Association of Teacher Educators
2016 Delegate Assembly Agenda

Saturday, February 13, 2016
Hilton Chicago, Chicago, IL
International South Ballroom

2:30-5:30 p.m.  INTERNATIONAL SOUTH

2:30 p.m.  Call to Order  Shirley Lefever
           Introduction of Board Members  Shirley Lefever
           Rules of Order  Don Boileau
           Credentials Report  Alexis Armstrong
           Adoption of Agenda  Shirley Lefever
           Approval of Minutes  Shirley Lefever

President’s Report  Shirley Lefever
President-Elect’s Report  Karen Embry Jenlink
Past President’s Report  Emma Savage-Davis
Executive Director’s Report  David Ritchey

2017 Annual Meeting Report  Nancy Gallavan / Terrell Peace
2016 Summer Conference Report  Annette Digby / Karen McClusky

Future Meetings  Billy Dixon
Fiscal Affairs  Ed Pultorak
                  Final FY 2013 Report  David Ritchey
Revised Clinical Practice Standards  David Byrd
Nominations and Elections  Laurie Curtis
Resolutions  Amanda Rudolph
Bylaws  Sharon Lamson
Guidelines for Committee Chairs  Pat Tate
Leadership Academy  Bob Houston
2015 Summer Conference  Annette Digby / Ryan Flessner
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New Business  Shirley Lefever

5:30 p.m.  Call to Adjourn  Shirley Lefever
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c. Sunday afternoon - Distinguished Educator Lecture: Christine Sleeter (Past President selects)

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   2. CAEP-confirmed

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B. Accepted Invitations to Speak or Represent ATE

I. ATE-K, March 26, 2015, Manhattan, KS
II. Kansas AACTE/ATE-K joint meeting, November, 2015, Ottawa, KS
III. WFATE, April 21-23, Barcelona, Spain

C. Board actions
   1. Results of Audit

      - Marina Polyakova, auditing firm’s representative indicated ATE had received a clean audit (A "clean" or unqualified opinion states that the financial statements present a fair and accurate picture of the company and comply with generally accepted accounting principles.)
      - The audit report included a number of recommendations, and noted ATE was making changes that would respond to all or almost all of the recommendations. These included:
      - Move to accrual accounting to comply with GAAP, generally accepted accounting principles. This has been done. As she noted, the transition to accrual accounting was done while the audit itself was being completed which accounted in part for the length of time it took to complete the audit.
      - Move financial/recordkeeping functions to an outside service with expertise in accrual accounting. This is being done. The outside service will be asked to provide monthly reports to the Board.
      - Develop a financial procedures manual.

   2. Conference registration fees
   3. Conversations with NAPDS

D. Expression of Appreciation

ATE is a unique organization. It’s make up of members who care deeply about the organization is evident in the numerous emails, phone calls and offers of support and guidance I have received in the past couple of months. I know I am not unique in that I have found special friendships among ATE members, but it is clear to me the extent of those relationships reach far past our individual friendships. They are integrally connected to our affiliation with ATE and convey a deep sense of commitment to the organization. This knowledge has helped me understand and appreciate ATE as an organization and frankly, provides me with confidence as I know I am not doing this alone. While I know I cannot thank everyone personally, I feel a particular need to express my deep appreciation for those who have gone the extra mile in making sure the transition in ATE presidency has gone smoothly as well as those individuals who
have stepped forward to take on additional tasks to ensure the 2016 conference and related activities are carried out in a professional manner that ensures a valuable experience for those in attendance. I offer my humble thanks to:

- David Ritchey
- Billy Dixon
- Walt Polka and Christy McIntyre
- Annette Digby and Ryan Flesner
- Emma Savage-Davis
- Karen Embry-Jenlink
- Nancy Gallavan, Terrell Peace
- ADS’s
- Past Presidents, board members, numerous ATE members for support and offers of assistance.
Conference Theme:
• **Advocating for the Silenced: The Educators’ Vocation**

Conference Strands:
• **Strand 1:** Advocating for Access, Opportunity, and Social Justice
• **Strand 2:** Recruiting and Retaining Quality Teachers, Administrators, and Teacher Educators
• **Strand 3:** Meeting Standards in Our Ever-Changing Society
• **Strand 4:** Technology, Equity, and Student Engagement
• **Strand 5:** Governmental and Educational Policy and their Impact on Teaching and Teacher Education

**2014 Summer Conference:** Niagara, NY, August 1-5, 2014 – Thank you to Sandy Brownscombe and Linda Houser—Conference Co-Chairs and entire planning committee
- **Keynote Speakers**
  - H. Richard Milner IV, H. Gerald Campano, Donna M. Gollnick
- **Special Events** – Thank you to Larry and Edwina Vold
  - Top of the Falls Restaurant – Thank you to Walt Polka for the selection of the actors who reenacted the history for Niagara
  - Old Fort Niagara – Thank you for all of the last minute shuttle drivers who drove everyone to and from the Visitor’s Center to the event site
- **Technology Share-a-ton** – for all presenters in this inaugural event
  - Sessions where each presenter has 15 minute to present their technology and 10 minute for hands-on experiences – each attendee to the session will have opportunities to experience two sessions within the 50 minute time period (proposal submissions)
- **Pre-Conference Workshops**
  - **Half Day Pre-Conference Workshops** – thank you for all presenters – all workshops made
  - **Digital Opportunity Symposium** – Thank you to Bob McLaughlin and Paul Resta for developing the program and securing the presenters, and a special thank you to Walt Polka for all of his efforts in New York to ensure that the event had participants which led to its success
- **DOE Regulations on Higher Education Title II** – Thank you to Steven Wojcikiewicz and Jane West for an informative session which was facilitated by Debra Thomas, chair of Legislative and Governmental Relations Committee
- **Taskforce and Commissions** – First meeting took place – Thank you to all of the co-chairs for successful meetings
  - **Two Commissions:**
    - Social Justice and Access to Equitable Education in our Nation (**looking at this topic domestically**) – Co-Chairs: Beverly Klug and Ryan Flessner
    - Social Justice and Access to Equitable Education in the Global Community (**looking at this topic globally**) – Co-Chairs: Jane McCarthy and Maxine Cooper
  - **Taskforce:**
    - Taskforce on Resources for Professional Growth in the Digital Age – Paul Resta and Bob McLaughlin – Co-Chairs
- **External Funding Support**
- Conference Bags Sponsorship – Thanks to Bob McLaughlin for securing these funds
- Thank you to NYC-ATE for an extremely nice reception and secure our little speaker Vaughan Lewis
- SCATE and Coastal Carolina University

- **2015 Annual Conference**: Phoenix, AZ, February 13-17, 2015 – Pat Tate and Renee Clift – Conference Co-Chairs
  - Call for Proposals brought in 458 proposal submitted and are in the process of being reviewed – Thanks to John McIntyre and Sandy Brownscombe
  - **Keynote Speakers**
    - Gloria Ladson-Billings, Luis Moll, Joan Wink (selection by Past President Nancy Gallavan), and Etta R. Hollins Chat (selection by Research Committee)
  - **The Inaugural Clinical Practice Fellows** (Lead by Nancy Dana and Diane Yendol Hoppey in collaboration with Renee Clift, Pat Tate, and John McIntyre)
  - **Featured Sessions**: Five featured sessions aligned to each of the five conference strand and ATE standards – Thanks to Jeanette Writer-Haynes and H. Prentice Baptiste

- **Sunday, February 15th --12:20-1:30pm**
  - **Strand 2: Recruiting and Retaining Quality Teachers, Administrators, and Teacher Educators**
    - Dr. Bryan McKinley Jones Brayboy, President's Professor of Indigenous Education and Justice, School of Social Transformation; Director, Center for Indian Education, Arizona State University

- **Sunday, February 15th --2:50-3:30pm**
  - **Strand 4: Technology, Equity, and Student Engagement**
    - Dr. Xeturah M. Woodley, Assistant Professor, Department of Curriculum & Instruction, New Mexico State University

- **Monday, February 16th--11:10-12:10pm**
  - **Strand 1: Advocating for Access, Opportunity, and Social Justice**
    - Dr. Rudolfo Chavez Chavez, Regents Professor, Distinguished Achievement Professor, Department of Curriculum & Instruction, New Mexico State University

- **Monday, February 16th--12:20-1:20pm**
  - **Strand 3: Meeting Standards in Our Ever-Changing Society**
    - Dr. Augustine F. Romero, Tucson Unified School District, Director, Department of Student Equity

- **Monday, February 16th--2:50-4:00pm**
  - **Strand 5: Governmental and Educational Policy and their Impact on Teaching and Teacher Education**
    - Dr. Kristin L. Guenckel, Assistant Professor, Teaching, Learning & Sociocultural Studies Department, University of Arizona
    - Dr. Gunckel will facilitate a Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer, and Questioning (LGBTQQ) panel during this session

- Technology Share-a-ton
- Generation Youth and Educators Succeeding (GenYES) – Arizona Branch
- External Funding Support – Thank you to Renee Clift, Billy Dixon, SCATE, and Coastal Carolina University

Report Submitted Respectfully by: Emma Savage-Davis – Past President
• **Distinguished Educator Speaker at the 2016 Annual Conference**: Chicago, IL, February 11-17, 2016
  o Carl Grant is the Hoefs-Bascom Professor of Teacher Education in the Department of Curriculum and Instruction at the University Wisconsin-Madison. He is a former classroom teacher and administrator, and has spent time in England as a Fulbright Scholar. He was President of the NAME from 1993-1999.

• **Distinguished Educator Speaker at the 2017 Annual Conference**: Orlando, FL, February 10-16, 2017
  o Christine E. Sleeter, is Professor Emerita in the College of Professional Studies at California State University Monterey Bay, where she was a founding faculty member. She has served as a visiting professor at several universities, most recently University of Maine. Her research focuses on anti-racist multicultural education and teacher education. She has published over 130 articles and 20 books, including *Power, Teaching, and Teacher Education* (Peter Lang) and *Diversifying the Teacher Workforce* (with L. I. Neal & K. K. Kumashiro, Routledge). Her newest book *White Bread* (SensePublishing), which is a novel, explores the profound impact of critical family history on teacher ethnic identity.

• **Commission on Social Justice and Access to Equitable Education in the Global Community** – Jane McCarthy
  o Research on education and teacher education in a number of countries- Finland, Dominican Republic, Nigeria, Ireland, Poland, Iran, etc.
  o Presentation on Sunday, February 14th, at 3:40 p.m.
  o Great deal of momentum and are moving toward our goal of producing a report and then a book

• **Leadership Academy** – W. Robert Houston, Billy Dixon, Bob Fisher, and Ed Pultorak
  o Create an agenda for the Board of the Directors presentation to the Fellows

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