ACTE Board Report
Region or Division: New and Related Services
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A. Strategic Plan
Provide an update as to the progress /implementation of the Strategic Plan.

- Actions you have taken
- Successes you have had
- Support you still need

- Section leaders are focused on member engagement and value, encouraged to start leading their section and partner with other efforts from ACTE.
- Division VP focused on building leaders
- Connecting Sections with important and aligned Industry Partners

List the strategies that have been completed.

- Division VP supporting section leads through servant leadership. Providing resources, support, and a connection to ACTE.

B. Contributions to Region and Division Members
Please remember the importance of engagement of members during this time and let ACTE know how we can help engage your members with you! Please also let us know how you have engaged ACTE members within the past 4 months. Indicate if the work falls under any of the Strategic Plan.
NRS Division VP

- Quarterly newsletters with a featured section in each future newsletter- Winter 2022 featured Academic Integration. Spring 2023 will feature IVETA.
- Section guiding document has turned out to be a great resource. Will share will the NRS VP that will follow me
- Starting the planning of revising the ByLaws with Rusty
- VISION 2023
  - NRS Opening Session was extremely well attended. Would like to continue having a speaker and do awards for next year. Thinking about what local AZ person I can get to speak to would be valuable.
  - Multi-division hospitality day was a huge success. Would like to do it again next year in a larger room, with more procedures with what we learned from this year
  - The networking hour on Friday was moderately attended. This was the most expensive event for the division. I would like to look at this event in the future. I believe that there may be other opportunities to support member engagement in a way that would have more impact.
  - Attended the IVETA networking dinner and encouraged them to participate in ACTE. Promoted the next Techniques that is on global CTE.
- LAPSEN is starting a membership drive for an LPS section!
- Will be presenting at the OK NRS Division meeting in March. I will speak to the value of their national membership for NRS and display how their OK sections align with the national sections.
- Support Staff Advisory Council is being organized with ACTE. Will sit on this committee and support Kendra Allen in any efforts.
- Winter meeting for VISION 2023 in Phoenix. Will continue to inform the committee with a local perspective. Offered West-MEC for tours. Encouraged colleagues to submit to present for VISION.
- IVETA meeting with David Fretwell. He was interested in becoming a section. Spoke with Kelli Diemer and shared the pros and cons with him. He is bringing it to his board and will inform me.
- NRS Policy Meeting February
  - Topics
    - Develop current NRS Strategic Plan
- Purchasing Polos for NRS Policy Committee
- New Section was voted on by Policy Committee on 2.22-- Law and Public Safety

Career Academies

CTE Scholars

Integration of Academics - Jill Ranucci, Ph.D.

- Committee update webpage to reflect activity in states, resources and VISION 2022 Academic Integration Workshop
- The committee has met three (3) times (1/2/23, 1/10/23, 2/6/23). (Next meeting 3/13/23)
- Committee member Dick Jones is in charge of a new academic integration blog to help teachers and answer questions or present questions to the committee.
- The committee has agreed upon an outline of an “academic integration in CTE” book which will present case studies of a variety of models of best practices in integrating academics into CTE courses.
- Jill Ranucci Ph.D. will be working with teachers in Virginia in March on integrating academics in CTE.

Instructional Management and Materials

Makers of Policy/Public Information

JROTC We remain extremely busy in developing workforce development opportunities for our students. Cadets across the nation are now involved in VEX Robotics Competitions and Drone Competitions, both
sponsored by REC (Robotics Education & Competition) Foundation. In addition, STEM Leadership Academies are expanding across the nation following the model in Mobile, Alabama. The 6-million dollar Department of Defense STEM Grant will see an additional ten sites over the course of the next four years. This summer cadets in Atlanta and San Diego will be attending a week-long camp focused on career opportunities in Advanced Manufacturing. In addition, we remain committed to our traditional areas of training opportunities including rappelling, drill & ceremony, physical fitness, air rifle marksmanship, archery, and more. We are proud to be a part of CTE and believe we offer the Leadership & Employability Skills our cadets need to be successful in their chosen careers.

Special Pops
Support Staff
Tech Prep

Other
No report
ACTE is working to communicate and disseminate innovation at the forefront of all Regions and Divisions as an effort to support other CTE professionals around the nation. We anticipate highlighting the innovations in ACTE’s publications, blogs, and webinars and other similar activities. Please highlight any recent innovative ideas within your Region or Division.

Sections are leading the way with innovations and collaborations.

-- Academic Integration Section had a successful Pre-Conference Session @ VISION, and is tying together resources and collaboration on their website landing page
-- The Support Staff Section spoke to Admin Division at NRS. Is involved in Support Staff Advisory Council.
-- Career Academies Section is very active, working with Ford NGL on a plethora of activities and connections to increase membership and membership value
-- Special Pops is connecting with IAED to collaborate on aligned initiatives

### C. Succession Planning

Do you have any information you wish you had been provided during your new Board Orientation (what you know now that you wish you had known then)?

I want to work on staggering the start/end years of the section leads. It is good to have a variety of experiences so that they can assist each other.

Work on saving resources so that they can be put into the NRS Division Google Drive for succession.

### D. Region/Division Concerns

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<th>What are the implications for ACTE?</th>
<th>In what capacity can ACTE assist in addressing this issue?</th>
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<td>Supporting a diverse division</td>
<td>Wanting section leaders to feel supported throughout their leadership role.</td>
<td>Assist in support of those sections. Think about tying in those section leaders when efforts align with that section.</td>
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<td>Encouraging section leads to engage their members in a meaningful way.</td>
<td>Member engagement for the diverse sections in the NRS Division.</td>
<td>Assistance with appropriate opportunities. Including sections in initiatives that align with the section.</td>
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E. Items to be placed on the Board Agenda for Discussion

(Only include items that require Board discussion or action. These will be placed on the Board meeting agenda.)

Notification that the NRS Policy Committee voted to accept a new section: Law and Public Safety, led by LAPSEN founder Tom Washburn. He positively identified 38 respondents to build a section, with 17 saying they wanted to hold a leadership role. LPS programs have grown to almost 6000 programs in 48 states. I am glad to continue the great work that Rachael Mann and Kelli started to get this moving.