncan; Covenant College	Data Architecture and Governance
S24	Event Schedules II: Personalized Schedules Without Custom SQL	Nathan Vick; Asbury University	Events and Scheduling
S25	FanTABstic Portals: How to Build Them and Ways to Use Them	Sarah Bundschuh; Rachel Haywood; University of Delaware Undergraduate Admissions; University of Delaware Undergraduate Admissions	Portals and User Experience
S26	Fantastic Data & Where to Find It: Demystifying Tables, Joins, and Relationships	Kristie Rickerd; Claire Hirte; Linfield University; enrollmentFUEL	Querying and Data Retrieval
S27	Flexing Your Configurable Join Muscles: Working Out CJs	Andrew LaVenia; Columbia University School of Professional Studies	Querying and Data Retrieval
S28	Fraud Uncovered, Confidence Kept: Operationalizing Applicant Fraud Prevention	Adam Warrington; Community College of Vermont	Security, Permissions, and Fraud
S29	From Chaos to Cadence: Designing Assignment Lists for Daily Use	Jon Rowand; Kaitlyn Campbell; ReWorkflow; Ouachita Baptist University	Rules and Workflow Automation
S30	From Fragmented to Fully Integrated: Reimagining New Student Orientation	Mark Ledoux; Corey Stamco; Dylan Schechtel; Kent State University; Kent State University; Carnegie	Orientation and Onboarding
S31	From Gifts to Impact: Integrating Finance Data for Transparent Donor Reporting	Gina Mandros; Elizabeth Hilton; Human Capital Education; Saint Louis University	Advancement Operations
S32	From Insight to Action: Using Behavioral Data to Power Targeted Campaigns	Aimee Celentano; Amanda Marsili; Megan Gabbard; Roger Williams University Undergraduate Admissions; Roger Williams University Undergraduate Admissions; Capture Higher Ed	Analytics and Reporting
S33	From Rough Demo to Data Hit: Telling Your Origin Story	Russell Goff; Ashley Valladares; Kylie Hall; Sherman College of Chiropractic; enrollmentFUEL	Analytics and Reporting
S34	From Scratch: Key Ingredients for Mixing Custom Datasets - Southern-Style	Brittany Richardson; Laura Sturgill; Domenick Rozzi; The University of Alabama; West Chester University; Huron Consulting Group	Data Architecture and Governance
S35	From Spreadsheet Hell to Workflow Heaven: Automating Complex Evaluations and Remediation Processes	Becca Lukowski Stone; Courtney Gradzki; Rob Monk; Hackensack Meridian School of Medicine; Hackensack Meridian School of Medicine; Post Captain Consulting	Rules and Workflow Automation
S36	Ghostbusting: Finding Ghosts and Verifying Real Apps	Anthony Ranatza; Ryan Kavanaugh; Southeastern Louisiana University; Post Captain Consulting shown for Ryan Kavanaugh on PDF cover	Security, Permissions, and Fraud
S38	Hitting the Right Notes: Designing a Scalable User Training Program	Brady Alumbaugh; Purdue University Undergraduate Admissions	Training and Change Management
S39	Home Sweet Homepage	Allegra Fass; Pitzer College	Portals and User Experience
S40	In Perfect Harmony: Centering Department Administrators in Decentralized Graduate Admissions	Emily Jiang; Stanford University Graduate Admissions	Multi Unit and Global Operations
S41	Increasing Yield with Real-Time Award Automation	Mark Belanger; Washington State University	Financial Aid and Awards
S42	Inside Advancement AI: Real-World Use Cases & Insights	Bruno Dupeyron; Nicole Sibley; Northfield Mount Hermon School Advancement	AI and Intelligent Assistance

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S44	Lessons Learned: Strategies for a Successful Advancement Implementation	Lisa North; Bob Woodside; Masa Yurasko; Natalie Mackey; Duquesne University - Advancement	Training and Change Management
S45	Level Up Your Enrollment Cycle: Gamification with Digital Badges	Morgan Meck; Noah Porter; Duquesne University	Enrollment Strategy and Yield
S46	Leveraging the Slate AI Assistant: Power, Pitfalls, and Potential	Chris Kizer; Duke University Graduate and Professional Programs	AI and Intelligent Assistance
S47	Managing Greek Life at Scale: A New Model for Student Organizations	Betsey Weaver; David Mariott; Solidan Inc.; Oklahoma State University Undergraduate Admissions	Student Success and Retention
S48	Mastering Flexible Drip Campaigns for Email and Print	Mike Howie; Ross Struss; Hastings College; Hastings College	Communications and Personalization
S49	New Feature Spotlight: Slate AI	Shawn Kelly; Technolutions	AI and Intelligent Assistance
S50	New Feature Spotlight: The Person Record, Reimagined	Nick Conte; Technolutions	Portals and User Experience
S51	On the CASE! Creating a CASE Engagement Metrics Report with a Portal and Materialized Views	Rachelle Miclette; Swarthmore College Advancement	Analytics and Reporting
S52	One Feature, Many Uses: Customizing Assignments for Advancement	Trisha Ayers; Jennifer Pollin; Amy Shaiman; Brianne Berogan; Hanna Kroskie; Bates College Advancement; Miami University of Ohio - Advancement; Post Captain Consulting	Advancement Operations
S53	One Slate to Rule Them All: Unifying Admissions and Student Success Across Campuses	David Mariott; Jake Murphy; Erin Toney; Oklahoma State University Undergraduate Admissions; Oklahoma State University Institute of Technology; Oklahoma State University Undergraduate Admissions	Multi Unit and Global Operations
S54	One State, Many Campuses: A Smarter Path from Admissions to Student Success Onboarding	Sony Rodriguez; Erica Machia; Ferrilli; Vermont State University	Orientation and Onboarding
S55	Oops!...They Did it Again: Improving the Review Process for Conduct Issues	Seth Filkins; Chengyong Jiao; Aaron Bemis; The University of Georgia Undergraduate Admissions	Reader and Review
S56	Out of the Box and into Our Hearts: Making a Suitcased Portal Your Own	Dom Rozzi; Nicole Howell; Huron; Wellesley College	Portals and User Experience
S57	Portalandia: Turning Your Entire Campus into a Coordinated Recruitment Team	Thea Clarkberg; Earlham College	Portals and User Experience
S58	Reconstructing Financial Aid: A Master Builder's Adventure	Joshua Frankenfield; Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania	Financial Aid and Awards
S59	Reimagining Transcript Processing with Custom Portals	Patrick Sullivan; Morgan Donovan-Hall; Pedro Ondrush; University of Massachusetts Amherst; Solidan Inc.	Process Redesign and Operations
S61	Slate Knows What You Did Last Week	Alice Byrd; Katie Jordan; Brown University - Graduate School; The Parish Group	Analytics and Reporting
S62	Slate Without Borders: Rethinking Admissions for a Global Context	Nidal Nassar; Mariam Lachin; Northwestern University in Qatar; Georgetown University in Qatar	Multi Unit and Global Operations
S60	Slate and the Registrar: A Powerful Partnership for Student Success	Emily Toops; Stevenson School	Student Success and Retention
S63	Slate-Powered Giving Tuesday: Multi-Channel Personalization for Annual Giving	Danielle Hupp; Daniel Porter; Kent State University, Philanthropy and Alumni Engagement	Communications and Personalization
S64	So You Want To Be A Rock & Roll Star?	Matthew Schieren; The University of Chicago	Communications and Personalization

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S66	Start with Strategy: Decisions That Make or Break Your Student Success Build	Audra Taylor; Allison Beebie; Rusty Martel; Carrie Stockton; Sam Klaskow; Hannah Tolliver; Jessica Bittner; Georgia Southern University Student Success; Carnegie; Mount Royal University; Kettering University Student Success	Student Success and Retention
S67	Stop Chasing External Documents: Creating Signed Gift Agreements Natively	Laura Hinkley; Hanna Kroskie; Earlham College Advancement; Post Captain Consulting	Advancement Operations
S68	Student Signals, Stranger Things, and the Path to Personalized Outreach	Moni Nann; Ben Parsons; Courtney Buckner; Katy Remich; College of the Holy Cross; College of the Holy Cross; ZeeMee; ZeeMee	Communications and Personalization
S69	Take Note: Making Flexible Event Templates Using Event Notes	Mara Marzocchi; Suffolk University Graduate Admissions	Events and Scheduling
S70	Technolutions Talks: Advancement Edition	Nora Kaszubowski; Traci Giovinazzo; Shawn Kelly; Keith McCants; Stephen Nickel; Technolutions	Data Architecture and Governance
S71	Technolutions Training Querying 101: Practical Tips for Embracing Configurable Joins	Leigh-Ann Crivella; Kate Guy; Technolutions	Querying and Data Retrieval
S72	Technolutions Training Reader 201: Unlocking Advanced Reader Tools	Terran Williams; Amanda Holder; Technolutions	Reader and Review
S73	Technolutions Training: AI Chatbots	Joe Flynn; Technolutions	AI and Intelligent Assistance
S74	Technolutions Training: Bridging the Gap - Web Services for Slate Integrations	Brandon El Haj; Johnny Grimmer; Karin Ente; Technolutions	Integrations and Web Services
S75	Technolutions Training: Building a Keystone Event	Robin Lancaster; Ben Willner; Technolutions	Events and Scheduling
S76	Technolutions Training: Query Grab Bag - An Assortment of Next-Level Querying Techniques	Louise Karnéus; Max Zeryck; Technolutions	Querying and Data Retrieval
S77	Technolutions Training: The Hitchhiker's Guide to Content Blocks & Liquid Markup	Christopher Kwan; Karin Ente; Technolutions	Communications and Personalization
S78	The Captain and the Sidekick: Using Slate AI Without Losing Your Superpowers	Tommy Kroll; Columbia College Chicago	AI and Intelligent Assistance
S79	The Friendly Front Porch: Creating a Seamless Student Support Experience	Julian Capel; Nick Cheng; Ed Advancement	Portals and User Experience
S80	The Great Falcon Migration: Scaling a Global Applicant Experience	Sager Al Mannai; Ian Crovisier; NYU Abu Dhabi; NYU New York University Undergraduate Admissions	Events and Scheduling
S81	The Moonshot: An Academic Advising and Enrollment Management System That Drives Retention and Serves Everyone	Laura MacBride; Dan Hamrin; Nicolle Skoien; Marquette University	Student Success and Retention
S82	This Is Not a Side Quest: Gamifying Training Using Interactive Forms	Katie Jordan; Tommy Kennedy; The Parish Group; Villanova University Graduate Admissions	Training and Change Management
S83	To Infinity and Abroad: Beyond Admissions to a Global Operations Engine	Brook Blahnik; Meredith Hansen; Chris Reeder; University of Minnesota, Education Abroad Centers; New York University, Office of Global Programs; University of California, Davis Global Learning Hub	Multi Unit and Global Operations
S84	Unicorns Do Exist: Our Ongoing Quest for the Perfect Non-Credit Registration System	Tara Gallo; Sharon Roth-DeFulvio; Todd McClincey; Villanova University	Process Redesign and Operations
S85	Uplifting Students: Direct Aid Made Easy and Trackable	Vanessa Ayala; Amy Severns; Mlou del Rosario; Brian Regan; Coast Community College District; Coast Community College District; Coast Community College District; SIG+RHB	Student Success and Retention

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S88	What a View! Querybase Views for Quick Wins	Mara Marzocchi; Suffolk University Graduate Admissions	Querying and Data Retrieval
S89	Where's My Camper: A Real-Time Attendance Tracking Solution	Caleb Whitman; Ryan Herman; Southern Adventist University Undergraduate Admissions; Southern Adventist University Graduate Admissions	Events and Scheduling
S90	Workflows: From Legacy to Universal	Ken Higgins; Technolutions	Rules and Workflow Automation
S91	Written in Slate (Not Stone): Excavating Legacy Decisions and Building for Scale	Raissa Diamante; Erin Gore; Harvey Mudd College; Huron	Data Architecture and Governance
S37	hELP Is on the Way: Streamlining the English Proficiency Exemption Process	Nina Takács; Jessie Runiewicz; Washington University in St. Louis Graduate Admissions	Process Redesign and Operations
S92	“Yes, You Need to Know Configurable Joins”: A Beginner’s Guide to Configurable Joins	Danielle Buczek; Laura Sturgill; Paula Schaefer-Riley; Post Captain Consulting; West Chester University Graduate Admissions; Post Captain Consulting	Querying and Data Retrieval