



PENNSYLVANIA

Association of Career & Technical
Administrators

Pathways to Career Readiness: An Education and Workforce Development Symposium

February 13-14, 2025 • Hershey Lodge and Convention Center, Hershey, PA

BREAKOUT SESSIONS OVERVIEW

The Symposium features more than 40 engaging breakout sessions designed to provide personalized learning experiences in small group settings. These sessions offer a unique opportunity to explore best practices, innovative programs, and actionable strategies. Below is a preview of the dynamic sessions available, with additional topics to be announced soon.

- Online Induction Plan
- Engaging Community Partners
- Culture Shock: Creating a Positive and Inclusive School Climate
- The Agriculture Education Commission: The Current State of Agriculture Education in Pennsylvania and How the Commission Can Benefit Your Agriculture Programs
- Sharing NOCTI Best Practices – with the Experts!
- Maximizing Impact: Leveraging Evidence-Based Practices for Student and Family Success
- Pack Your Bags for an AI Driven Workforce
- Exploring AI/AR/VR's Role in Career Exploration: Energizing the Future of Education
- Best Practices in Engaging K-12 Students in CTE Career-Connected Learning
- Best Practices in Supporting Special Populations in Career and Technical Education
- Integration of Exercise Science and Physical Ed
- PCD & CAP – Solutions for the Future Workforce
- Supporting Workforce Development Through Schools-to-Work Grants
- Enhance Classroom Teaching and Preparation with Custom AI
- Bringing German Apprenticeship Insights to U.S. CTE: Applications for Lehigh Valley
- Taking a Holistic Approach to Educator Effectiveness: Implementing Act 13 in Career and Technical Education
- Mindfulness in CTE? Yes We Can!
- Make Education Relevant with Catapult Masterclass
- Innovative Partnerships: Creating Affordable Pathways from CTE to College Degrees
- The Pre-apprenticeship-to-Apprenticeship Career Path: Questions Persist!
- Empowering CTE Programs: Leveraging PaTTAN Resources for Student Success
- Building Future Educators: A Journey from Vision to Practicum
- Empowering Pennsylvania Schools: Streamlining Act 158 and Future Ready PA with SchoolLinks
- Producing Career Ready Students by Implementing Practical Program Procedures
- Leveraging Community College Resources to Create a Free, Regional Training Pipeline for CTE Programs
- Developing Community Partnerships - Just Say "Yes"
- Today's Workforce: What Does it Need and How Can we Help the Role of the High School in Preparing our students for Their future – It Keeps Changing
- Panel Discussion on Access to CTE Programs
- Plus more...



If you have any questions regarding the Symposium, please contact:
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