THE PREMIER GATHERING OF CTE PROFESSIONALS

ACTE's CareerTech VISION SAN ANTONIO 2018 NOVEMBER 28 – DECEMBER 1

ACTE's CareerTech VISION is the premier annual gathering of CTE professionals in an exciting, educational, informative and inspirational agenda packed with CTE sessions, expo show and career pavilion, awards and recognition, and a rich array of networking opportunities.

About CareerTech VISION

There's something for everyone in career and technical education (CTE) at VISION, a must-attend event for educators, guidance and career development professionals, industry representatives and business leaders. You'll find four finite days of infinite professional development possibilities, prime networking opportunities and direct access to 4,000+ individuals representing all facets of CTE.

To continue our mission of providing high-quality content that addresses a full range of issues facing CTE educators, administrators and other key stakeholders as they seek to prepare students for success in the 21st century economy, we seek proposals that align with ACTE's high-quality CTE Framework. You can read more about what is included under each element at www.acteonline.org/high-qualityCTE, and can choose up to two of the following 12 elements:

1. Standards-aligned and Integrated Curriculum
2. Sequencing and Articulation
3. Student Assessment
4. Prepared and Effective Program Staff
5. Engaging Instruction
6. Access and Equity
7. Facilities and Equipment
8. Business and Community Partnerships
9. Career Development
10. CTSOs
11. Work-based Learning
12. Data and Program Improvement

Broader, systems-level sessions around topics like funding or school reform will also be accepted, but alignment with the Framework is encouraged!

Categories

You will also be asked to identify the ACTE Division to which your session most closely aligns, and they will then review your session proposal. Descriptions of all Divisions are available on the ACTE website. Please click here to help you select the best fit.

- Administration
- Business Education
- Engineering and Technology Education
- Family and Consumer Sciences Education
- Guidance and Career Development
- Health Science Education
- Marketing Education
- New and Related Services (including sections in IT, international, professional development, research, ROTC, safe schools, special populations and more)
- Postsecondary, Adult and Career Education
- Trade & Industrial Education
- Career Cluster: sessions within the Career Cluster strand exemplify the features of the National Career Cluster Framework, supporting secondary to postsecondary transitions, the full continuum of career awareness, exploration and preparation for learners, and CTE programs of study across the entire world of work.
- Other, Please Specify: These are typically sessions that cover broad industry topics that don't align with other categories, or sessions that cover multiple topics or categories.

Proposal Format

Make sure your proposal is feasible to present in a 60-minute session. Part of effective professional development is providing meaningful presentation materials and online resources that allow the participants to further their learning. It is expected that presenters provide electronic presentation materials and/or handouts before, during or after the event. Presenters are expected to develop effective, interactive activities to ensure the workshop attendee the best professional development opportunity.

How to Apply

You must submit your proposal using our online system. Emailed, faxed and mailed proposals will not be accepted. By submitting a proposal you agree to present at any time during the meeting. Program sessions will be scheduled on Thursday, November 29; Friday, November 30; and Saturday, December 1. Sessions will be 60 minutes in length. Please be sure to design your presentation slides to 4:3 format.

Speaker Registration Information

ALL accepted presenters MUST remit a VISION 2018 Speaker Registration fee. The discount Speaker Registration fee is $295 for ACTE members and $475 for non-members. This fee must be paid by July 13, 2018. Speakers who pay after this date will be required to pay the full prevailing registration rate.

Audio Visual

ACTE will provide, in all meetings rooms, an LCD projector, screen, podium and wired microphone. Speakers will be re-sponsible for providing their own laptops.

Proposal Questions

The information gathered during this process will be used to promote the programming at VISION and to prepare marketing materials. Please be sure that the information you provide is complete, accurate and grammatically correct.

Presentation Title: 10 word maximum; may be edited for publication

Short Session Description: 50 words maximum; may be edited for publication

Category: Choose one of 11 ACTE Divisions

High-quality CTE Framework: Choose up to two

Session learning objectives: 3-5 specific objectives that describe what participants will learn or gain from the session

Detailed Description (500 words maximum): Provide a more thorough description of the content and structure of your session. You must address the evidence base for the presentation, audience engagement strategies, the practical application or tools/resources to be provided, and how the session topic reflects innovation or new ideas or approaches within CTE.

Conference Key Dates

Call for Proposals Opens: December 18, 2017

Call for Proposal Deadline: March 14, 2018

Registration Opens: In March

Proposal Accepted/Rejected Notifications: April 30-May 4

Discounted Speaker Registration Deadline: July 13

Deadline:

Proposals are due March 14,