ABCA 2027 Convention: Program Building Track

January 7-10, 2027 | 33 sessions tagged Program Building (primary or secondary), plus its Hot Stove panel.

Day	Time	Track	Presenter	Session Title	Category	Attendee
Thursday	15:30	Expo Theater	6-4-3 Charts	From Information to Action: How Coaches Use Data to Elevate Their Programs	Data & Technology	
Thursday	17:00	Expo Theater	QuestFit	What the Best Programs Do Differently: How Leading Programs Connect Player Development, Technology & Preparation for the Next Level	Program Building	
Thursday	21:00	Rookie Coaches Mentorship	Mentorship	Rookie Coaches Mentorship Panel. Panelists: Paul Blanchard, Marshall High School (MN); Paul Babcock, Andrew High School (IL); Dean Ehehalt, Monmouth University; Katie Krall, Northwestern University; Ted Tom, Washington Nationals; Jeff Willis, LSU Eunice	Program Building	
Friday	9:00	Main Stage	Skip Johnson, University of Oklahoma	Building a Championship Program	Program Building	
Friday	9:45	Expo Theater	PlayMetrics	How Forward-Thinking Leagues Run Smarter with PlayMetrics	Program Building	
Friday	10:20	Youth Coaches Session	Matt Ittner, Cox High School (VA)	Growing Your Program from the Inside Out	Program Building	
Friday	11:00	Main Stage	Chris Curry, Arkansas Little Rock	Program Building: Making The Most of What You Have	Program Building	
Friday	12:40	Youth Coaches Session	Aaron DeBord, Cloverleaf High School (OH)	Building a Baseball Family: Connecting Your Youth and High School Programs	Program Building	
Friday	13:20	Main Stage	Brett Boretti, Columbia University	Team Building Tuesdays: Ways to Teach and Build the Culture You Want	Program Building	
Friday	13:20	Youth Coaches Session	Tyler Goodro, Field General Academy	Building the Field General: Creative Systems that Connect	Program Building	
Friday	13:30	Expo Theater	eTeamSponsor	Moneyball: Building Your Revenue Lineup	Program Building	
Friday	14:00	Main Stage	Matt Krug, North of Your Neck	Why the Word 'Makeup' has Held Sport Psychology back	Program Building	
Friday	14:00	Youth Coaches Session	Tom Marker, Olentangy Orange High School (OH)	Chaos with Purpose	Program Building	
Friday	14:15	Expo Theater	Shaw Sports Turf	What the Data Says: Evaluating Infill and Non-Infill Baseball Surfaces	Program Building	
Friday	14:40	Main Stage	James Ramsey, Georgia Tech	Developing Individual Hitters Inside a Team Framework	Hitting & Baserunning	
Friday	14:40	Youth Coaches Session	Becky Beaulieu, Championship Culture Coach	Improve Your Culture, Winning Is the Byproduct: Getting Today's Players to Buy In!	Program Building	
Friday	15:20	Main Stage	Alex Backhaus, University of Central Missouri; Eric Horner, Johnson County Community College; Ryne Romick, Denison University; Ben Wolgamot, Troy University	Championship Level Recruiting: How the Best Get It Done	Program Building	
Friday	19:00	Hot Stove Panel	Baseball Operations	Panelists: Sam Gjormand, College of Charleston; Joe Bialkoski, Troy University; Greg Drye, Auburn University; Charles Gravett, University of Arkansas at Little Rock	Program Building	
Saturday	8:00		ABCA Frank Robinson BATS Committee	BATS Workshops: Informal Networking (workshops run 8:00-12:30)	Program Building	
Saturday	8:30	Main Stage	Dan Fitzgerald, University of Kansas	Building Alignment in Your Program	Program Building	
Saturday	9:15		ABCA Frank Robinson BATS Committee	BATS Workshops: Players Alliance Presentation	Program Building	
Saturday	9:15	Expo Theater	Baseline	The 1% Club: Live Panel on Why So Many Baseball Facilities Stall, featuring 3 That Broke Through	Program Building	
Saturday	10:30	Youth Coaches Session	Jon Fitzpatrick, Martensdale-St. Mary's High School (IA)	Raise the Standard: Take Your Team from Where They are to Where You Want Them to Be	Program Building	
Saturday	11:00		ABCA Frank Robinson BATS Committee	BATS Workshops: Breakout Sessions - Professional Coaching Development / Youth Coaching Development	Program Building	
Saturday	11:10	Main Stage	Travis Wyckoff, Kingdom Coaching	The Coach's Primary Role: Creating an Environment for Athletes to Thrive	Program Building	
Saturday	13:20	Main Stage	Corey Conn, Lancaster High School (OH)	Closing the Gap: Building Championship Culture	Program Building	
Saturday	13:20	Youth Coaches Session	Andrew Bartman, Texas Tailgaters	The 90-Minute Party. Turning Practice into an Experience	Program Building	
Saturday	14:00	Main Stage	Buck Showalter, Former MLB Manager; Harold Reynolds, MLB Network	Fireside Chat with Buck: His Journey and Things He Learned Along the Way	Program Building	
Saturday	14:45	Hot Stove Panel	Youth, Travel, Academy Baseball	Panelists: Jordan Baltimore, New York Empire Baseball; Deven Morgan, Driveline Baseball; Taylor McCollough, Perfect Game; Duke Baxter, Zoned Sports Academy (NJ)	Program Building	
Saturday	16:20	Main Stage	Mitch Canham, Oregon State University	Growth Through Player Development Plans	Program Building	
Saturday	17:00	Hot Stove Panel	Culture & Leadership	Panelists: Craig Gianinno, Yarmouth-Dennis Red Sox; Kyle Stark, Stark Contrast	Program Building	
Sunday	8:30	Main Stage	Curtis Granderson, Former MLB Player	More Than a Game: How Coaches Shape Athletes for Life	Program Building	
Sunday	9:50	Main Stage	Justin Dedman, Bradley University	Score to Win On ANY DAY: Blending Systems and Freedom	Hitting & Baserunning	