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in Teaching!”*



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**TEXAS ASSOCIATION OF FUTURE EDUCATORS
TEACHER LEADERS' WORKSHOP**
July 30-31, 2018 | Sheraton Downtown Dallas

Monday, July 30

11:00a-11:45a.....NEW TEACHER LEADER ORIENTATION PART 1.....Austin Ballroom 3

This session is for new advisors and will answer the basic questions about setting up your chapter, charging dues, developing a constitution, electing officers and defining your role in the school community. *Part 2 on Tuesday morning.* • **Jill Owen, Lexington High School (T, R, A, F, L, E, S)**

11:45a-12:45p LUNCH On your own

1:00p-2:00p FIRST GENERAL SESSION Austin Ballroom 2

Welcome / Introductions / Monica Oliver / Kaitlyn Davis / Officers / TAFE Updates / Announcements

2:15p-3:00p BREAKOUT SESSIONS SET 1 Choose one below

- **THINKING OF RUNNING FOR A STATE OFFICE?** Austin Ballroom 1
Learn about the commitments and responsibilities of a state officer and state officer advisor. What is the time commitment? How do you prepare a platform? How do you identify a student that is state officer material? Join in this round table open discussion to have your questions answered by the state officers and their advisors. • **TAFE State Officers (L)**
- **RECREATION, SERVICE AND RECRUITMENT:** Austin Ballroom 2
INVENTIVE WAYS TO GROW YOUR OWN TAFE CHAPTER
In this session we will discuss the use of planning service and recreation activities throughout the year to entice students to join. • **Aimee Brenton, Needville High School (R, S)**

3:15p-4:00p BREAKOUT SESSIONS SET 2 Choose one below

- **TAFE DRESS FOR A SUCCESSFUL CONFERENCE/COMPETITION**.....Austin Ballroom 1
Be well informed about TAFE competition dress code along with how to make your students look professional while seeking inexpensive ways to dress their best. • **Vickie Jenson, South Hills High School (L)**
- **FUNDRAISING OUTSIDE THE BOX!**.....Austin Ballroom 2
When there are no funds to do what you want, you must think outside the box! When the district tells you they do not pay for students to go to nationals, what do you do? Not going was not an option! We put our heads together and earned the money we needed to get three students and myself to nationals. Come hear what we did and offer ideas that have worked for you. • **Leah Zavala, ATC, Denton (L, F)**

4:15p-5:00p BREAKOUT SESSIONS SET 3 Choose one below

- **CREATING ONLINE PORTFOLIOS USING THE TAFE RUBRICS** Austin Ballroom 1
The 21st century way to make your student look professional and employable is through digital portfolios. Learn how to create a digital portfolio your students can use beyond high school. Interactive session which requires an electronic device. • **Vickie Jenson, South Hills High School (T, R, A, F, L, E, S)**
- **MISUNDERSTOOD MINDS**..... Austin Ballroom 2
Millions of American children struggle in school daily because of serious learning problems. The causes are often unknown, specific problems can be difficult to pinpoint, and the long-term effects hard to predict. In this session, we will look at the website Misunderstood Minds to see how these students actually respond in the classroom. The information will help both teachers and future teachers. BYOT—bring your own technology for an interactive experience. • **Melissa Cockerham, Brownwood High School (T, E)**

Tuesday, July 31

8:00a-8:45a **NEW TEACHER LEADER ORIENTATION, PART 2**..... Austin Ballroom 3

This session is designed to help new teacher leaders by providing methods and tools for conducting meetings and events including agendas and planners; membership recruitment, marketing and recognition; utilizing competitive events; as well as online resources and device apps. • **Jill Owen, Lexington HS (T, R, A, F, L, E, S)**

9:00a-10:20a **SECOND GENERAL SESSION**..... Austin Ballroom 2

Jerry Burkett / State Officer Activity / Competitive Events Update

• **BRAIN-BASED LEARNING: THE BASICS ON HOW THE BRAIN LEARNS, REMEMBERS, AND RETAINS INFORMATION**

Jerry will present the basics on how the brain retains information and what teachers can do to ensure that information moves from short-term memory to long-term storage. He will discuss how neurons are created, the function of the prefrontal cortex, and the importance of emotions in the learning landscape.

• **Jerry Burkett, PhD, UNT Dallas (T, E)**

10:30a-11:30a **COMPETITIVE EVENTS ROUND TABLE SESSIONS**..... Austin Ballroom 2

Choose four below

Children's Literature — Shea Roberson

Creative Lecture — Nicole Douda

EdRising Leadership Award — Vickie Jenson

Exploring Careers — Kim Smith

Impromptu Speaking

Inside Our Schools — Kim Watson

Job Interview — Shelby Henry

Lesson Planning and Delivery — Wendy Frisbey

11:30a-12:15p **COMPETITIVE EVENTS ROUND TABLE SESSIONS**..... Austin Ballroom 2

Choose three below

Children's Literature — Kim Watson

Differentiated Lesson — Graceanna Kent

Educators Rising Moment — Nicole Douda

Ethical Dilemma — Karen Viator

Impromptu Lesson — Vickie Jenson

Lesson Planning and Delivery — Jill Owen

Public Speaking — Carrie Swisher

Researching Learning Challenges — Leah Zavala

12:30p-2:30p **LUNCH/THIRD GENERAL SESSION** Dallas Ballroom D1

Lunch & Presentation hosted by the USAREC



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	CONFERENCE DATE	LOCATION
d.org	TBD	Harlingen High School
isd.us	Tentative – Nov. 16, 2018	Del Mar College Center for Economic Development
ts.net	TBD	University of Houston, Victoria
rg	TBD	Westfield High School
sd.net	Saturday, Nov. 10, 2018	Alief Taylor High School
n	TBD	Lamar State College - Orange
d.net	Saturday, Nov. 3, 2018	College Park HS
d.org	TBD	Tyler area TBD
et	TBD	TBD
org	Saturday, Dec. 8, 2018	Richardson High School
sd.org	Friday, Nov. 2, 2018	Mesquite Professional Development Building
org	Saturday, Nov. 10, 2018	Advanced Technology Complex, Denton
2.tx.us	Saturday, Dec. 1, 2018	Bill R. Johnson CTEC, Crowley
	Saturday, Dec. 1, 2018	Central Texas A&M, Killeen
ndrockisd.org	Saturday, Nov. 10, 2018	Round Rock High School
14.net	Nov. 14, 2018	Western Texas College, Snyder
ockisd.net	Nov. 12 & 14, 2018	Paint Rock ISD
on16.net	Wednesday, Dec. 5, 2018	Life Center, First Baptist Church, Stinnett
d.org	With Region 14/Nov. 14, 2018	Western Texas College, Snyder
	TBD	TBD
	Friday, Nov. 30, 2018	Our Lady of the Lake University, San Antonio

Guest Presenter



Dr. Jerry Burkett

Interim Assistant Dean and, UNT Dallas School of Education

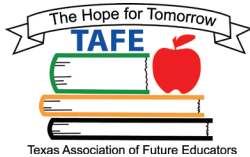
Dr. Burkett has more than 15 years of experience as an educator, serving in roles including teacher, campus administrator, director of college and career readiness partnerships, and adjunct professor. He received his doctorate in educational leadership from Dallas Baptist University with specialization in alternative and traditional certification and its relationship to classroom management. He earned a Master of Education degree from Dallas Baptist University and his Bachelor of Science in Education from Baylor University. Burkett has served as an advocate for education, writing and speaking on educational topics ranging from school finance to instructional technology to the needs of public education in the 21st century.

Notes

USAREC Education Division, 5th Brigade

The Education Division mission is to manage, develop and promote Army education programs and services to assist the Army recruiting field force in gaining, maintaining and improving access to students in the nation's high schools and colleges. The division also conducts educational outreach activities that communicate Army training and education opportunities to the civilian education community.

One of the education opportunities they provide to the civilian community is March2Success. March2Success is a free, web-based test preparation course that provides assistance with taking standardized tests and improving math, science and language arts skills. The curriculum is designed by Peterson's & Educational Options Inc., and sponsored by the U.S. Army. There is no obligation to teachers, parents or students who use or recommend the use of March2Success. Visit: www.march2success.com



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Presenters:

TAFE State Officers & Advisors

Dr. Jerry Burkett, University of North Texas Dallas

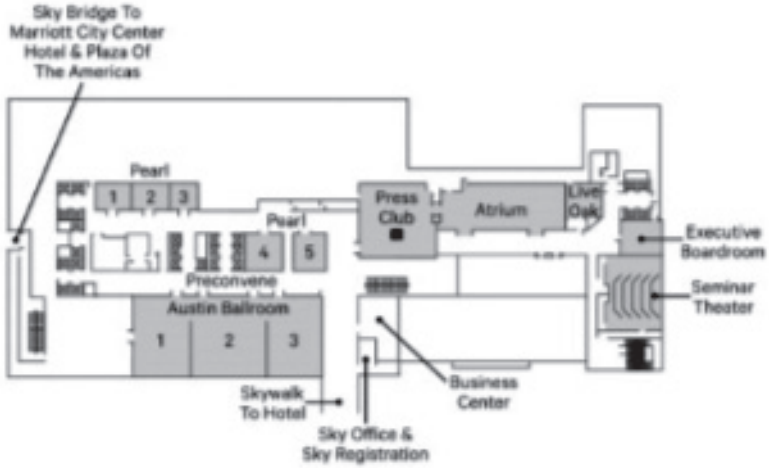
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