

IACTE 2021  
**Spring Virtual Conference**  
**March 24, 2021**  
**April 8, 2021**



**Mental Health and Social Emotional Learning**

***Wednesday, March 24<sup>th</sup> (full day of live sessions)***

**Pre-Conference Sessions**

9:00AM-9:35AM	Statewide AEA Mentoring and Induction Team- Engaging Students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kimberly Hurley and Jo Prusha, Consultants for School Improvement and Mentoring, Central Rivers Area Education Agency</li> </ul>
10:00AM-10:35AM	Statewide AEA Mentoring and Induction Team- Taking Care of Yourself/Iowa SEL Competencies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kimberly Hurley and Jo Prusha, Consultants for School Improvement and Mentoring, Central Rivers Area Education Agency</li> </ul>
11:00AM-12:00PM	Compassion Fatigue and Resiliency	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kris Meyer, Professor of Professional School Counseling, Buena Vista University</li> </ul>
11:00AM-11:35AM (repeat of 9AM session)	Statewide AEA Mentoring and Induction Team- Engaging Students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kimberly Hurley and Jo Prusha, Consultants for School Improvement and Mentoring, Central Rivers Area Education Agency</li> </ul>
12:00PM-12:35PM (repeat of 10AM session)	Statewide AEA Mentoring and Induction Team- Taking Care of Yourself/Iowa SEL Competencies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kimberly Hurley and Jo Prusha, Consultants for School Improvement and Mentoring, Central Rivers Area Education Agency</li> </ul>
1:00PM-2:00PM	Social Emotional Learning and Podcasting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Jeffrey Haverland and Kevin Cattani, University of Dubuque</li> </ul>
2:00PM-3:00PM	Integrating the Iowa Instructional Framework into Iowa's teacher prep programs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Vicky Condalary, NIET, Iowa Instructional Framework from NIET</li> </ul>
3:00PM-4:00PM	ACES and Toxic Stress	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lisa Cushatt, Director, Iowa ACEs 360</li> </ul>
4:00PM-5:00PM	Education Lounge Breakouts Sessions <i>(Additional hosts to be announced)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Addressing Diversity, Will Coghill-Behrends (University of Iowa)</li> <li>Faculty Support of Students</li> <li>Field Placements and Supervision</li> <li>Department Leadership, Ryan Wise (Drake University)</li> <li>Licensing</li> </ul>	

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**Conference Sessions**

9:00AM-9:15AM	Welcome & Introductions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jeffrey Haverland, IACTE Conference Chair, University of Dubuque</li> <li>• Angela Hunter, IACTE Conference Chair, Buena Vista University</li> <li>• Denise Crawford, President IACTE, Iowa State University</li> <li>• Host Institutions Welcome</li> </ul>
9:15AM-10:15AM	Keynote Speaker- The Reality of Mental Illness	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jeff Herzberg, Des Moines Public Schools, Harding Middle School</li> </ul>
10:20AM-11:00AM	Mental Health Panel- Focus on Preservice Teachers and Teacher Preparation Professionals to better serve K-12 students.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jude Jensen, ACEs/Safe Learning Environments</li> <li>• Brian Christoffersen, Education Liaison, Four Oaks Children and Family Services, Social/Emotional/Behavioral Mental Health</li> <li>• Liz Cox, CEO, Polk County Health Services, Social/Emotional Learning</li> <li>• Jennifer Ulie-Wells, Executive Director, Please Pass the Love, Youth/School Mental Health Initiatives</li> </ul>
11:00AM-12:00PM	Breakout Workshops with Panel Members	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jude Jensen, ACEs/Safe Learning Environments</li> <li>• Brian Christoffersen, Education Liaison, Four Oaks Children and Family Services, Social/Emotional/Behavioral Mental Health</li> <li>• Liz Cox, CEO, Polk County Health Services, Social/Emotional Learning</li> <li>• Jennifer Ulie-Wells, Executive Director, Please Pass the Love, Youth/School Mental Health Initiatives</li> </ul>
12:00PM-1:00PM	Lunch on your own	
1:00PM-1:45PM	Welcome & IACTE Large Group Business Meeting and Awards Recognition	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Denise Crawford, President IACTE, Iowa State University</li> </ul>
1:45PM-2:00PM	Sponsor Presentation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Devin Porter, Go React  <a href="https://get.goreact.com/">https://get.goreact.com/</a></li> </ul>

2:00PM-2:30PM	Legislative Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr. Ann Lebo, Director, Iowa Department of Education</li> </ul>
2:30PM-3:00PM	EDUCATORS for America: Renewing the Federal Role in Educator Preparation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Andrew Morse, Assistant to the President for Board and Governmental Relations, University of Northern Iowa</li> </ul>
3:00PM-3:30PM	Board of Educational Examiners News	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Joanne Tubbs, Lead Education Consultant, Iowa Board of Educational Examiners</li> </ul>
3:30PM-4:00PM	Department of Education News	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Larry Bice, Administrative Consultant and Kris Kilibarda, Education Program Consultant, Iowa Department of Education</li> </ul>
4:00PM	Next Steps and Closing  Conference Survey: <a href="https://forms.gle/SejEFvuKzJpNGbFt9">https://forms.gle/SejEFvuKzJpNGbFt9</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jeffrey Haverland, IACTE Conference Chair, University of Dubuque</li> <li>• Angela Hunter, IACTE Conference Chair, Buena Vista University</li> <li>• Denise Crawford, IACTE President, Iowa State University</li> </ul>

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**Upcoming Important Dates:**

April 19, 12:00-1:00PM: Join IACTE! Monthly Session, Topic: Ethics Workgroup

Registration: <https://forms.gle/sErCNPgkYxC9aAM97>

June 6-9, 2021: AACTE Washington Week

TBD: Fall IACTE Conference, Gateway Conference Center, Ames, IA

TBD: AACTE Leadership Training

February 3, 2022: Day at the Capitol, Des Moines, IA

March 4-6, 2022: AACTE Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA