Monday, July 22

9:30 a.m.
Missouri ACTE Board of Directors Meeting
Oasis Hotel & Convention Center- Sahara
Continental Breakfast begins at 9:00 a.m.

1:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Missouri ACTE Conference Registration
Oasis Hotel & Convention Center – Grand Ballroom

1:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Exhibits Open
Oasis Hotel & Convention Center – Grand Ballroom

2:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.
All Missouri ACTE Committee Meetings
Oasis Hotel & Convention Center: Maui Ballroom

4:15 pm.-5:30 p.m.
MHSE Board Meeting- Dinner
Bass Pro Shops Springfield, MO

5:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m.
Wonders of Wildlife (Pre-Registration Required)
Bass Pro Shops Springfield, MO

Tuesday July 23 (continued)

7:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Exhibits Open
Oasis Hotel & Convention Center – Grand Ballroom

7:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Missouri ACTE Conference Registration
Oasis Hotel & Convention Center – Grand Ballroom

8:00 a.m.-9:30 a.m.
Missouri ACTE Opening General Session
MoEFACS, MCCTA, MTTA, MACS, TEAM, MHSE
Oasis Hotel & Convention Center – Paradise Ballroom
Speaker- Gerry Brooks

10:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m.
Missouri ACTE Opening General Session
MVATA, MBEA, MCEA
Oasis Hotel & Convention Center – Paradise Ballroom
Speaker- Gerry Brooks

11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Dine-Around Town (Lunch)
Area restaurants will be open to serve our members.
Info at www.mo-acte.org
TUESDAY JULY 23 (CONTINUED)

1:00 p.m - 1:50 p.m.
MOACTE 50 Minute Sessions
Holiday Inn Hotel & Suites located at Granada/Monaco/ Rainer Room

1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Missouri ACTE Board of Directors Training
Oasis & Convention Center Coco Ballroom

2:00 p.m. - 2:50 p.m.
Missouri ACTE 50 Minute Sessions
Holiday Inn Hotel & Suites located at Granada/Monaco/ Rainer Room

3:00 p.m - 3:50 p.m.
Missouri ACTE 50 Minute Sessions
Holiday Inn Hotel & Suites located at Granada/Monaco/ Rainer Room

3:00 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.
New Professional Session
Oasis & Convention Center- Maui Ballroom

4:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Missouri ACTE Awards Reception
The Barley House at Moon Town Crossing
(located next to the new Holiday Inn Express MVATA hotel)

WEDNESDAY JULY 24

8:00 a.m - 11:00 a.m.
Missouri ACTE Late Registration
Oasis Hotel & Convention Center Glass Lobby

7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.
New Teacher/1st Time Attendee Meet & Greet
Holiday Inn North- Peppertree Restaurant
Facilitators: Felicia D. Hampton and Shelly Wehmeyer

8:30 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.
Break (Visit Vendors)

WEDNESDAY JULY 24 (CONTINUED)

8:45 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.
Cluster Meeting

Allied Health
Holiday Inn North - Peppertree Back Room
Facilitator: Maggie Ogden

Health Science
Holiday Inn North - Ranier Room
Facilitator: Jamie Bergsieker

Nursing
Holiday Inn North - Granada Room
Facilitator: Ka'Sandra Leer

9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.
MHSE Opening Business Meeting
Holiday Inn North - Monaco/Ranier Rooms
President: Felicia D. Hampton

10:30 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.
Break (Visit Vendors)

10:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.
MHSE Opening Session 1
Classroom Management
Holiday Inn North - Monaco/Ranier Rooms
Speaker: Ramona Symonette
Facilitator: Diane Hickmon

This session will help teachers to be successful in implementing a management plan that allows all students to learn and be successful. This presentation will explore the different ways teachers can contribute to their students learning environment that promotes a healthy, fun and nurturing environment. The material presented will assist with the identification of being a thermometer or thermostat leader. At the end of this session, participants will also be able to identify SMART Goals and grasp the understanding of the “Five Standards of Effective Pedagogy.”

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1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.
MHSE Opening Session 2
“Diversity in Healthcare: Building the Next Generation of Professionals”
Holiday Inn North - Monaco/Ranier Rooms

Speaker: Dr. Colette McLemore Dixon
Facilitator: Felicia D. Hampton
This session will empower participants to assist in building the next generation of healthcare professionals. Cultural Care is holistic care that expresses all that is inherent in the development of healthcare delivery to meet mandates of cultural mandates. As we become a more diverse society, the necessity to provide cultural care becomes more crucial. As educators, we have a great opportunity to help develop the next generation of health care professionals. In our roles, we can expand diversity health care to mirror this society. The presentations and workshops delivered today will provide ideas and tools to help build a more diverse health care profession regardless of where you are teaching in Missouri.

3:30 p.m.
House of Delegates Meeting
Oasis Hotel & Convention Center- Fiji Ballroom

3:45 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Break - MHSE Vendor Session
(Enjoy our vendor experience)
Facilitator: Felicia D. Hampton

5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
New Professional Reception under the Red Tent (Hammons Ballfield)
Pre-Registration Required

6:30 p.m.
Springfield Cardinals game at Hammons Field
Gates open 1 hour prior to the game.
Come early to see the MoACTE President throw out the first pitch!
Thursday July 25

7:15 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.
MHSE Closing Business Meeting with Hotel Staff (Hot Buffet in the Pre-Convene Area)

Holiday Inn North - Monaco/Ranier Rooms
President Felicia D. Hampton

8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.
DESE Updates, Introduction to Health Science Framework, NSCHE & CCQI

Speaker: Shelly Wehmeyer
Facilitator: Becky Wernsing
Holiday Inn North - Monaco/Ranier Rooms

9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
MHSE Closing Session
Cox College Tour

Stop the Bleed Train the Trainer Course
Presenter: Dr. Laurie Punch
Facilitator: Felicia D. Hampton

Stop the Bleed St. Louis is a program sponsored by Power4STL, a non-profit volunteer organization of health professionals dedicated to decreasing the impact of trauma and violence in the St. Louis metropolitan area. Stop the Bleed is a national awareness campaign and call-to-action. Stop the Bleed is intended to cultivate grassroots efforts that encourage bystanders to become trained, equipped, and empowered to help in a bleeding emergency before professional help arrives. Instructor training will be incorporated into classes for RNs, MDs, PT/OTs, respiratory therapists, CT/MRI technicians, EMTs, and paramedics. After receiving training, the participants will be equipped to begin ongoing classes in schools.

12:00 p.m.
Missouri ACTE Board of Directors Meeting
Oasis Hotel & Convention Center - Fiji Ballroom
Lunch served at 11:30 a.m.

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Mrs. Ramona Symonette, RN, MSN

Mrs. Ramona Symonette is a Registered Nurse. She has been a nurse for 16 years. She received her education at Chamberlain College of Nursing. She began this journey in 2003. She traveled this road making several stops along the way. She entered into this profession as a Licensed Practical Nurse, her role and responsibilities increased after she transitioned into the role of a Registered Nurse. She is currently pursuing her Doctoral Degree in Nursing Leadership Management with an emphasis on “Fall Prevention Programs in the Elderly Population.” Mrs. Symonette decided to pursue this area of study when she observed the injuries sustained related to this cohort falling. The lack of education per the licensed and unlicensed staff sparked an adventure to educate long-term care providers on the importance of identifying high fall risk residents and implementing the correct interventions. Mrs. Symonette anticipated completion is 02/2020. Mrs. Symonette has experience as a Career and Technical Educator, Director of Skilled Nursing, Rehabilitation Care Nurse, and a Certified Nursing Assistant Instructor and Examiner. She is currently a full-time nursing instructor at Lutheran School of Nursing in St. Louis, MO.

Mrs. Symonette has a passion for teaching. She enjoys observing the “light bulb go on.” She is often seen sitting with a student(s) providing comfort, encouragement or laughter. She exemplifies a great leader. She extends her relationships beyond graduation by providing professional mentoring and guidance.

Mrs. Symonette believes that nursing is a reflection of one’s heart. It defines your character as a person, and it also provides insight into your strength. The act of caring and providing care allows the recipient to feel God in the human form. Nursing is a display of love and compassion, and it takes a unique individual to pursue the opportunity to deposit that love.

Favorite Quote: “You should be the change that you want to see in the world.” – Mahatma Gandhi

Mrs. Symonette is the founder of Train-Up-A-Child Ministries and Blessed Beyond Beauty Book Club, LLC. She is dedicated to supporting the inner city youth and women of all ages through mentor-ship. Mrs. Symonette enjoys spending time with her husband, three adult sons, and her dog Rhythm.

Dr. Marty K. Casey

Leading from position, excelling in power and walking in purpose, Marty K. Casey when entering the room is not only seen, her presence is felt! Having received recognition from super star Beyoncé for her philanthropy efforts serving as a mentor for 20 aspiring teens in the music sector for a group called Spreading The Love Singers. Marty K. Casey a super star in her own right, despite starting her very own Production company, creating, authoring and launching 3 National Plays, one featured at the St. Louis Fabulous Fox Theater, touring the world with several National Stage productions, and sharing the stage with Grammy Award winning artist, Marty still found time to start and grow the Show Me Arts Foundation, a non-profit 501c3 a Multi-Cultural Artistic Development Foundation for under-served youth, ages 5-18. To date Marty has serviced more than 2,500 children for free, providing them access to the arts and a venue to tap into their creative talents.

Marty a St. Louis Missouri native, was the first Black woman to receive a full scholarship in music as well as the first Black freshman class President at Missouri Baptist University in 1989. Having recently wrote, directed and produced her very own one woman show, titled It’s Not A Man’s World, which is based off her life and the benefits of being nurtured and mentored by 5 generations of strong women, Marty’s list of accomplishments is a show stopper all by themselves. In April 2018 Marty became an Ambassador for orphan children to Shine Ministries in Uganda Africa. Additionally, August 10th, 2018 Marty, received another honor as Her Excellency Reverend Dr. Marty K. Casey CDSE through the Ambassador of the United Nations and she is the first female Ambassador in the Midwest to receive these highest honors from the United Nations.

Not only blessed with stage presence, Marty’s vows to never forget her humbling beginnings when she sung backup for up and coming artist, she also became a touring vocalist in the internationally acclaimed group Golden Gospel Singers a 4-year tour, touring in both Germany & France. More evidence to further confirm Marty’s trailblazing persona is supported by her success in becoming a member of the Actors Equity Association (AEA) in 2006, when she debuted in the longest running musical to date in Missouri titled Menopause The Musical. Twelve years of appearances with the show is what inspired Marty to write, direct and produce her one woman show, which is scheduled to return by popular demand November 2, 2018 at the Historical Mahler Ballroom.

In between stage plays, films, teaching a weekly acting class, mentoring, and leading her St. Louis based Network National Association of Black Female Executives in Music and Entertainment, Marty is most proud of her work with the Juvenile Detention Center where she teaches her latest program Un- GUN, which is designed to encourage mentoring, dance, and DJ engineering. A loving wife, mother and beloved grandmother of two boys, roles that requires no rehearsals or scripts, Marty’s desire to set a positive example for her grandsons and others is the primary motivation for her drive to leave a legacy of advocacy and excellency in the arts.
Colette M. McLemore Dixon, PhD, is the Assistant Dean of Student and Alumni Affairs at University of Missouri St. Louis, College of Nursing and adjunct professor for the College of Education at the University of Missouri St. Louis. She has twelve years of experience in higher education. For most of her career, she has worked healthcare, which has included the offices of diversity and inclusion at institutions as Director of Diversity and Inclusion at Saint Louis University School of Medicine and Assistant Director at Ohio University College of Osteopathic Medicine. She earned her doctorate at Saint Louis University in Higher Education; Dr. McLemore Dixon has a master’s degree in Personal Counseling, from Lindenwood University in St. Charles, MO and a Certificate of Contemporary Adult Spirituality from Saint Louis University. Dr. McLemore Dixon has received numerous awards in her twelve-year higher education career, but is most proud of her Women of The Year Award from Saint Louis University, Staff Member of the Year award from Ohio University and most recently, The National Society of Leadership and Success from the University of Missouri St. Louis. Dr. McLemore Dixon’s research interest are in African American college student persistence; servant leadership and self-care for higher education professionals. As a recipient of a church-based scholarship, she knows the importance of engaging students in unconventional ways to find out where and who supports them in their journey and pursuit of a college degree.

Laurie J Punch, MD, came to St. Louis in 2016 and has quickly immersed herself in understanding the city’s history and current challenges. She has become a force of nature in revolutionizing trauma care both as an associate professor of surgery in the Acute & Critical Care Surgery division and outside of the hospital walls as the director of Power4STL, a non-profit that aims to reduce harm from violence through community health outreach. Dr. Punch founded the local branch along with Washington University surgery resident Dr. Erin Andrade and Jane Hayes, a medical student.

She has worked tirelessly to bring trauma first aid or “Stop the Bleed” classes to the WashU campus, St. Louis schools, and high-risk communities. She has taught over 2000 people life-saving bleeding control skills and has empowered them to change the narrative surrounding violence from one of helplessness to self-agency and resilience.

Power4STL hosts weekly trauma first aid classes in the city and county juvenile detention centers and offers internship positions to formerly incarcerated youth.

The organization recently opened a community health education outreach center on Delmar to provide trauma first aid training and offers a new program focused on learning “How 2 Heal” after violent injury. Dr. Punch is passionate about treating the wounds that are left by bullets, both physical and psychological.

Dr. Punch is associate professor and associate program director, general surgery residency at Washington University School of Medicine.