

Thriving Amidst the Changing Landscape of Education

Location:

FFA Enrichment Center
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Monday, March 25, 2024, Room 108

8:30 AM - 12:30 PM Executive Board Meeting & Luncheon – Room 108

12:30 - 1:00 PM Conference Registration - Lobby of FFA Enrichment Center

1:00 - 1:15 PM Welcome and Introductions - Conference Room 106

Welcome from IACTE President – Dawn Behan
Welcome from DMACC – Patsy Steffen or DMACC rep
Welcome from Host Institution – Mark Stupka, FBBC or Rep

1:15 – 2:15 PM Keynote Address: *Preparing Teachers to Meet Today's Challenges*

Dr. Brad Buck – Waukee Community Schools Superintendent (tentative)

2:15 – 3:00 PM Building Awareness of Teacher Shortages in Iowa / Rural Schools

Lisa Remy – School Administrators of Iowa

3 :00 – 3:15 PM - Break

3:15 – 4:00 PM MCEE – Ethics Updates – Nadene Davidson

4:00 – 5:00 PM Breakout Sessions / 45 minute session with share-out afterwards

- Partnering with Rural Schools – Jen Collins
- Stipends for Student Teachers – Maryam Rod Szabo
- Ways to Encourage HS Students to Pursue Teaching Careers – Dream to Teach Program – Jill Dykstra (tentative)
- Literacy Group – Lindsay Grow
- Ungroup – Angela Hunter
- AI Updates – Robb Beane

5:00 PM Announcements and Closing for the Day

Tuesday, March 26, 2024, Conference Room 106

8:00 - 8:45 AM Continental Breakfast

8:00 - 8:45 AM Tuesday Registration

8:45 – 9:00 AM Welcome and Introductions

Welcome by IACTE President – Dawn Behan

Welcome by Host Institution – Mt. Mercy College

9:00 – 10:00 AM Keynote Address: Krystal Colbert, Iowa Teacher of the Year 2023-24

10:00 – 10:15 Break

10:15 – 11:45 Panel Discussion – Preparing Preservice Teachers for the Current Challenges of Classroom Management and Other Stressors (Safety & Support Concerns, Other?)

Mike Beranek – Iowa State Education Association

Krystal Colbert – SE Polk Community Schools / IA Teacher of the Year

Brad Buck – Waukee Community Schools Superintendent

Terry Gladfelter – Professional Educators of Iowa

Bob Olson – Gilmore City-Bradgate and West Bend-Mallard Schools Superintendent

Pam Vogel – Association of Supervision and Curriculum Development

11:45 – 12:15 PM Literacy Group – Panel of Administrators (Led by Lindsay Grow)

12:15 – 1:00 PM Lunch & Networking

1:00 - 1:30 PM IACTE Large Group Business Meeting / Awards & Retirees – Dawn Behan

1:30 – 2:30 PM IA Dept. of Ed. & BOEE Presentations

- Director Mackenzie Snow, Iowa Department of Education
- Joanne Tubbs, Administrative Consultant, Iowa Department of Education, Bureau of Educational Examiners
- Maryam Rod Szabo, Administrative Consultant, Iowa Department of Education, Educator Quality
- Stephanie TeKippe, Education Program Consultant, Iowa Department of Education, Educator Quality

2:30 – 2:45 PM Closing Announcements / Dismissal