Hello!

I hope you had a great summer break and were able recover from our crazy school year. As you start the new year, remember that ACTE and myself are here to assist in any way we can.

Be on the lookout in the next couple months for information on our Business Division Opening Session at ACTE's CareerTech VISION and what all we have planned for everyone in New Orleans, Louisiana, Dec. 1–4.

Resources and Updates from MBA Research & Curriculum Center
MBA Research is a not-for-profit working in partnership with business administration educators.

New Ethics Resources
Looking for new ways to teach ethics in your classroom? We've recently developed an Ethics Books & Movies List full of recommended resources to help teach students about ethical decision-making and an Ethics Boot Camp consisting of 10 hours of ethics activities for students. These ethics resources and more are available through the generous support of the Daniels Fund.

Professional Development: Learning Center Course Guides
This summer, MBA Research released new Learning Center Course Guides for eight of our most popular courses. We are offering training for the new Learning Center Course Guides at various times Aug. 17–19. Sessions include looking at the old format vs. the new format, an overview of the new Learning Center Course Guides, navigating instructor resources, and how student resources are formatted for a more user-friendly experience. Registration is open and FREE.
Early Bird Rates Extended to Aug. 31

The most important event for career and technical educators, ACTE's CareerTech VISION will provide unparalleled networking, inspiring keynote speakers, hundreds of concurrent program sessions covering multiple CTE sectors and timely equity and access topics and innovations in CTE, an in-person Expo, and more. This year’s event happens in New Orleans, Louisiana, Dec. 1–4 and in-person rates include access to both in-person and virtual programming. Please note, the early bird rates have been extended to Aug. 31, so there’s still time to secure the most affordable way to attend VISION! Not able to attend in-person? Join us virtually for a dynamic and specially curated content.

Learn more and register

New Resource for CTE Administrators

This third and final book in the popular CTE Administrative Leadership series shares practical advice, insights and tips from dozens of successful CTE administrators from around the country. Other topics include evaluating your CTE programs of study for high-quality delivery, supporting special needs learners, integrating academic and CTE concepts and student credentialing. Member price is only $19.95.

Purchase your copy
Upcoming Webinars

Mark your calendar for these upcoming free webinars, covering innovative best practices and inclusion, access, equity and diversity in CTE.

- Designing a College and Career Pathways System, sponsored by NC3T, on **Aug. 27 at 11:00 a.m. ET**
- Teaching Innovative CTE: Bringing Industry into Your Classroom with Real-world Projects & Skills on **Sept. 1 at noon ET**
- Making CTE Classrooms More Inclusive for LGBTQ+ Students on **Sept. 8 at 3:00 p.m. ET**
- Part 2: Confronting Isms in the Classroom on **Oct. 5 at 2:00 p.m. ET**

New CTE Learn Courses

Be sure to check out the following latest additions to the growing collection of 170+ CTE Learn courses at www.ctelearn.org:

- **Creating Work-Based Learning Programs**
- **HQ101— CTE High-quality Framework: Standards-aligned and Integrated Curriculum**
- **Integrating Career Readiness Into Your Courses: Part II**
- **Introduction to Positive Psychology for Educators**
High-Quality CTE During COVID-19

Secondary schools and colleges are preparing to open their doors for the fall semester while navigating shifting guidelines for COVID-19. Refresh your plans and strategies for this school year with ACTE’s COVID-19 resources:

- **High-Quality CTE: Planning for a COVID-19-impacted School Year**: This guide, published in summer 2020, helps CTE stakeholders identify the key considerations, guiding questions and emerging best practices for delivering CTE during COVID-19 across all the elements of high-quality CTE. It was accompanied by a webinar series sharing ideas from the field.

- **High-quality CTE During COVID-19: Challenges and Innovations**: This report, published in March 2021, describes challenges for delivering CTE during COVID-19, shares examples of innovative practices, and provides recommendations for how CTE leaders can better prepare the post-COVID-19 workforce and embrace lessons learned during the pandemic.

- **High-quality CTE During COVID-19: Leveraging Federal Relief Funds at the Local Level**: Published in May 2021, this paper provides an overview of federal relief funds and suggests how CTE programs can benefit from these critical resources.

- **CTE Distance Learning Lesson Plans**: These publications from the California Department of Education’s Career and
College Transition Division, CTEOnline.org, the San Diego County Office of Education’s Office of College and Career Readiness, and ACTE highlight lesson plans, webinars and resources for remote learning across multiple sectors.

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