Virginia Association for Career and Technical Education

21st Annual
Professional Development
Leadership Seminar
for Virginia Educators

January 9-10, 2020
Hilton Richmond Downtown
Richmond, Virginia

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2019-2020 Meeting Dates  
September 26, 2019*  
January 9, 2020†  
June 11, 2020*  
November 14, 2019*  
March 12, 2020*  
*Held at the CTE Resource Center in Henrico beginning at 9 a.m.  
†Held at the Hilton Richmond Downtown, Richmond
Thursday, January 9

9 a.m.–6 p.m. Registration
River City Ballroom Pre-Function

9 a.m.–6 p.m. Exhibits/Silent Auction
Facilitators: Laura Smith, Virginia ACTE President-elect; Dr. Jessica Jones, Virginia ACTE Past President
River City Ballroom Pre-Function

9–10 a.m. Policymaker Meet and Greet (Virginia ACTE Board)
Pocahontas Building
Senate Subcommittee Room 3, Fifth Floor

9 a.m.–12:45 p.m. VACTEA Board of Directors Meeting
Liberty

10:30–11:30 a.m. First-timers Information Session
Laura Smith, Virginia ACTE President-elect
Dr. Jessica Jones, Virginia ACTE Past President
Facilitator: George Bishop, Virginia ACTE President
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12:30–1 p.m. Refreshments
River City Ballroom Pre-Function

1–2 p.m. Opening Session
Miller/Rhoads/Gerhart
Welcome from Virginia ACTE
George Bishop, President

Nancy Trivette, President
Association for Career and Technical Education
Topic: Grow Your Career: ACTE Professional Development

Keynote Speaker
Travis Staton, President and CEO
United Way of Southwest Virginia; member, Virginia Board of Workforce Development
Topic: Tools and Tips for Building Work-based Learning

Facilitators: Toinette Outland, Virginia ACTE Vice President for Membership; Laura Smith, Virginia ACTE President-elect

2–2:15 p.m. Refreshment Break/Visit Exhibitors
River City Ballroom Pre-Function
Breakout Session

Celebrating Work-based Learning in Frederick County Schools
Melissa McDonald, Work-based Learning Coordinator
Mary Beth Echeverria, Supervisor of Career and Technical Education
Frederick County Public Schools

Frederick County Public Schools reinvigorated their work-based learning program through purposeful planning and by employing a division work-based learning coordinator three years ago. The school division has created a comprehensive approach, which has increased the availability of experiences for students and is poised for additional growth.

Facilitators: Shannon Edwards, counselor; Dr. James A. “Jim” Egenrieder, VTEEA

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Carly Woolfolk, Director of Secondary Education and Career & Technical Education
Dinwiddie County Public Schools

Dinwiddie County has embraced the importance of every student having a student-driven academic and career plans to ensure that students have the experiences that lead to success. Dinwiddie County Public Schools and the Dinwiddie Economic Development office have partnered to develop a systematic approach to work-based learning that provides all students with career exposure and advances to work-based learning placements to develop experience in their chosen fields.

Facilitators: Kimberly Wilson, VATFACS; Melvina Robinson, secretary, Virginia ACTE

Ignite Program: Work-based Learning in Southwest Virginia
Travis Staton, President and CEO
United Way of Southwest Virginia

United Way of Southwest Virginia’s Ignite Program has been on the cutting edge of developing a talent pipeline for the jobs of tomorrow. In 2019 United Way of Southwest Virginia, in partnership with GO Virginia, created new work-based learning components of Ignite, from aligning school credentialing with the needs of employers to developing opportunities for STEM-related project-based learning and connecting students learning to on the job training through internships. This session will provide the tools and tips that made the program a success in helping today’s youth to be more prepared for work.

Facilitator: Michael Ormsmith, VACTEA; Adriane Graham, VAME

3–3:15 p.m.
Refreshment Break/Visit Exhibitors
River City Ballroom Pre-Function

3:15–5:30 p.m.
Second General Session
Virginia ACTE Business Meeting
George Bishop, President, Virginia ACTE

Perkins V Plan
George R. Willcox, Director, Operations and Accountability
Office of Career, Technical and Adult Education, Virginia Department of Education

Policy Update
Dr. Brenda D. Long, Executive Director, Virginia ACTE
Barb Hancock-Henley, Virginia ACTE Region II Policy Committee
Bonnie Atwood, David Bailey and Associates

Work Sessions
River City Ballroom

Facilitator: Matt Ingram, VATIE; Terry Templeton, VACTE-SND

5:30–6 p.m.
Virginia ACTE Reception (Cash Bar)
Silent Auction and 50/50 Raffle (Final Call)
River City Ballroom Pre-Function
Dinner/Awards

Welcome
**George Bishop**, President, Virginia ACTE

Presentation of Colors
Atlee High School Air Force JROTC
Hanover County Public Schools
Charles R. Schmetzer, Lt. Col. (Ret.), Senior Aerospace Science Instructor

Greetings from the Virginia Department of Education
**Dr. James F. Lane**
Superintendent of Public Instruction

Invocation
**Laura Smith**, President-elect, Virginia ACTE

Dinner

Special Introductions

**George Bishop**, President, Virginia ACTE

Greetings from the Career and Technical Student Organizations
**Fathiyah Eyiowuawi**, HOSA State President

**CTSO State Presidents, 2019–2020**

DECA: **Shritha Mandava**
Oakton High School, Fairfax County Public Schools

FBLA: **Natalie Youngblood**
James Wood High School, Frederick County Public Schools

FCCLA: **Jana Bowman**
Strasburg High School, Shenandoah County Public Schools

FFA: **Mackenzie Hurley**
Fauquier High School, Fauquier County Public Schools

HOSA: **Fathiyah Eyiowuawi**
Brooke Point High School, Stafford County Public Schools

SkillsUSA: **Christian Gibson**
Massanutten Technical Center, Rockingham County Public Schools

TSA: **Alice Xu**
Blacksburg High School, Montgomery County Public Schools

**CTSO National Officer, 2019–2020**

FCCLA: **Abby Stern**, National Vice President of Membership
Eastern View High School, Culpeper County Public Schools

Presentation of Awards

**Barb Hancock-Henley**, Awards Chair, Virginia ACTE

**Virginia ACTE 2019 Policymaker of the Year**

The Honorable Jennifer D. Carroll Foy
Virginia House of Delegates
2nd District
Counties of Prince William (part) and Stafford (part)
Virginia ACTE Excellence Awards
Special Thanks to Our Excellence Awards Sponsor, the Virginia Lottery

Greetings from the Virginia Lottery
Eileen Rodgers
Community Relations Specialist

Virginia ACTE 2020 New Career and Technical Education Teacher
Kristina Rice
Business and Information Technology Teacher
Spotsylvania High School, Spotsylvania County Public Schools

Virginia ACTE 2020 Outstanding Career and Technical Education Teacher
Terri Ann Evers
Family and Consumer Sciences Teacher
Spotsylvania Career and Technical Education Center, Spotsylvania County Public Schools

Virginia ACTE 2020 Career and Technical Education Administrator of the Year Award
Mary Beth Echeverria
Supervisor of Career and Technical Education
Frederick County Public Schools

Virginia ACTE Lifetime Achievement Award
Judith Sams
Specialist, Business and Information Technology and Related Clusters
Virginia Department of Education

Special Thanks to Our Virginia ACTE Awards Sponsor

Proud to have contributed a record-breaking

$650 MILLION TO K-12 PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN FY19

and nearly $10 billion since 1999
Other Recognition and Honors

ACTE 2020 Teacher of the Year
Kimberly Wilson
Family and Consumer Sciences
T.C. Williams High School, Alexandria City Public Schools

Past President
Virginia Association for Career and Technical Education
Dr. Jessica Jones

Closing
George Bishop, President, Virginia ACTE

8:15–10 p.m. CTSO Training Meeting
Salon A
8:15–10 p.m. Hospitality
Liberty
Silent Auction (pickup of items) and 50/50 Raffle (final)

Friday, January 10

7:15–8:15 a.m. Breakfast Buffet
Rhoads/Gerhart
The Honorable Atif Qarni
Secretary of Education, Commonwealth of Virginia

8:15 a.m. Leave for General Assembly, Pocahontas Building (four-block walk)
Hotel Front Entrance

8:30–10:30 a.m. Career and Technical Education Networking with Policymakers and Stakeholders

11 a.m.–1 p.m. Closing Luncheon
Rhoads/Gerhart
Presiding
George Bishop, President, Virginia ACTE
Participants’ Reports
Adjournment

1–9 p.m. VATIE Board of Directors Meeting
Miller

Saturday, January 11

8:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m. VTEEA Board of Directors Meeting
Gerhart

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Organizational Chart

National Association

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State Association

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Division Associations*

VAAE
Virginia Association of Agriculture Educators

VACTE-SND
Virginia Association for Career and Technical Education–Special Needs Division

VAME
Virginia Association of Marketing Educators

VATIE
Virginia Association of Trade and Industrial Educators

VAHAMSEA
Virginia Health and Medical Sciences Educators Association

VACTEA
Virginia Association of Career and Technical Education Administrators

VATFACS
Virginia Association of Teachers of Family and Consumer Sciences

VTEEA
Virginia Technology and Engineering Education Association

VBEA
Virginia Business Education Association

* A representative from each division serves as a voting member on the Virginia ACTE Board.
The Virginia Association for Career and Technical Education traces its roots to the 1920s, when it was known as VVA, the Virginia Vocational Association. Strong leadership in the past has provided today’s organization with a solid foundation and good historical data upon which to base current activities and policies.

Below is a list of the recent presidents of our state career and technical education association.

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