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| Anne Adasiak-Andrew | Business & Community Liaison ASD CTE Department | Anne grew up in Alaska, attended the University of Redlands, in California and the Sorbonne in Paris, and obtained a degree in French and a minor in Voice. After 13 years in Alaska Tourism, Anne completed her master's degree in Curriculum and Instruction at UAF and taught for 10 years in ASD. In 2015, Anne left the district to manage a scholarship and internship program for Chenega Future, Inc. but returned to ASD last fall to expand the internship opportunities for juniors and seniors in CTE. |
| Daniel Bird | VP North America Sales Isograd | Daniel Bird is the VP of Sales for ISOGRAD. He has over 21 years of experience in the education community. Daniel has presented to teachers in over 10 countries and in 15 States on topics ranging from "How do we engage the one" to "Bringing government, business and education together". |
| Cheryl Bobo | Program Manager, Alaska's Code.org, Alaska Staff Development Network | Cheryl Bobo has worked to support career exploration and awareness for over 25 years in Alaska schools. She has led innovative STEM and Career Summer Camps for Educators in SE Alaska for over 6 years. Her passions include supporting teachers by providing engaging and relevant professional development and ensuring equitable learning opportunities for students. This has led her to now serve as the ASDN's Program Manager for Code.org for Alaska. [1] |
| Sheila Box | CTE Program Manager Alaska Department of Education & Early Development | Sheila Box has been with the Department of Education & Early Development for 20 years. She has worked extensively with most of the Title Programs as well as School Improvement. Sheila served the last 2 years as the State Homeless Coordinator, and has been a member of the CTE team for the past 4 years. |
| Gloria Burnett | Alaska AHEC Director University of Alaska Anchorage | Gloria is the Director of Alaska's Area Health Education Center (AHEC) Program at the University of Alaska Anchorage. She has a wealth of experience with the Alaska AHEC program as the founder and director of the Northwest AHEC Barrow, AK. Gloria's previous employment experience resides with Ilisagvik College, Alaska's only tribal college. She holds a Masters degree in Education along with a Bachelor's degree in Psychology. |
| Teri Cothren | Associate Vice President of Workforce Programs University of Alaska | Teri has ten years of workforce development experience at the University of Alaska. She joined UA Workforce Programs in 2013 and was promoted to Associate Vice President in May 2019. In this capacity she serves on several workforce initiatives and boards, including being President Elect of the Alaska Association of Career and Technical Education, and is a core member in the implementation of the Alaska Career and Technical Education Plan. |
| Dayna DeFeo | Research Assistant Professor Center for Alaska Education Policy Research at ISER, UAA | Dayna DeFeo and Trang Tran are researchers at the Institute of Social and Economic Research at UAA. Teri Cothren is Associate Vice President of Workforce Programs at UA. |

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| Melinda Dooley & Rebecca Jesse | Teacher Anchorage School District | Melinda Dooley and Rebecca Jesse are Culinary Arts and ProStart teachers in the Anchorage School District. They have successfully prepared students to participate in National Cooking Competitions. Both have received the honor of Alaska ProStart teacher of the year and combined they have over 50 years of experience in the classroom. |
| Colleen Fisk | Energy Education Director Renewable Energy Alaska Project | As the Energy Education Director at REAP, Colleen visits K-12 students across the state through classroom visits, Girl Scout events, STEM nights, summer camps, and more, as well as offers teacher trainings and public workshops. Colleen grew up on a small farm in Alaska, participated in FFA and 4-H while in school, and earned her Master of Education in Secondary Education from UAF. She loves her job of teaching about energy and meeting teachers who are doing incredible work in their classrooms. |
| Missy Frazee | Director Anchorage School District | Missy is the Director of CTE for the Anchorage School District. She oversees 10 middle school and 9 high school programs. She is passionate about increasing access and equity in CTE for ASD and works collaboratively with teachers and principals to grow CTE programs. |
| Andrea Gelvin | Curriculum Consultant Alaska HOSA | Andrea Gelvin has a Masters of Education in Curriculum and Instruction with many years of experience teaching Health Science and mentoring Health Science teachers and HOSA Advisors. Andrea has taught health science in Fairbanks and rural Alaska. She is an Alaskan High School teacher, EMT-3, First Aid, CPR & EMT Instructor, nationally certified Medical Assistant, Mental Health First Aid Instructor. |
| Domenic Giunta | Founder and CEO IDIYA Labs | Domenic Giunta started IDIYA in 2013 to help communities adopt new technologies. In 2015, the company was awarded a Capital One grant to develop digital literacy programs around advanced manufacturing including 3D printing, laser cutting, computer-controlled milling, and other digital fabrication technologies. In 2017 he moved to Anchorage, Alaska to assist the Anchorage School District with implementing Advanced Manufacturing technologies in their middle school Applied Tech program. |
| Rex Hamner | CTE Teacher Tok School | 35 year veteran teaching agricultural education in Wyoming and Alaska. Courses taught include greenhouse management, welding, mechanics, environmental science, animal science, small engines, electrical wiring, |
| Elizabeth Hardie | Program Coordinator Mining and Petroleum Training Service / University of Alaska Fairbanks and Alaska EXCEL | Elizabeth Hardie has worked for Mining and Petroleum Training Service/UAF for 12 years as Program Coordinator. [will need to provide co-presenter bio at a later date: Martha Peck, EXCEL Alaska] |

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| Peter Host, Mikel Insalaco, & Hannah Lies | Development Manager Alaska Public Media | Peter works in Development for Alaska Public Media and is proud to present with his two talented coworkers, Hannah and Mikel. |
| Steve Johnson | Associate Professor of Computing, Prince William Sound College | Steven Johnson, Ph.D. is the Project Manager for the Alaska Tech Learner. He is an Associate Professor of Computing and Assistant Director of Academic Affairs at Prince William Sound College. |
| Roland "Bud" Johnson | Vice President, Sales & Marketing Paxton/Patterson | Mr. Johnson has presented to thousands of educators in the USA and eight foreign countries. He communicates effectively about instructional design affecting student learning and how Cloud-based curriculum finally allows truly differentiated instruction. He has authored articles in several publications which discussed the importance of rigorous CTE programs for both middle and high schools. He serves as a member of the publisher's coalition for National Consortium for Health Science Education. |
| Matt Johnson | Territory Manager, Certiport | Matt manages the implementations for Certiport's certification exams, practice tests, and curriculum for 7 western states. He has been assisting teachers and CTE administrators in adding certifications to enhance their programs to give their students the competitive edge to start their careers. |
| Diane Lashinsky | Senior Director of School Engagement - AK, Project Lead The Way, Inc. | Diane Lashinsky has been serving Alaska School Districts for the past 4 years to design STEM education programs for PreK-12 students with Project Lead The Way curriculum in computer science, engineering, and biomedical science. As a partner, Diane assists with teacher training and designing/implementing PLTW programs in urban and rural/remote school districts. She is a trusted advisor to AK schools, teachers, and is committed to equity and opportunity for all students. |
| Shelly Morgan | K-12 Specialist, Alaska Commission on Postsecondary Education | As the Alaska Commission on Postsecondary Education (ACPE's) K-12 Specialist, Shelly Morgan manages the early college & career exploration programs I Know I Can and Kids2College, connects schools with Early Career Explorer classroom resources, and assists upper elementary and middle school classrooms with establishing AKCIS Junior curriculum. Shelly trains volunteers, teachers, campuses, and coordinators in program implementation and best practices. |
| Dave Owens | High School CTE Instructor, Petersburg High School | Dave Owens was trained in elementary education and taught 3rd/4th grade before transitioning into the high school shop program. In the vo tech room of the high school, he has found his calling! |

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| Jeanette Renaudineau | Curriculum Specialist, North to the Future of Education | Former high school math teacher turned instructional designer and curriculum specialist, I tend to want to throw boxed curriculum out the window and get students engaged in messy, hands-on projects. I've been working for ASD's CTE department for the last 5 years and this year also facilitated the development of a culturally-responsive college and career ready curriculum for St. Paul Island. |
| Julia Renfro | AKCIS Partnership Coordinator, Alaska Commission on Postsecondary Education | Julia helps Alaskans develop personal learning & career plans (PLCPs), and encourages parental engagement by sharing her career services; human resources; job center; secondary & PSE, and corporate training experience. She contributes nationally to CIS system development, serves nationally as ACRP President and CIS Executive Team Chair. |
| Deb Riddle | Division Operations Manager for Student Learning, CTE, Standards and Support | Deb Riddle is the Division Operations Manager at DEED. She has been with the department for 7 years serving in a variety of roles ranging from a Title I program manager to an assessments administrator. Deb spent 15 years as a middle school teacher of math, science, family consumer science, robotics and technology. |
| Andy Rogers | Executive Director, Alaska Business Week | Andy Rogers is an Alaska entrepreneur and employer. Rogers also directs Alaska Business Week, skills-based camps where high school students learn the basic business principles needed to run a company profitably and ethically. |
| Joni Simpson | CTE College and Career Coordinator, Fairbanks Northstar Borough School District | Joni Simpson is the CTE College and Career Coordinator for the Fairbanks North Star Borough School District and the CTSO Coordinator for the State of Alaska. Kevin Fochs is currently the FFA State Advisor for Alaska. Combined they have over 70 years experience in CTE/CTSO's. |
| Felicia Swanson | Alaska Department of Education & Early Development | Felicia Swanson is the main contact for Perkins related data questions. She has been part of the Department of Education & Early Development for 21 years with the majority of her time spent on the CTE Team; she has the historical knowledge and experience. Felicia also serves as the Coordinator for Alaska Performance Scholarship. |
| Marshall Talbott | Certified Classroom Teacher, Yupiit School District | My name is Marshall Talbott. I have been working as a classroom teacher in public schools for 38 years. In addition to teaching, I spent 4 years in the US Navy as a Surface Warfare Officer, 10 years in the Army National Guard as a carpenter in an engineering battalion. I also worked as a carpenter full time for 5 years. This is my 13th year teaching in Alaska. Most of my work experience in Alaska has been teaching in rural Alaska. Primarily I have learned from OJT and trial and error. |

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| Chris Taylor | CTE Instructor, Mat-Su Borough School District | <p>Chris has taught in multiple school districts over the past 18 years. His passion is motivating others to be passionate about their financial futures. Simplifying seemingly complex financial concepts is what he attempts to do daily.</p> <p>Being grown here and not flown here has given him an appreciation for Alaska as well as the challenges that it faces in the future. Traveling with his family and fly-fishing are two things he allocates financial resources towards.</p> |
| Beki Toussaint | Education Program Manager, Alaska Resource Education | <p>Beki has a BS in Natural Science and Education and a MS in Environmental Science. Beki was an environmental scientist in permitting. With Alaska Resource Education since 2012, Beki has combined her passion for teaching with her experience from consulting. Beki now travels across the state educating students and teachers about Alaska's Natural Resources.</p> |
| Trang Tran | Research Professional, Center for Alaska Education Policy Research at ISER, UAA | <p>Trang Tran is the researcher at the Institute of Social and Economic Research at UAA</p> |
| Bjorn Wolter | CTE Program Manager, Alaska Department of Education & Early Development | <p>Bjørn Wolter is a CTE program manager with the Alaska Department of Education & Early Development. He has been a professor, researcher, and administrator in K-20+ education for more than two decades. Bjørn earned a Ph.D from Michigan State University, and an M.S. and B.S. from Western Washington University.</p> |
| Woody Woodgate | Workforce Development Coordinator, Prince William Sound College | <p>Woody Woodgate and Dr. Steve Johnson work with students at Prince William Sound College in Valdez, AK.</p> |
| Kelly Woolcott | Teacher - Health Sciences, MatSu Career and Technical HS | <p>Initial degree: Bachelor of Science in Medical Laboratory Science; University of Alberta; Edmonton, Alberta, Canada. 15 years of Health Care Industry experience before becoming a certified teacher: Science 7-12. Currently teaches Intro to Pharmacy and Medical Math; Medical Terminology, Pharmacology (Pharm Tech prep), Microbiology and Forensic Science.</p> |

[1] Responder updated this value.