BMITE Breakout Sessions – August 2nd, 2022
Oklahoma Career and Technology Education Summit Conference
Tulsa Technology Center – Riverside Campus
801 E. 91st Street, Tulsa, OK 74132

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7:15 – 8:00 a.m. Complimentary Breakfast
Room: Campus Entrance, Tulsa Technology Center, Riverside Campus
Panera Bread breakfast sandwiches, coffee, juice, and water

8:00 – 8:50 a.m. Breakout Sessions (Session 1)

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<td>Paxton Cavin, State BPA and DECA Advisor</td>
<td>Paxton Cavin has worked at the Oklahoma Department of CareerTech for four years in the BMITE Division as the Oklahoma BPA State Advisor. Paxton’s love for CTSOs started with BPA and she is dedicated to showing others the power of student organizations.</td>
<td>A106 (64 seats)</td>
<td>Brief updates and discussion regarding the 2022-2023 Oklahoma BPA year including membership, FLC, SLC, state initiatives, and more! All BPA advisors encouraged to attend, especially those listed as a chapter’s primary advisor. There will be a time for questions!</td>
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| Shifting CTE Career Pathways for the Next Decade      | Corinne Hoisington, Professor, Central Virginia Community College/National Geographic Publishing | Corinne Hoisington is a full-time professor of Information Systems Technology at Central Virginia Community College in Lynchburg, Virginia, with more than 25 years of teaching experience. Corinne travels over 200,000 miles a year delivering keynote addresses to college and university professors and K-12 educators in over 70 cities worldwide for customers such as the Microsoft Corporation, Microsoft Canada Camp 21 International Events, Cengage Learning, Bytespeed, National Biomedical Conferences, Health Care Conferences, Capital One International Bank, Executive LIVE in London, Wellington NZ, Sydney, and Johannesburg, and the international South by Southwest (SXSW) event in Austin, Texas. Professor Hoisington is the recipient of the Microsoft Most Valuable Professional award in Computer Programming. Corinne has authored over 30 textbooks with Cengage Learning/National Geographic on topics such as Microsoft 365, Outlook 365, Microsoft Windows, Android Boot Camp Java, Technology Now, and Visual Basic. | A114 (overflow room via Zoom) | Corinne is a thought leader and curriculum specialist for online learning and collaboration. In the design of a modern, interactive course, it is important that educators innovate and not just replicate
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Room: A150 (316 seats)
Description: Few decisions are more important than choosing a career. And especially in these uncertain and changing times, no decision may be more difficult. U.S. companies, saddled with increasingly onerous costs of employing people, are downsizing, cutting employees’ hours, hiring temps, automating jobs, and demanding new skills from an aging workforce. So what’s changing the employability trends? Metaverse, AI, DATA DATA DATA, Holograms, Quantum Technology, and more.
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Session: Certiport Best Practices and Testing
Presenter: Janette Sayer, Regional Manager, Certiport
Presenter Bio: Janette Sayer has been a territory manager at Certiport for over ten years, working with instructors in Oklahoma and all over the U.S. to implement certification programs into classes they already teach. “Prior to Certiport, I was in the staffing industry for many years and know how important it is to prove your skills to potential employers. Certifications backed by industry are a way to validate specific skills. All employers require software skills. These programs allow you to prove yourself.”
Room: C114 (20 seats) & C118 (20 seats)
Description: In this session, participants will learn about the portfolio of exam certifications, learning material, and practice tests offered through Certiport. Certiport works directly with Microsoft Adobe, Autodesk, and others to offer industry-recognized certifications. These certifications are endorsed by and developed in collaboration with the represented companies. All certifications issued by Certiport hold the official company logo and the signature of CEO of the respective company to ensure legitimacy. Participants will learn about updates to current products and new products that are on the horizon. We will also discuss the new online system called OnDemand Exams from Home. After, you will be able to take an exam of your choice. *This session will last two hours. Pre-registration required.
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Presenter: Eric Curts, Google Education Trainer & Innovator
Presenter Bio: Eric has been in education for 30 years, and currently serves as a Technology Integration Specialist for SPARCC in North Canton, Ohio where he oversees Google for Education implementation, training, and support, as well as other technology integration initiatives. Eric is an authorized Google Education Trainer and Innovator, and provides training to schools, organizations, and conferences throughout Ohio and across the country. He is a co-leader of the Ohio Google Educator Group at bit.ly/gegohio. Eric runs the award-winning blog www.ControlAltAchieve.com where all of his edtech
resources can be found, and is the author of the book “Control Alt Achieve: Rebooting Your Classroom with Creative Google Projects.”

Room: F134 (40 seats)

Description: Everyone knows about Google Docs, Gmail, Search, and other common Google tools, but there are also loads of smaller, lesser-known, but powerful tools that can be used for teaching and learning. Learn about 70+ hidden gems such as nGram, Trends, AutoDraw, Chrome Music Lab, Toontastic, Landlines, Meme Buddy, Reverse Image Search, Instant Search Cards, Semantris, Grasshopper, Art Palette, Timelapse, Data GIF Maker and more (List subject to change based on how cool and unknown the tools remain.) For more details visit [https://bit.ly/curts-hipster](https://bit.ly/curts-hipster)

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**Session:** Enhance Your Curriculum by Integrating Ethics

**Presenter:** Tammy Cyrus, *Director of Professional Development, MBA Research*

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and Leadership Forum, and provides professional development support for teachers, districts, and
state departments across the country.

Room: A226 (25 seats)
Description: Ethics is the foundation of great leadership. Teaching students to make good decisions based on a
defined set of values helps form the core foundation of ethical leadership. Come learn about the
ethics resources that are available through the Daniels Fund Ethics Initiative High School Program.
Leave with a better understanding of ethics and access to numerous classroom resources including
course guides, lesson modules, and more! *A laptop is helpful but not required.

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Adobe Systems. Prior to his time at Adobe, Dan was a decorated teacher over the span of ten years.
His accolades and responsibilities include Certiport Teacher of the Year, Idaho State University
College of Education Leadership Award, Idaho CTEI Teacher of the Year, Create Idaho Founder, BPA
National President, and many others. Dan’s two masters degrees in education came from hard work
at Idaho State University and Full Sail University. Dan has completed several dozen industry
certifications including MOS Master, MTA, and is an Adobe Certified Expert/Instructor. Dan’s most
important role however, is as a father of six happy kids and a husband to a very supportive wife.

Room: A229 (50 seats)
Description: Today the Creative Cloud has grown into over 22 desktop applications and many web services as well
as mobile devices. During this session, former CTE teacher and now Adobe’s K-12 Solutions
Consultant Dan Armstrong will take you on a road trip through the Creative Cloud. You will learn how
to use your Adobe login, what apps and services are available, and how to find good quality training
resources right from the source. There is nothing like a good road trip through the valleys of
creativity and the mountains of digital expression!

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Session: Education Through Experience
Presenter: April Clark, Executive Director/Co-Founder, Reach and Teach
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Room: F207 (25 seats)
Description: Struggling to connect with apathetic students? Shake up your classroom with real-world education and the ultimate project-based learning experience. This session focuses on teaching students entrepreneurship, business & marketing, promoting, and executing a real concert on campus. Teachers will learn how to implement this real-world project in their classrooms, including free educational materials, professional development, and implementation support.

During the presentation, attendees will be inspired to provide real-world projects to their schools in their classrooms. We use our concert tour program (free) as an example of how to structure an effective project when presenting to teachers. Even if teachers choose not to participate in Reach and Teach's free programs, they will walk away with key elements and ideas to utilize in their classrooms.

Cluster Area: Recommended for BMA and Marketing Clusters

Session: ICEV Online: A Sustainable Curriculum Option
Presenter: Kassie Jo Winn-Huizar, iCEV Online
Room: F253 (25 seats)
Description: Join us to learn how iCEV is a sustainable curriculum option that grows with your program’s needs. Our learning-on-demand platform includes standards-aligned Business, Marketing, Finance, IT, and Media curriculum, and acts as a host for industry certifications. The aligned curriculum will provide the educator with unlimited access to prebuilt, fully-customizable courses, complete with media-rich lessons and supporting course work. *Bring laptop or use classroom Mac.

Cluster Area: Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

Session: Drone Technology
Presenters: Chad Ellis, BITE Teacher, Putnam City High School
Dwayne Forrester, BITE Teacher, Asher High School
Presenter Bios: Chad Ellis is starting his 11th year teaching at Putnam City High School, and his 6th year as a CareerTech teacher. His degree is in Aviation & Business from SNU. He holds Certified Flight Instructor, Commercial Pilot, and Remote Pilot Certifications from the FAA. This school year he will teach Fundamentals of Technology, AP Computer Science Principles, Computer Science Discoveries, and Internet of Things Fundamentals.

Dwayne Forrester is in his sixth year of teaching BMITE courses at Asher High School. This is his third year to offer a Drones Technology course. He also teaches Fundamentals of Technology, Administrative Technology, Desktop Publishing I and II, Employment Essentials, Business, and Personal Finance.

Room: F228 (25 seats)
Description: Introduction to the BMITE course Drone Technology.
Cluster Area: Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

Session: Engaging Students in a Coding Class
Presenter: Jeff Mason, Mobile App Development Instructor, Tulsa Technology Center
Presenter Bio: Jeff Mason is the Mobile Apps Development instructor at Tulsa Tech. He has been in the BMITE Division for 12 years and has taught for 15 years. Last year, his students won 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place in Mobile Applications at the BPA National Leadership Conference.

Room: F251 (20 seats)
Description: This session will cover classroom activities and projects that keep students engaged in a computer programming or coding class. Perfect for instructors who teach Mobile App Development or Web Design.
Cluster Area: Recommended for the IT Cluster

**Session: Oklahoma Skills USA Updates**
**Presenter:** Skills USA State Advisor
**Room:** F201 (60 seats)
**Description:** Oklahoma Skills USA updates for IT instructors who also participate in Skills USA.
**Cluster Area:** Recommended for Skills USA Advisors

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**9:00 – 9:50 a.m. Breakout Sessions (Session 2)**

**Session:** Promoting Your Program on a Budget
**Presenter:** Kristin Goodale, Senior Account Director, Gooden Group
**Presenter Bio:** Kristin Goodale is a strategic communications professional located in Oklahoma City and joined Gooden Group in 2021 as a senior account director. Before joining the team, Kristin worked for the Oklahoma Department of Commerce for nine years serving as the agency’s marketing and communications director. Kristin’s expertise includes public relations, strategic communications, and marketing. She has worked with businesses across a wide range of industries and community leaders throughout the state. Kristin holds a bachelor’s degree in International and Area Studies with minors in General Business and Spanish from the University of Oklahoma. During her time at OU, she studied abroad at the Universidad de Vina del Mar in Chile and is fluent in Spanish.
**Room:** A106 (64 seats)
**Description:** Promoting Your Program on a Budget will discuss basic public relations strategies you can implement on a tight budget, including earned media, social media, and program advocacy.
**Cluster Area:** Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

**Session:** Incorporating Industry and Work-Based Learning through ICAP
**Presenter:** Shelley Grant, College and Career Readiness Specialist, Oklahoma State Department of Education
**Presenter Bio:** Shelley has spent over twenty years in the business industry with businesses such as AT&T, Dell, Hertz, and 1800Flowers, doing everything from interviewing and hiring help, customer service manager, trainer, to developing new departments and strategies. She took her experience to the classroom and shared her knowledge as a career and technology teacher at John Marshall High School. While there she was responsible for the Career Technology department, internships, introducing industry into the classroom, and running the Academy of Finance. Her new role at the State Department of Education allows her to combine this experience and help administrators, counselors, teachers, and students across Oklahoma to ensure we are offering opportunities and expanding the classroom through ICAP and work-based learning.
**Room:** A114 (25 seats)
**Description:** This workshop will review ICAP requirements for schools, while discussing work-based learning opportunities and ways to incorporate local industry into your classrooms for successful student learning.
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**Session:** Metaverse: The Future of Education
**Presenter:** Corinne Hoisington, Professor, Central Virginia Community College/National Geographic Publishing
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Room: F134 (40 seats)
Description: Chromebooks have become a common tool in schools, but are you and your students getting the most out of them? In this session we will explore powerful Chromebook features including screen capture and screen recording, using the camera for photos, videos, and scanning documents, helpful keyboard shortcuts, managing multiple desks, extending your capabilities with Android apps, offline access for Drive, Gmail, and Calendar, working with Microsoft files, and more! For more details see: http://bit.ly/curts-cbtips.
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Session: Thinking Outside the Multimedia Box: The S.A.P. Project
Presenter: David Mosley, BITE Teacher, Star Spencer Mid-High School
Presenter Bio: David Mosley has taught for 34 years, with 15 years in Career and Technology education. He teaches at Star Spencer Mid-High in Spencer, Oklahoma in the Oklahoma City Public School district. He teaches Business Foundations, Fundamentals of Technology, and Desktop Publishing and Multimedia
Image Management. He uses real in-school projects to teach computer graphics, publishing, and multimedia skills and produce the school newspaper and online programming. He created a non-profit organization called Beta Omicron Sigma, Inc. (The Brothers of Stomp) that targets at-risk students to teach them skills that will help them become better citizens.

**Room:** F135 (40 seats)
**Description:** This project is designed to bring students into self-awareness of their personal brand and to be intentional about presenting their personal brand on a daily basis. Participants will learn how to use the ADDIE model to plan and design projects.
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**Room:** A226 (25 seats)
**Description:** MBA Research’s Learning Activity Packages (LAPs) are ready-made lesson modules and are designed to make life easier in the classroom. They incorporate many skills in the classroom, including social and emotional learning, career-ready skills, 21st Century skills, and more. Come learn about the components of LAPs, as well as best practices on how teachers across the country use LAPs to keep students engaged! With FREE access to 72 of our LAPs, you can start using these lessons immediately, along with gaining access to additional resources that you can add to your toolkit.

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**Room:** A229 (50 seats)
**Description:** This session will feature a very special hands-on approach to using Adobe Camera Raw. Don’t let the name scare you, Dan Armstrong will pull from over a decade of experience with a camera including photo shoots in Yosemite, Nevada Desert, and Fantasy of Flight! Dan will show you tried and true methods learned directly from the best. So if you have never taken a photo, or you are curious to make your photos better, Dan has a tip and trick for you. This has been a show-stopper session for over a decade and we can’t wait to share! *To follow along, come prepared with a Creative Cloud login and access to lightroom.adobe.com. You can still follow along without this.*

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Description: Need more classroom resources? More funding? More opportunities for students? Increased enrollment? If so, attend this session and learn simple techniques to promote your classroom and connect with community leaders and industry professionals.  
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Session: Marketing Money Well-Spent  
Presenter: Christy Flanigan, Session Facilitator  
Room: F219 (40 seats)  
Description: This session is to share best practices and brainstorm ideas for using program funds to benefit your students and classroom.  
Cluster Area: Recommended for the Marketing Cluster

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Presenter Bios: Chad Ellis is starting his 11th year teaching at Putnam City High School, and his 6th year as a CareerTech teacher. His degree is in Aviation & Business from SNU. He holds Certified Flight Instructor, Commercial Pilot, and Remote Pilot Certifications from the FAA. This school year he will tech Fundamentals of Technology, AP Computer Science Principles, Computer Science Discoveries, and Internet of Things Fundamentals. Dwayne Forrester is in is sixth year of teaching BMITE courses at Asher High School. This is his third year to offer a Drones Technology course. He also teaches Fundamentals of Technology, Administrative Technology, Desktop Publishing I and II, Employment Essentials, Business, and Personal Finance.  
Room: F228 (25 seats)  
Description: Introduction to the BMITE course Drone Technology.  
Cluster Area: Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

Session: Engaging Students in a Coding Class  
Presenter: Jeff Mason, Mobile App Development Instructor, Tulsa Technology Center  
Presenter Bio: Jeff Mason is the Mobile Apps Development instructor at Tulsa Tech. He has been in the BMITE Division for 12 years and has taught for 15 years. Last year, his students won 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place in Mobile Applications at the BPA National Leadership Conference.  
Room: F251 (20 seats)
Description: This session will cover classroom activities and projects that keep students engaged in a computer programming or coding class. Perfect for instructors who teach Mobile App Development or Web Design.

Cluster Area: Recommended for the IT Cluster

Session: Cybersecurity/Computer Science through Competency-Based Education
Presenter: Dennis Klaas, MICE Founding Member; Cybersecurity Instructor, Sterling Heights High School
Presenter Bio: Dennis Klaas has over 20 years of teaching experience in System Administration, Cybersecurity/Information Assurance, and Digital Forensics. He is currently the Cybersecurity Instructor at Sterling Heights High School in Sterling Heights, Michigan. In addition to teaching, Dennis is the president of Compudene, LLC, a network consulting company for the past 25 years, holds numerous certifications, and a Master’s Degree in Education. Dennis also serves on multiple committees including the Michigan CTE Curriculum Development Group and is an MBEA board member. Dennis is a founding member of the MICE (Michigan Initiative for Cyber Education) group, focusing on the expansion of cybersecurity education in the United States.

Room: F201 (60 seats)
Description: The Michigan Initiative for Cybersecurity Education (MICE) was developed to progressively address Cybersecurity education in Michigan. MICE has expanded to include both Cybersecurity and Computer Science curriculum by providing interested institutions with curriculum resources and training access to individuals who have various experiences, from a fully-developed program to those in the initial stages of development. MICE consists of two main focuses: 1. Teacher Training – The MICE team has designed a train the trainer (teacher) model that focuses on standard alignments, curriculum options, competitions, activity resources, and best practices. 2. Student Training and Curriculum – The MICE team has built a custom learning management system (LMS) that is scalable from an individual to hundreds of students. The main focus of the LMS is to decrease the development workload on educators while increasing the curriculum opportunities for students. Curriculum focuses on Computer Science, Cybersecurity, Certification Test Preparation, and Employability Skills. *Bring laptop

Cluster Area: Recommended for the IT Cluster

10:00 – 10:50 a.m. Breakout Sessions (Session 3)

Session: Promoting Your Program on a Budget
Presenter: Kristin Goodale, Senior Account Director, Gooden Group
Presenter Bio: Kristin Goodale is a strategic communications professional located in Oklahoma City and joined Gooden Group in 2021 as a senior account director. Before joining the team, Kristin worked for the Oklahoma Department of Commerce for nine years serving as the agency’s marketing and communications director. Kristin’s expertise includes public relations, strategic communications, and marketing. She has worked with businesses across a wide range of industries and community leaders throughout the state. Kristin holds a bachelor’s degree in International and Area Studies with minors in General Business and Spanish from the University of Oklahoma. During her time at OU, she studied abroad at the Universidad de Vina del Mar in Chile and is fluent in Spanish.

Room: A106 (64 seats)
Description: Promoting Your Program on a Budget will discuss basic public relations strategies you can implement on a tight budget, including earned media, social media, and program advocacy.

Cluster Area: Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

Session: Incorporating Industry and Work-Based Learning through ICAP
Presenter: Shelley Grant, College and Career Readiness Specialist, Oklahoma State Department of Education
Presenter Bio: Shelley has spent over twenty years in the business industry with businesses such as AT&T, Dell, Hertz, and 1800Flowers, doing everything from interviewing and hiring help, customer service manager, trainer, to developing new departments and strategies. She took her experience to the classroom and shared her knowledge as a career and technology teacher at John Marshall High
School. While there she was responsible for the Career Technology department, internships, introducing industry into the classroom, and running the Academy of Finance. Her new role at the State Department of Education allows her to combine this experience and help administrators, counselors, teachers, and students across Oklahoma to ensure we are offering opportunities and expanding the classroom through ICAP and work-based learning.

**Room:** A114 (25 seats)
**Description:** This workshop will review ICAP requirements for schools, while discussing work-based learning opportunities and ways to incorporate local industry into your classrooms for successful student learning.
**Cluster Area:** Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

**Session:** Doubling Down on AI and Accessibility – Game-Changing Tech Tools: FREE
**Presenter:** Corinne Hoisington, Professor, Central Virginia Community College/National Geographic Publishing
**Presenter Bio:** Corinne Hoisington is a full-time professor of Information Systems Technology at Central Virginia Community College in Lynchburg, Virginia, with more than 25 years of teaching experience. Corinne travels over 200,000 miles a year delivering keynote addresses to college and university professors and K-12 educators in over 70 cities worldwide for customers such as the Microsoft Corporation, Microsoft Canada Camp 21 International Events, Cengage Learning, Bytespeed, National Biomedical Conferences, Health Care Conferences, Capital One International Bank, Executive LIVE in London, Wellington NZ, Sydney, and Johannesburg, and the international South by Southwest (SXSW) event in Austin, Texas. Professor Hoisington is the recipient of the Microsoft Most Valuable Professional award in Computer Programming. Corinne has authored over 30 textbooks with Cengage Learning/National Geographic on topics such as Microsoft 365, Outlook 365, Microsoft Windows, Android Boot Camp Java, Technology Now, and Visual Basic.

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**Room:** A150 (316 seats)
**Description:** There is no limit to what people can achieve when technology reflects the diversity of all who use it. During Covid, there have been dramatic new AI FREE tools for us to provide accessibility and AI features that help our students achieve more at home, school, and work. Type with your voice, translate our courses in over 60 languages instantly, assist students who have attention deficit and more with new technology AI tools. AH-Mazing!
**Cluster Area:** Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

**Session:** K-12 Five Year Evaluations
**Presenter:** Mark Burch, BMITE State Program Manager
**Presenter Bio:** Mark Burch took over as Program Manager for BMITE in January 2022 after spending a total of four years as Program Specialist. During his time in the BMITE division he has served as the Finance and Marketing cluster team lead, as well as led BPA and DECA as the State Advisor.

**Room:** A144 (50 seats)
**Description:** This session will help you understand how to prepare and what evidence to upload in relation to the 5-year program evaluation. Attendees will also explore the custom course on ctYOU.org where all information is now uploaded.
**Cluster Area:** Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

**Session:** Certiport Best Practices and Testing
**Presenter:** Janette Sayer, Regional Manager, Certiport
Presenter Bio: Janette Sayer has been a territory manager at Certiport for over ten years, working with instructors in Oklahoma and all over the U.S. to implement certification programs into classes they already teach. “Prior to Certiport, I was in the staffing industry for many years and know how important it is to prove your skills to potential employers. Certifications backed by industry are a way to validate specific skills. All employers require software skills. These programs allow you to prove yourself.”

Room: C114 (20 seats)
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Description: In this session, participants will learn about the portfolio of exam certifications, learning material, and practice tests offered through Certiport. Certiport works directly with Microsoft Adobe, Autodesk, and others to offer industry-recognized certifications. These certifications are endorsed by and developed in collaboration with the represented companies. All certifications issued by Certiport hold the official company logo and the signature of CEO of the respective company to ensure legitimacy. Participants will learn about updates to current products and new products that are on the horizon. We will also discuss the new online system called OnDemand Exams from Home. After, you will be able to take an exam of your choice. *This session will last two hours. Pre-registration required.

Cluster Area: Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

Session: Stop Motion Animation with Google Slides
Presenter: Eric Curts, Google Education Trainer & Innovator
Presenter Bio: Eric has been in education for 30 years, and currently serves as a Technology Integration Specialist for SPARCC in North Canton, Ohio where he oversees Google for Education implementation, training, and support, as well as other technology integration initiatives. Eric is an authorized Google Education Trainer and Innovator, and provides training to schools, organizations, and conferences throughout Ohio and across the country. He is a co-leader of the Ohio Google Educator Group at bit.ly/gegohio. Eric runs the award-winning blog www.ControlAltAchieve.com where all of his edtech resources can be found, and is the author of the book “Control Alt Achieve: Rebooting Your Classroom with Creative Google Projects.”

Room: F134 (40 seats)

Description: Many times we think of Slides as just a program for creating multimedia presentations. However, with just a few tricks you and your students can actually use Google Slides to make stop motion movies. This can be a fun and creative way for students to share their ideas and express their understanding in any subject. Learn how to use Slides to create and share stop motion movies with photos, shapes, text, and more. For more details see: http://www.controlaltachieve.com/2017/04/stop-motion-slides.html.

Cluster Area: Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

Session: Workforce Development
Presenter: Austin Taylor, Executive Director, Film Education Institute of Oklahoma
Presenter Bio: Austin Taylor is an Emmy award-winning producer and director from north of Dallas. He began his career working on the set of Walker, Texas Ranger and has since served in numerous roles. Austin produced films and commercials in the DFW area before moving to the Greater Los Angeles area, where he served as Director of Production/Executive Producer for several production studios for the last 18+ years. Austin also produced a tremendous amount of commercial content and documentaries for Carnival Cruise Line, forever changing the way the Cruise line markets itself. Most recently, Austin produced “Disney Insider,” a widely successful TV show for Disney+. Austin’s hard work, dedication and talent has led him to receive multiple Emmy nominations and wins for his work with the NFL Network, as he produced and directed documentary-style films showcasing how the NFL rolls out some of the most ambitious events each year, such as the NFL Draft and Super Bowl. Austin cites, “working harder and building incredibly talented teams of filmmakers” as the secret to his success.

Room: F135 (40 seats)

Description: Austin Taylor with FEIO will delve into workforce development and the significance of growing a robust film crew base in Oklahoma.
**Session:** The Tosa Difference: State-Approved Digital Skills Certifications  
**Presenter:** Deborah Trask, *Education Account Executive, Isograd, Inc.*  
**Melissa Murphy, Regional Sales Manager, Isograd, Inc.*  
**Presenter Bio:** Deborah Trask’s career path has always focused on her passion for education. After starting her career as a teacher in the primary grades, she transitioned into supporting educators with the tools they need to help every child succeed. Debbie has held various roles in the K12 market from Implementation Specialist to Account Executive. Melissa Murphy was born and raised in Syracuse, New York, and moved to Florida after college. She taught elementary school for many years before moving into the educational technology space for K12 schools, as well as higher education institutions. Her passion has always been in education and providing teachers and students with the tools to be successful. Both Melissa and Debbie are excited to offer a new option for digital skills certification exams, to both K12 and higher education institutions, here in Oklahoma.  
**Room:** F138 (20 seats)  
**Description:** Remove the pass/fail outcome of traditional test taking and jump into a new age of online testing with Tosa’s adaptive digital skills assessments and certifications. These industry-recognized certifications, available on the Oklahoma Approved Assessment List, include assessments on digital literacy, cyber responsibility, graphic design, desktop software, and coding applications that your students can utilize to improve their digital skills.  
**Cluster Area:** Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

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**Session:** Experience the Tosa Difference for Your Students In Our Tosa Testing Room  
**Presenter:** Mathieu Lillo, *CEO North America, Isograd*  
**Presenter Bio:** Mathieu Lillo has been with Isograd for nearly 10 years, having joined the company in 2013 as a Sales Director. Mathieu played a major contributory role in the development of Tosa Certifications in Europe before he moved to the United States in 2019 to oversee Isograd’s continued growth. According to Mathieu, “Digital skills are critical in today’s jobs marketplace, and we look forward to continually expanding our standard for digital skills assessment and certification in North America.”  
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**Description:** Remove the pass/fail outcome of traditional test taking and jump into a new age of online testing with Tosa’s adaptive digital skills assessments and certifications. These industry-recognized certifications, available on the Oklahoma Approved Assessment List, include assessments on digital literacy (Google Workspace, WordPress), cyber responsibility (CyberCitizen & CyberCitizen Junior), graphic design (Adobe Premiere Pro), desktop software (Microsoft Collaborative Platform 365), and coding applications (Python, HTML5, JavaScript, React JS) that your students can utilize to improve their digital skills.  
**Cluster Area:** Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

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**Session:** State’s Connection and More…! Only a Few Keystrokes Away  
**Presenter:** Tammy Cyrus, *Director of Professional Development, MBA Research & Curriculum Center*  
**Presenter Bio:** Tammy Cyrus has presented at numerous state and national conferences. She was a previous Business Administration teacher in North Carolina. Tammy has received her Master of Arts in Business Education and National Board of Professional Teaching Standards certification. She holds a certification in school administration as well as industry-recognized certifications in Adobe and Microsoft Office. Additional professional experiences have included teaching at the post-secondary level, working on curriculum development, serving in several leadership roles, and serving as an advisor for FBLA. At MBA Research, she oversees the PD team, Teacher Advisory Network, Conclave, and Leadership Forum, and provides professional development support for teachers, districts, and state departments across the country.  
**Room:** A226 (25 seats)  
**Description:** Come spend a few minutes learning about the resources that are available through Oklahoma’s membership with MBA Research. Have you used MBA Research Bookmarks to explore topics? Action Briefs to bring current headlines into the classroom? Rubrics as an assessment tool? Ethics resources
for the classroom? Do you even know that these resources exist? There is a treasure trove of resources available for you at no cost. Join us to learn how to access these resources, what’s available, and how these resources can be used in the classroom.

Cluster Area: Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

Session: Soft Skills for Hard Numbers: Look Up And See What I See
Presenter: Kelli Lancaster, Microburst Learning
Presenter Bio: Kelli Lancaster has been involved with Career and Technology Education for 32 years. She was a media broadcasting instructor for 21 years before taking the role of the Work-Based Learning Coordinator with the Anderson Districts 1 & 2 Career & Technology Center in Williamston, SC. She is a graduate of the University of South Carolina with a BS in Business Management and her M.Ed. She received her National Board Certification in Career and Technical Education in 2003. Kelli was chosen as the 2018 Pendleton Region Career Specialist of the Year, 2018 South Carolina Career Specialist of the Year and the 2018 Anderson County Instructor of the Year. She was the 2021 SCACTE, ACTE Regional, and 2022 ACTE National Award winner for Counseling and Career Development Professional. She holds a certification in CSP and GCDF. She has implemented Microburst Learning EmployABILITY Soft Skills to all 20 programs at her career center and has completed the Master Certification Training Program through Microburst Learning. She is an active member of ACTE, SCACTE, NCDA, and SCCDA.

Room: A231 (25 seats)
Description: Picture this: Students taking responsibility for their actions, working through conflict and communicating effectively! We will walk through a journey of self-discovery that changed how my students think about themselves and each other. Experience activities and exercises that bring about student behavior changes and build soft skills that employers demand!

Cluster Area: Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

Session: You Drive the Bus, Where Is It Going?
Presenter Bio: Dan Armstrong serves K-12 education in the United States and Canada as a Solutions Consultant at Adobe Systems. Prior to his time at Adobe, Dan was a decorated teacher over the span of ten years. His accolades and responsibilities include Certiport Teacher of the Year, Idaho State University College of Education Leadership Award, Idaho CTEI Teacher of the Year, Create Idaho Founder, BPA National President, and many others. Dan’s two masters degrees in education came from hard work at Idaho State University and Full Sail University. Dan has completed several dozen industry certifications including MOS Master, MTA, and is an Adobe Certified Expert/Instructor. Dan’s most important role however, is as a father of six happy kids and a husband to a very supportive wife.

Room: A229 (50 seats)
Description: In this session, Adobe K-12 Solutions Consultant Dan Armstrong will walk you through making a plan for your pathway. Concepts will include: 1. Making a plan you can share with stakeholders including administration, parents, and funding sources. 2. Roadmaps for certifying in 16 weeks without going too fast, and how do you remediate? 3. Digital Expression is the new Literacy, and Creativity is the new Fluency. Come make a road map for your bus stops so you can answer the questions: “Where is your bus going?” “What are we going to learn today?” “Where does the next $1,000 go?” “How will this help my student beyond your classroom?” We get on the bus because we know where it is going.

Cluster Area: Recommended for the IT Cluster

Session: Creating a Personal Finance Lab
Presenter: Jared Ediger, BITE teacher, Yukon High School
Presenter Bio: Jared has taught for 12 years, teaching Personal Finance for seven of those years.
Room: F207 (25 seats)
Description: Schools have science labs, so why not a Personal Finance lab? Learn how to transform your classroom into a Personal Finance lab and provide a “real-world” experience for your students.

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and high-tech globalization flourishes. Students face life-changing career decisions during formative years and once in secondary education, they are ready to begin mastering skills and earn certifications to enter the workforce and/or pursue higher education. Integrating rigorous CTE curricula in esports engages students to pursue certifications and graduate with a career vision.

Cluster Area: Recommended for the IT Cluster

Session: **Psychology of Technology: Bridging the Digital Divide**
Presenter: Allie Upton, Implementation Specialist, Everfi
Presenter Bio: Allie has worked in education for ten years. Over the last three years, she has worked in virtual education, specifically breaking “ground” on the new Broken Arrow Virtual Academy. Through her love for Educational Technology and passion for educating the whole child, she found Everfi and never looked back. She is a mom of four amazing kids and one silly old cat. When not working, she can be found hiking, swimming, or riding roller coasters.
Room: F251 (20 seats)
Description: Now more than ever, it’s important that we are equipping students with the skills and tools they need to be wise digital consumers. In this session, we will dive deep into the research on the impact of technology on the adolescent brain and explore the latest tech tools to help students bridge the digital divide. *Bring laptop, tablet, or smart phone.
Cluster Area: Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

Session: **Cisco Netacad Updates/SkillsUSA Internetworking Competition**
Presenter: Julie Ballew, Cisco Instructor/Coordinator, Tulsa Technology Center
Presenter Bio: Julie has been in CareerTech education for over 20 years. She currently teaches the CCNA program at Tulsa Tech Riverside Campus and serves as the BMITE Reporter. She has an M.Ed. in Educational Technology and the CareerTech Administrator credential. She has a passion for creating positive learning environments in her classroom and lab and enjoys watching students become productive members of society through employment.
Room: F201 (60 seats)
Description: This session is designed for any level of IT instructor who is or may be interested in teaching from the free Cisco Networking Academy curriculum. This is a chance to hear information and ask questions.
Cluster Area: Recommended for the IT Cluster

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11:00 – 11:50 a.m.  Breakout Sessions (Session 4)

Session: **Can’t We All Just Get Along?**
Presenter: Lisa Roberts, BMITE Teacher, Southmoore High School
Presenter Bio: Lisa is the DECA sponsor and teaches Marketing Fundamentals, Business Communication, Sales and Sales Promotion, Marketing Internship, and Personal Financial Literacy at Southmoore High School. She is also an adjunct professor at Oklahoma City Community College, and an Oklahoma State Supreme Court Certified Mediator, where she volunteers with Early Settlement with the City of Norman. She received her Masters of Arts in Administrative Leadership from the University of Oklahoma.
Room: A106 (64 seats)
Description: This session is for anyone who would like to learn how to work through conflict resolution – How to identify a conflict, how to move past the emotional stage, and how to create a mutually satisfying agreement.
Cluster Area: Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

Session: **Helping Students Achieve Industry Certifications**
Presenter: Jared Skelton, Academic Consultant, TestOut
Presenter Bio: Jared Skelton is an Academic Account Executive at TestOut. He currently works with K-12 schools in the Western United States. He is a graduate of Brigham Young University. Jared has worked with education companies for the past 14 years in marketing, account management, or sales roles. When
he’s not helping instructors, he loves spending time with his family, playing sports and taking pictures. He grew up in California at the beach surfing but now spends more time in Utah at the lakes, ski resorts, and in the mountains.

Room: A114 (25 seats)
Description: Have you ever wondered how to get more students to pass industry certifications like MOS, CompTIA IT Fundamentals+, A+, Network +, Security +, CCNA or others? In this session, Jared Skelton, with over seven years with TestOut, will be here to help discuss benefits of high school students passing these exams, best practices, how teachers save time, answer questions, and show how districts are using TestOut courses to improve passing scores.
Cluster Area: Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

Session: Microsoft 365: Ever-Changing Business World
Presenter: Corinne Hoisington, Professor, Central Virginia Community College/National Geographic Publishing
Presenter Bio: Corinne Hoisington is a full-time professor of Information Systems Technology at Central Virginia Community College in Lynchburg, Virginia, with more than 25 years of teaching experience. Corinne travels over 200,000 miles a year delivering keynote addresses to college and university professors and K-12 educators in over 70 cities worldwide for customers such as the Microsoft Corporation, Microsoft Canada Camp 21 International Events, Cengage Learning, Bytespeed, National Biomedical Conferences, Health Care Conferences, Capital One International Bank, Executive LIVE in London, Wellington NZ, Sydney, and Johannesburg, and the international South by Southwest (SXSW) event in Austin, Texas. Professor Hoisington is the recipient of the Microsoft Most Valuable Professional award in Computer Programming. Corinne has authored over 30 textbooks with Cengage Learning/National Geographic on topics such as Microsoft 365, Outlook 365, Microsoft Windows, Android Boot Camp Java, Technology Now, and Visual Basic.

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Room: A150 (316 seats)
Description: Yes, Office 365 has changed names and feature sets. Office has a new name and a new skillset focus. In the last year, 100’s of new features have been added to Microsoft 365. A new culture of work is here. It’s open and collaborative, letting you work together securely, from anywhere in the world. Do your best work in this modern work place with Microsoft 365 solutions. See how to work with 3D models, find things fast with Timeline, dictate in Word and Outlook, and even bring your “A” game with Present Live and Presenter Coach. Wait until you see the new Resume Assistant that uses LinkedIn insights on the back-end to connect to Microsoft Word on the front-end. So should we be teaching Microsoft 365 of Office 2021?
Cluster Area: Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

Session: Advisory Boards: How to Make them Amazing
Presenter: Teresa Karnes, BMITE Teacher, Cashion High School
Presenter Bio: Teresa has been a BMITE teacher for 11 years at Cashion High School. She teaches Fundamentals of Technology, Fundamentals of Administrative Technologies, Desktop Publishing (Yearbook,) Digital Media (Video Production,) and Digital Photography. This past year, she was chosen as the Oklahoma Business Professionals of America Secondary Advisor of the Year, and Cashion High School Teacher of the Year.

Room: A144 (50 seats)
Description: This session is for beginners needing to learn how to start an advisory board and how to make the process repeatable. It is also for experienced teachers who just need a refresher or to brainstorm ideas.
### Awesome Uses for Google Drawings in Your Classroom

**Presenter:** Eric Curts, *Google Education Trainer & Innovator*

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**Room:** F134 (40 seats)

**Description:** Google Drawings is part of the Drive suite of tools but is often overlooked. However, it is a fantastic program for student learning and teacher instruction. In this session we cover the basics of how Drawings works, and then we try out dozens of practical examples of how it can be used in schools, including graphic organizers, math manipulatives, desktop publishing, interactive digital posters, drag-and-drop poetry, creating memes, making composite “green screen” images, innovative art projects, collaborative games, and more. For more details see: [https://bit.ly/curts-drawings](https://bit.ly/curts-drawings).

### Workforce Development

**Presenter:** Austin Taylor, *Executive Director, Film Education Institute of Oklahoma*

**Presenter Bio:** Austin Taylor is an Emmy award-winning producer and director from north of Dallas. He began his career working on the set of Walker, Texas Ranger and has since served in numerous roles. Austin produced films and commercials in the DFW area before moving to the Greater Los Angeles area, where he served as Director of Production/Executive Producer for several production studios for the last 18+ years. Austin also produced a tremendous amount of commercial content and documentaries for Carnival Cruise Line, forever changing the way the Cruise line markets itself. Most recently, Austin produced “Disney Insider,” a widely successful TV show for Disney+. Austin’s hard work, dedication and talent has led him to receive multiple Emmy nominations and wins for his work with the NFL Network, as he produced and directed documentary-style films showcasing how the NFL rolls out some of the most ambitious events each year, such as the NFL Draft and Super Bowl. Austin cites, “working harder and building incredibly talented teams of filmmakers” as the secret to his success.

**Room:** F135 (40 seats)

**Description:** Austin Taylor with FEIO will delve into workforce development and the significance of growing a robust film crew base in Oklahoma.

### The Tosa Difference: State-Approved Digital Skills Certifications

**Presenters:** Deborah Trask, *Education Account Executive, Isograd, Inc.*

**Presenter Bio:** Deborah Trask’s career path has always focused on her passion for education. After starting her career as a teacher in the primary grades, she transitioned into supporting educators with the tools they need to help every child succeed. Debbie has held various roles in the K12 market from Implementation Specialist to Account Executive. Melissa Murphy was born and raised in Syracuse, New York, and moved to Florida after college. She taught elementary school for many years before moving into the educational technology space for K12 schools, as well as higher education institutions. Her passion has always been in education and providing teachers and students with the tools to be successful. Both Melissa and Debbie are excited to offer a new option for digital skills certification exams, to both K12 and higher education institutions, here in Oklahoma.

**Room:** F138 (20 seats)
Description: Remove the pass/fail outcome of traditional test taking and jump into a new age of online testing with Tosa's adaptive digital skills assessments and certifications. These industry-recognized certifications, available on the Oklahoma Approved Assessment List, include assessments on digital literacy, cyber responsibility, graphic design, desktop software, and coding applications that your students can utilize to improve their digital skills.

Cluster Area: Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

Session: Experience the Tosa Difference for Your Students In Our Tosa Testing Room
Presenter: Mathieu Lillo, CEO North America, Isograd
Presenter Bio: Mathieu Lillo has been with Isograd for nearly 10 years, having joined the company in 2013 as a Sales Director. Mathieu played a major contributory role in the development of Tosa Certifications in Europe before he moved to the United States in 2019 to oversee Isograd’s continued growth. According to Mathieu, “Digital skills are critical in today’s jobs marketplace, and we look forward to continually expanding our standard for digital skills assessment and certification in North America.”
Room: F145 (20 seats)
Description: Remove the pass/fail outcome of traditional test taking and jump into a new age of online testing with Tosa's adaptive digital skills assessments and certifications. These industry-recognized certifications, available on the Oklahoma Approved Assessment List, include assessments on digital literacy (Google Workspace, WordPress), cyber responsibility (CyberCitizen & CyberCitizen Junior), graphic design (Adobe Premiere Pro), desktop software (Microsoft Collaborative Platform 365), and coding applications (Python, HTML5, JavaScript, React JS) that your students can utilize to improve their digital skills.

Cluster Area: Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

Session: Enhance Your Curriculum by Integrating Ethics
Presenter: Tammy Cyrus, Director of Professional Development, MBA Research
Presenter Bio: Tammy Cyrus has presented at numerous state and national conferences. She was a previous Business Administration teacher in North Carolina. Tammy has received her Master of Arts in Business Education and National Board of Professional Teaching Standards certification. She holds a certification in school administration as well as industry-recognized certifications in Adobe and Microsoft Office. Additional professional experiences have included teaching at the post-secondary level, working on curriculum development, serving in several leadership roles, and serving as an advisor for FBLA. At MBA Research, she oversees the PD team, Teacher Advisory Network, Conclave, and Leadership Forum, and provides professional development support for teachers, districts, and state departments across the country.
Room: A226 (25 seats)
Description: Ethics is the foundation of great leadership. Teaching students to make good decisions based on a defined set of values helps form the core foundation of ethical leadership. Come learn about the ethics resources that are available through the Daniels Fund Ethics Initiative High School Program. Leave with a better understanding of ethics and access to numerous classroom resources including course guides, lesson modules, and more! *A laptop is helpful but not required.

Cluster Area: Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

Session: Canva in the Classroom
Presenter: Natasha Odom, Photographer
Presenter Bio: Natasha, a former BMITE instructor of seven years, is now a photographer who utilizes programs like Canva for content creation.
Room: A231 (25 seats)
Description: Learn how to obtain an educator’s Canva account, navigate Canva and how to use the different features. Canva can be a great alternative for graphic design projects or simply be used to create attractive presentations, posters, social media content, etc... *Bring a laptop or use classroom Mac.

Cluster Area: Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters
Session: **Anyone Can Edit a Photo Like a Pro**  
**Presenter:** Dan Armstrong, K-12 Solutions Consultant, Adobe Systems, Inc.  
**Presenter Bio:** Dan Armstrong serves K-12 education in the United States and Canada as a Solutions Consultant at Adobe Systems. Prior to his time at Adobe, Dan was a decorated teacher over the span of ten years. His accolades and responsibilities include Certiport Teacher of the Year, Idaho State University College of Education Leadership Award, Idaho CTEI Teacher of the Year, Create Idaho Founder, BPA National President, and many others. Dan’s two masters degrees in education came from hard work at Idaho State University and Full Sail University. Dan has completed several dozen industry certifications including MOS Master, MTA, and is an Adobe Certified Expert/Instructor. Dan’s most important role however, is as a father of six happy kids and a husband to a very supportive wife.  
**Room:** A229 (50 seats)  
**Description:** This session will feature a very special hands-on approach to using Adobe Camera Raw. Don’t let the name scare you, Dan Armstrong will pull from over a decade of experience with a camera including photo shoots in Yosemite, Nevada Desert, and Fantasy of Flight! Dan will show you tried and true methods learned directly from the best. So if you have never taken a photo, or you are curious to make your photos better, Dan has a tip and trick for you. This has been a show-stopper session for over a decade and we can’t wait to share! *(To actively follow along, come prepared with a Creative Cloud login and access to lightroom.adobe.com.)*  
**Cluster Area:** Recommended for the IT Cluster

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Session: **JA of Oklahoma-ICAP and Financial Literacy Connections**  
**Presenter:** Robyn Brown, Program Director, Junior Achievement  
**Presenter Bio:** Robyn grew up on the West Coast but has lived in Oklahoma for 27 years, with 16 of those years working at Junior Achievement (JA) of Oklahoma. JA’s passion for students to be empowered for the future is something she believes in. Even if you only make a difference in one student’s life, it is so worth it for that one student to excel and reach a dream.  
**Room:** F207 (25 seats)  
**Description:** This session will cover information about programs Junior Achievement offers to make your job in education easier. The lesson plans are created for ease of delivery. This session will look at Work Readiness, Financial Literacy, and Entrepreneurship to meet state standards.  
**Cluster Area:** Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

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Session: **How to Run and Compete Your School-Based Enterprise**  
**Presenter:** Christy Flanigan, Marketing Teacher, Edmond Santa Fe High School  
**Presenter Bio:** Christy has taught for 24 years, and just finished her 13th year of teaching Marketing and DECA. She teaches Marketing Fundamentals, Entrepreneurship, Business Management, and Introduction to Marketing.  
**Room:** F219 (40 seats)  
**Description:** We will discuss tips for running your school-based enterprise (SBE) and tips for competing in the DECA School-Based Enterprise Competition. This presentation will give a brief overview and then be an open forum for those who have questions on how to be successful with their SBE.  
**Cluster Area:** Recommended for the Marketing Cluster

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Session: **Starting a Video Game Design Program at Your School**  
**Presenter:** Jeff Bishop, BITE Teacher, Putnam City West High School  
**Presenter Bio:** Jeff Bishop has over 25 years of instruction in Computer Animation and Video Game Design for high schools and universities. His former students can be found in Hollywood and video game companies around the world.  
**Room:** F253 (25 seats)  
**Description:** Video games are bigger than ever. The money earned by video game companies quadruples the money of all professional sports added together. eSports is great but pro gamers’ careers last two to five years. Building video games for a living is a life-long exciting career with many different career paths.  
**Cluster Area:** Recommended for the IT Cluster
Session: Academic Esports: A Gateway to Student Credentials/Certifications
Presenter: Jill Ranucci, Ph.D., CTE Consultant
Presenter Bio: Dr. Jill Ranucci is a College and Career Readiness advocate and has an extensive background in Career and Technical Education (CTE) as an administrator and teacher. Dr. Ranucci has held district positions in CTE in Arizona and Texas. Recently, Dr. Ranucci has been consulting for several CTE companies to help them align resources to state standards, state initiatives, industry-recognized credentials/certifications and academic integration. Jill believes every CTE course must provide premiere curricular resources to promote successful student outcomes. She earned a Ph.D. in Teaching and Teacher Education/Curriculum and Instruction and Education Leadership form the University of Arizona, an MS in Sports Psychology and a BS in Education with K-12 certifications in several core and CTE content areas. Dr. Ranucci speaks and publishes nationally for educational organizations and has been part of national CTE committees for school reform, academic integration and most recently esports to endorse curricular initiatives. Through her leadership, campuses have benefited from rigorous and academically integrated CTE courses.

Room: F228 (25 seats)
Description: Today’s technological challenges shift almost day to day. Global competition for high-wage, in-demand careers is at an all-time high and will increase as world ideologies environmental factors, and high-tech globalization flourishes. Students face life-changing career decisions during formative years and once in secondary education, they are ready to begin mastering skills and earn certifications to enter the workforce and/or pursue higher education. Integrating rigorous CTE curricula in esports engages students to pursue certifications and graduate with a career vision.
Cluster Area: Recommended for the IT Career Cluster

Session: Psychology of Technology: Briding the Digital Divide
Presenter: Allie Upton, Implementation Specialist, Everfi
Presenter Bio: Allie has worked in education for ten years. Over the last three years, she has worked in virtual education, specifically breaking “ground” on the new Broken Arrow Virtual Academy. Through her love for Educational Technology and passion for educating the whole child, she found Everfi and never looked back. She is a mom of four amazing kids and one silly old cat. When not working, she can be found hiking, swimming, or riding roller coasters.

Room: F251 (20 seats)
Description: Now more than ever, it’s important that we are equipping students with the skills and tools they need to be wise digital consumers. In this session, we will dive deep into the research on the impact of technology on the adolescent brain and explore the latest tech tools to help students bridge the digital divide. *Bring laptop, tablet, or smart phone.
Cluster Area: Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

Session: Oklahoma Cup and AFA’s CyberPatriot
Presenters: Nick Gaunt, BITE Instructor, Central Technology Center
Jeffrey James, Air Force Association, Gerrity Chapter Vice-President
Presenter Bios: Nick Gaunt is a CyberSecurity instructor at Central Tech in Drumright, Oklahoma. He has been teaching for 22 years, and has been a CyberPatriot coach for ten years. He has had four teams compete at the National Finals in Maryland.

Room: F201 (60 seats)
Description: This session will cover the upcoming Oklahoma Cup and CyberPatriot season. CyberPatriot is the Air Force Association’s National Youth Cyber Education Program, created to inspire K-12 students toward careers in cybersecurity or other science, technology, engineering, and mathematics disciplines. Oklahoma Cup is a local (Oklahoma only) invitational competition similar to CyberPatriot.
Cluster Area: Recommended for the IT Career Cluster

12:00 Noon – 1:35 p.m.  Lunch on Your Own
Session: **Lunch Session - Supporting Students’ Mental Health Needs**  
**Presenter:** Dr. Steven Aragon, Equity/Diversity Specialist, ODCTE  
**Presenter Bio:** Dr. Aragon has been the Equity/Diversity Specialist at the Oklahoma Department of CareerTech since September 2019. Prior to joining the agency, he was a faculty member in the colleges of education at the University of Illinois and Texas State University including serving as Interim Department Head of Human Resource Education (formerly Vo-Tech) at Illinois. His teaching and research focused on multicultural education, social justice, and equity and inclusion practices geared towards the retention and learning success of diverse high school and community college students which he now applies through his work with Oklahoma tech centers and sending schools. Dr. Aragon served on numerous national committees of the Association for Career and Technical Education (ACTE), is past president of the Association for Career and Technical Education Research (ACTER), former editor of the *Career and Technical Education Research (CTER)* Journal and conducted CTE research funded by the previous Office of Vocational and Adult Education (OVAE). He holds a Ph.D. in Educational Psychology from the University of New Mexico.  
**Room:** A106 (64 seats)  
**Description:** Mental health is health related to our thinking, emotion, behavior, or combination. And, like any other aspect of our health, it is based in biology. Our brain is like any other organ in our body and can become diseased or injured in ways negatively impacting its ability to function. As mental health needs increase, so too does our understanding of this area of health need to increase. This workshop is designed to discuss what mental illness is, causes of mental illness, common mental illnesses, and ways we can all help others improve their mental health.  
**Cluster Area:** Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

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1:45 – 2:35 p.m. **Breakout Sessions (Session 5)**

Session: **Understanding Gender Identity**  
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**Room:** A106 (64 seats)  
**Description:** This presentation addresses the social construct known as “gender identity.” The focus will be on understanding “feminine” and “masculine” gender roles and the appropriate pronoun usage when communicating with someone not fitting within the confines of how we socially define these constructs. Understanding the differences between “biological sex” and “gender” will also be discussed.  
**Cluster Area:** Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

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Session: **Student Data Privacy**  
**Presenter:** Adam Rogers, OSSBA

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*There are several nearby restaurants/fast food facilities 2 miles away. See list on the last page of all session descriptions.*
Presenter Bio: Adam has been in education for 12 years. He was a CTE Business Teacher for three years at Capitol Hill High School in Oklahoma City. He then became the CTE Technology Coordinator for Oklahoma City Public Schools. He was in that position for seven and a half years. He is now the Director of Technology Services for the Oklahoma State Schools Boards Association. He is focusing on getting schools the information they need to make sure students can succeed in today’s technology-driven world.

Room: A114 (25 seats)
Description: What is Student Data Privacy? Why is it important to you? This session will help you understand what you can and can’t do with student information. I will also share information about what the state is doing and get you some tools that are available to help you.
Cluster Area: Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

Session: Shifting CTE Career Pathways for the Next Decade
Presenter: Corinne Hoisington, Professor, Central Virginia Community College/National Geographic Publishing
Presenter Bio: Corinne Hoisington is a full-time professor of Information Systems Technology at Central Virginia Community College in Lynchburg, Virginia, with more than 25 years of teaching experience. Corinne travels over 200,000 miles a year delivering keynote addresses to college and university professors and K-12 educators in over 70 cities worldwide for customers such as the Microsoft Corporation, Microsoft Canada Camp 21 International Events, Cengage Learning, Bytespeed, National Biomedical Conferences, Health Care Conferences, Capital One International Bank, Executive LIVE in London, Wellington NZ, Sydney, and Johannesburg, and the international South by Southwest (SXSW) event in Austin, Texas. Professor Hoisington is the recipient of the Microsoft Most Valuable Professional award in Computer Programming. Corinne has authored over 30 textbooks with Cengage Learning/National Geographic on topics such as Microsoft 365, Outlook 365, Microsoft Windows, Android Boot Camp Java, Technology Now, and Visual Basic.

Corinne is a thought leader and curriculum specialist for online learning and collaboration. In the design of a modern, interactive course, it is important that educators innovate and not just replicate current online course methodology. As course designers, we thrive on feedback and responsiveness. We regularly question our original vision based on what other educators think of the material and the engagement level. Current research with a balance of creative, forward thinking is an efficient model to innovate through our online offerings. Standing silent is not an option. The future is forged by a series of questions that encourage creativity and force us to revisit our original ideas.

Room: A150 (316 seats)
Description: Few decisions are more important than choosing a career. And especially in these uncertain and changing times, no decision may be more difficult. U.S. companies, saddled with increasingly onerous costs of employing people, are downsizing, cutting employees’ hours, hiring temps, automating jobs, and demanding new skills from an aging workforce. So what’s changing the employability trends? Metaverse, AI, DATA DATA DATA, Holograms, Quantum Technology, and more.
Cluster Area: Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

Session: How to Conduct BPA/DECA Chapter Meetings Successfully
Presenter: Paxton Cavin, BPA/DECA State Advisor, ODCTE
Presenter Bio: Paxton Cavin has worked at the Oklahoma Department of CareerTech for four years in the BMITE Division as the Oklahoma BPA State Advisor and Oklahoma DECA Chartered Association Advisor. Paxton sits through a lot of meetings and appreciates those that are well-organized and efficient.

Room: A144 (50 seats)
Description: BMITE programs are required to host monthly CTSO chapter meetings – what does that mean? What do you do at these meetings? How long do they have to be? How are they being documented? Who runs these meetings? These questions along with many others will be answered in this session. Looking for parliamentary procedure? We will touch on the basics, but this session will be geared towards how to make chapter meetings happen successfully at your school.
Cluster Area: Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters
**Session:** Certiport Testing  
**Presenters:** Janette Sayer, Certiport Territory Manager  
**Presenter Bio:** Janette Sayer has been a Territory Manager at Certiport for over ten years working with instructors in Oklahoma and all over the U.S. to implement certification programs into classes they already teach. “Prior to Certiport, I was in the staffing industry for many years and know how important it is to prove your skills to potential employers. Certifications backed by industry are a way to validate specific skills. All employers require software skills. These programs allow you to prove yourself.”  
**Room:** C114 (20 seats)  
C118 (20 seats)  
**Description:** This session will be testing only for instructors who have already taken an exam in the past. *Pre-registration required at certiport.com before your scheduled time.*  
**Cluster Area:** Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

**Session:** Finding BMITE Resources  
**Presenter:** Stephanie Hodges, BMITE Program Specialist, Finance & Marketing Cluster Team Leader  
**Presenter Bio:** Stephanie is the BMITE Program Specialist for Region 3. Prior to her work with our division, Stephanie worked with CareerTech for five years as a Perkins Financial Analyst while earning her Master’s in Education, Teaching, Learning, and Leadership at OSU. She loves to volunteer as a state judge for CareerTech CTSOs, Accreditation, and taught as an adjunct instructor at Francis Tuttle Technology Center for four years. Prior to that, she has a long career in Business and Marketing, but is proud to call CareerTech home.  
**Room:** F134 (40 seats)  
**Description:** Welcome to BMITE Resources. Come hear how to make the most of your time and money, explore resources for curriculum, testing, inspiration, and technology. From best practices to CareerTech options, we will show you how to access resources for you and your classroom.  
**Cluster Area:** Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

**Session:** Fundamentals of Technology: Passing Made Easy!  
**Presenter:** Crystal Miller, Visual Communications Instructor, Northeast Tech-Kansas Campus  
**Presenter Bio:** Crystal Miller has been an educator for 24 years, 13 of which have been in CareerTech. Crystal was in the military before teaching. She is married with two adult children, one grandchild, and three fur monsters. She is a true “geek,” and loves what she does!  
**Room:** F135 (40 seats)  
**Description:** Easy, helpful, and quick ways to ensure your students will pass the Fundamentals of Technology certification.  
**Cluster Area:** Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

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Session: **Ready, Set, Go! Ready-Made Lesson Modules for the Classroom**  
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**Room:** A226 (25 seats)  
**Description:** MBA Research’s Learning Activity Packages (LAPs) are ready-made lesson modules and are designed to make life easier in the classroom. They incorporate many skills in the classroom, including social and emotional learning, career-ready skills, 21st Century skills, and more. Come learn about the components of LAPs, as well as best practices on how teachers across the country use LAPs to keep students engaged! With FREE access to 72 of our LAPs, you can start using these lessons immediately, along with gaining access to additional resources that you can add to your toolkit.

Session: **Integrating Computer Science in the Classroom**  
**Presenter:** Melissa Bullen, BITE Teacher, Southeast High School  
**Presenter Bio:** Melissa is a veteran CTE teacher at Southeast High School. She teaches Computer Science and Multimedia and Yearbook. Melissa graduated from the University of Oklahoma with a degree in Classical Culture with an emphasis on Latin. She also has a Master’s of Business Administration (M.B.A.) focused in e-commerce, from Oklahoma Christian University.  
**Room:** A231 (25 seats)  
**Description:** In an age where students have grown up with iPads and chromebooks, technology is no longer just a means to an end. There are many opportunities to cross core competencies with technology education because technology is everywhere! Teaching computer science alongside everyday subjects like Science, Math, English, and Social Studies is a natural fit.

Session: **The Creative Cloud Road Trip**  
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**Room:** A229 (50 seats)  
**Description:** Today the Creative Cloud has grown into over 22 desktop applications and many web services as well as mobile devices. During this session, former CTE teacher and now Adobe’s K-12 Solutions Consultant Dan Armstrong will take you on a road trip through the Creative Cloud. You will learn how to use your Adobe login, what apps and services are available, and how to find good quality training resources right from the source. There is nothing like a good road trip through the valleys of creativity and the mountains of digital expression!
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Cluster Area: Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

Session: The CreatiKEY to Marketing
Presenter: Wyatt Gerth, Creative Marketing Communications Instructor, Tri County Technology Center
Presenter Bio: An enthusiastic instructor and life-long learner, Wyatt Gerth graduated from the University of Oklahoma in 2017 with a bachelor’s degree in Creative Advertising and a minor in Sociology. Quickly after graduating, he obtained a position on the marketing team for Tri County Tech and was primarily responsible for content creation and social media marketing. In June of 2019, Wyatt became Tri County’s new Marketing Management instructor where he began building his new program, Creative Marketing Communications, from the ground up. Now entering his fourth year teaching, the program continues to constantly evolve and grow as new and exciting techniques from the field emerge.
Room: F219 (40 seats)
Description: Creative Marketing Communications is where raw, unfiltered creativity meets calculated business decision making. Through portfolio building, networking, and real-world clients, students prepare for the challenges that await them in their academic and professional careers. In this session, we will explore the vast depths of creativity and its ever-important function to break through the clutter of an over-stimulated audience.
Cluster Area: Recommended for the Marketing Cluster

Session: How to Create Content for Your Students That Doesn’t Bore Them to Death
Presenter: Jeff Bishop, BITE Teacher, Putnam City West High School
Presenter Bio: Jeff Bishop has over 25 years of instruction in Computer Animation and Video Game Design for high schools and universities. His former students can be found in Hollywood and video game companies around the world.
Room: F253 (25 seats)
Description: In the current age of education, digital online content is critical to have. In this class, you will gain the knowledge to create engaging (dare I say entertaining) content that students can relate to. We will be discussing microphones, cameras, software, XLR audio devices, web cams, royalty-free music, and so much more. This class will help you create a beginning to advanced setup that you can use to create fascinating and engaging content for your students no matter what the future holds for us.
Cluster Area: Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

Session: Entering the World of Esports
Presenter: Josh Roberson, BMITE Teacher & Esports Coach, Byng High School
Presenter Bio: “Mr. Rob” is a BMITE educator and esports coach at Byng High School in Ada. He helped his school establish one of the first esports programs in the state and has assisted several other schools get their esports programs started too. He has ten years of teaching experience and three years of esports coaching experience.
Room: F228 (25 seats)
Description: An introduction to esports and how to get an esports program started at your school. (For beginner audience.)
Cluster Area: Recommended for the IT Cluster
Session: Helping Students Achieve Industry Certifications
Presenter: Jared Skelton, Academic Consultant, TestOut
Presenter Bio: Jared Skelton is an Academic Account Executive at TestOut. He currently works with K-12 schools in the Western United States. He is a graduate of Brigham Young University. Jared has worked with education companies for the past 14 years in marketing, account management, or sales roles. When he’s not helping instructors, he loves spending time with his family, playing sports and taking pictures. He grew up in California at the beach surfing but now spends more time in Utah at the lakes, ski resorts, and in the mountains.
Room: F201 (60 seats)
Description: Have you ever wondered how to get more students to pass industry certifications like MOS, CompTIA IT Fundamentals+, A+, Network +, Security +, CCNA or others? In this session, Jared Skelton, with over seven years with TestOut, will be here to help discuss benefits of high school students passing these exams, best practices, how teachers save time, answer questions, and show how districts are using TestOut courses to improve passing scores.
Cluster Area: Recommended for all BMITE Career Clusters

2:45 – 3:35 p.m. Breakout Sessions (Session 6)

Session: New Teacher Question and Answer Session
Presenters: Mark Burch, BMITE State Program Manager, ODCTE
Room: A106 (64 seats)
Description: An opportunity for beginning BMITE teachers to collaborate, make connections, and ask questions.
Cluster Area: Recommended for any new BMITE instructors

Session: BMA Medical Round Table
Presenters: Patty Nieman, Meridian Technology Center
Christie Walker, Canadian Valley Technology Center
Room: A114 (25 seats)
Description: An opportunity for beginning and experienced teachers to collaborate and make connections to promote professional development throughout the school year.
Cluster Area: Recommended for BMA Medical instructors

Session: BMA Round Table
Presenters: Khrista Meyer, Southeast High School
Teresa Karnes, Cashion High School
Crystal Miller, Northeast Technology Center
Room: A144 (50 seats)
Description: An opportunity for beginning and experienced teachers to collaborate and make connections to promote professional development throughout the school year.
Cluster Area: Recommended for Business Management and Administration instructors

Session: IT Web & Digital Communications Round Table
Presenters: David Mosley, Star Spencer Mid-High School
Melissa Bullen, Southeast High School
Room: F135 (40 seats)
Description: An opportunity for beginning and experienced teachers to collaborate and make connections to promote professional development throughout the school year.
Cluster Area: Recommended for IT instructors
Session:  Finance Round Table  
Presenters:  Jared Ediger, Yukon High School  
Room:  F207 (25 seats)  
Description: An opportunity for beginning and experienced teachers to collaborate and make connections to promote professional development throughout the school year.  
Cluster Area: Recommended for Finance instructors

Session:  Marketing Round Table  
Presenters:  Christy Flanigan, Edmond Santa Fe High School  
Wyatt Gerth, Tri County Technology Center  
Room:  F219 (40 seats)  
Description: An opportunity for beginning and experienced teachers to collaborate and make connections to promote professional development throughout the school year.  
Cluster Area: Recommended for Marketing instructors

Session:  IT Programming & Software Development Round Table  
Presenters:  Chad Ellis, Putnam City High School  
Jeff Mason, Tulsa Technology Center  
Room:  F228 (25 seats)  
Description: An opportunity for beginning and experienced teachers to collaborate and make connections to promote professional development throughout the school year.  
Cluster Area: Recommended for IT instructors

Session:  IT Network Systems Round Table  
Presenters:  Nick Gaunt, Central Technology Center  
Julie Ballew, Tulsa Technology Center  
Room:  F201 (60 seats)  
Description: An opportunity for beginning and experienced teachers to collaborate and make connections to promote professional development throughout the school year.  
Cluster Area: Recommended for IT instructors

3:35 – 4:00 p.m. Check Out and Q&A

Session:  Check Out and Q&A  
Room:  Campus Entrance  
Description: Please use QR code for your all-day attendance. Let us know if you have questions.

CLUSTER KEY:  
BMITE = Business, Marketing, and IT Education (our divisional acronym)  
BMA = Business Management and Administration Cluster  
FIN = Finance Cluster  
IT = Information Technology Cluster  
MKT = Marketing Cluster

*Nursing mothers may find comfortable accommodations in F157. See James Gordon at Campus Entrance for questions or directions.
Vendor Lounge & Booths

Stukent Advisors’ Lounge A214 Corridor/Commons Area – New this year!
8:00 am – 3:30 pm

**COMPETITION!** During the conference, attendees who stop by the Stukent Advisors’ Lounge will have the option to sign up and play through 3 of Stukent’s simulations for free. These simulations are designed to help students gain real-world experience in topics such as social media marketing, supply chain, and professional sales. Attendees can sign up for any or all of the simulations to be put in a competition with the other participants. The competition will last until 6:00 pm EST on August 3rd, and whoever gets the highest score in the simulation(s) will receive a prize!

**HEADSHOTS!** Come take a semi-professional headshot for your school or student organization web page. Digital photos and printed copies available!

**PUTTING GREEN!** Need we say more? Come relax and have fun with us.

Vendor Booths – A119 Lobby
8:00 am – 3:30 pm

National Geographic/Cengage
Precision Exams/YouScience
Isograd Tosa
Junior Achievement
Microburst Learning

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*Nearby Lunch Restaurants on S. Olympia Avenue (approximately 2 ½ miles away):
Qudoba
Chuys
Freddy’s
Texas Roadhouse
Sushi Fork
Madeline’s Cafe and Bakery
Blaze Pizza
Sonic
Starbucks
Panera
Ted’s
Hideaway
Panda Express
BWW
Albert G’s BBQ*
Jersey Mike’s Subs
Bubble Tea Poke and Ramen
Metro Diner
Tropical Smoothie Cafe
Smash burger
Cracker Barrel
Chilis
McDonald’s
Chick Fil A
Arbys
Cain’s