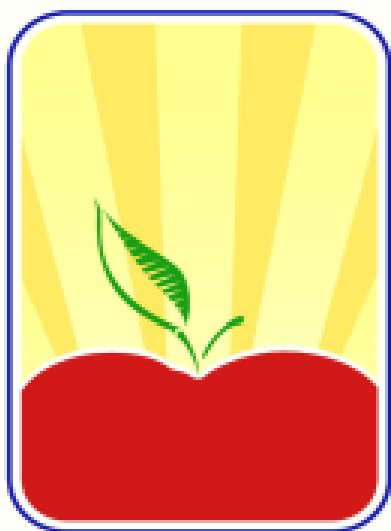


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Message from our 2010 Conference Program Chairs

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The [Annual Fall FATE Conference](#) is well underway and promises to be very informative! A tremendous amount of planning has already been done to provide every educator in the State an enlightening and beneficial two days. The conference will be held at the [Hilton in St. Petersburg Carillon Park](#) on **Friday and Saturday, October 8–9, 2010.**



The theme is **Transforming Teacher Preparation for the 21st Century: Needs, Challenges, and Best Practices**. The strands include Partnerships with K–12 Schools, and Collaboration with Colleges of Arts & Sciences and with Alternate Pathways; Technology & Teacher Preparation; Evidence–Based Assessment; Urban Education, Globalization, and Diversity; Induction, Mentoring, and Teacher Retention; and Research and Development.

We have made every effort to include representatives from public and independent Florida colleges and universities. On Friday, there will be three sessions beginning at 12:30pm. These include **Assessment and Accreditation, Technology and Teacher Education**, and a **Student Showcase** poster session for undergraduates. Following these sessions, there will be a **Florida panel discussion** by several key leaders across the State.

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The keynote presentation on Friday will begin at 5:00pm by **Sarah Enterline** from Boston College Lynch School of Education. She will speak on **Using Assessments and Evidence to Engage in Informed Programmatic Decision Making** with an emphasis on assessment in Florida. Dinner at your choice of restaurants will include conversations with leaders across the State.

The Saturday luncheon speaker is **Larry Daniel**, President, Teacher Educators Council of State Colleges and Universities, NCATE Blue Ribbon Panel, SUS Deans. He will speak on the **National Landscape of Teacher Education and Its Future**. Immediately following this presentation, there will be a brainstorming session of Florida teacher educators.

In addition, every FATE member has the opportunity to submit a proposal to present on Saturday morning or afternoon. See the FATE website for further information. Check out the [Awards](#) link and send in your nominations as well. We hope to see you in October.

Sincerely,
Jane Govoni and Terrie Sybolt
Co-Chairs

Awards

Sophie Paul, Manatee District Schools
pauls@manateeschools.net

Please consider nominations for the following awards. Recipients will be honored at the fall annual conference. **Fanchon F. Funk FATE Scholars Awards** ~ These awards are presented each year at the FATE Conference to pre-service students who are recognized for their potential as outstanding future educators. **Mary L. Collins Excellence in Teacher Education Award** ~ This award is presented each year at the FATE Conference to a teacher educator who has made a significant and substantial contribution to the profession.

Communication/Publications

Valerie Wright, Saint Leo University
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Newsletter ~ Our newsletter serves to give the membership reports & updates from board and committee meetings and well as highlight events and successes of our members and regional members. At the April, 2010 Board meeting, it was determined that the Newsletter will be published three times per year at the end of each academic semester (Spring, Summer, and Fall). We welcome other news and updates. Submit photos, pieces, and news for inclusion in the newsletter to shelli.barton@saintleo.edu.

FATE Journal ~ The **deadline for submission** for the next issue will be November, 2010. The journal is published electronically. All past journals are now formatted to PDF, catalogued and linked to the new site. Check out our new issue online at: <http://fate1.org/2009.php> For more information about the journal please contact Jeff Kaplan, Editor at jkaplan@mail.ucf.edu.

Leadership: Special Reports

Kathleen Lazarus, Daytona State College
lazaruk@daytona.edu

FATE Treasurer ~ Ray Roberts, Brevard CC
Budget is available in the minutes from the April, 2010 Board meeting to be posted online.

At-Large Director, Business

Stephen McPherson, Florida Virtual School
Please contact Stephen if you have any sponsorship connections, such as business partners or donators at smcpherson@flvs.net. Any interested sponsors may access information and forms online at <http://fate1.org/sponsors.cfm>.

Website ~ Thank you to Mannong (Pam) Pang from UCF for her continual efforts on the new and improved website launched in December, 2009. It is now a comprehensive site for all of our communication needs.

FATE on Facebook & Twitter ~ Valerie Wright will work with Shelli Barton (SLU) and Prisca Rodriguez (UF) to create a FATE Facebook and Twitter. These groups and forums will serve as another tool for members to communicate information, blog, or converse about upcoming events or sessions at our annual conference. Keep in mind that these social networking sites will in no way take the place of the official webpage. Official FATE information and materials will be made available on the FATE of website when these forums are available.

Recent Events

Jane Govoni, Saint Leo University

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Association of Teacher Educators Annual Meeting ~ Congratulations to the FATE! At the National Conference in Chicago our state association earned an ATE Achievement Award! Several officers represented FATE at leadership activities including the Delegate Assembly in Chicago.



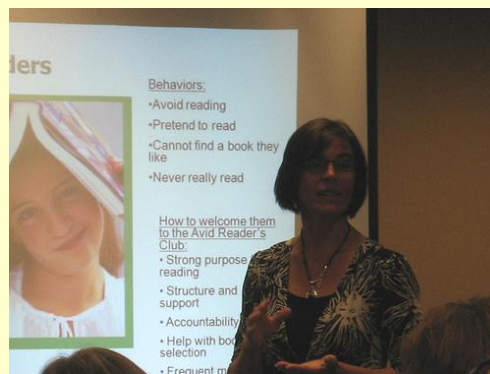
Jane Govoni (President-Elect) and Valerie Wright (Secretary) assist at the FATE table in Chicago.



Gwendolyn Trotter, Panhandle Regional Director, ATE Annual Conference, Chicago, February, 2010.

Panhandle Regional Meeting ~ Gwendolyn Trotter reports that the event was a great success, held at the Challenger Museum in Tallahassee. \$1745.00 was raised for the Fanchon Funk Awards. Forty three new members attended with a total of 168 participants. She hopes to see you at the next regional event on April 16th, 2011.

East Central Regional Conference ~ April, 17, 2010, 11:45–12:35, the East Central Region free event held at University of Central Florida (UCF). The UCF Book Festival includes panel of authors, Michelle Kelly and Nicky Clausen–Grace. Newest IRA book, "R5 in Your Classroom: A Guide to Differentiating Independent Reading and Developing Avid Readers." April 16, 2011.



Nicki Clausen-Grace and Michelle Kelly, FATE regional meeting, discussing R5

Crown Regional Conference ~ Otilia Salmon reports that 300+ attended the Crown Regional Meeting on April 23, 2010. The 2011 Regional Meeting will be hosted by University of North Florida, University of Florida, Jacksonville University, and Jacksonville State. Event date to be announced in the near future.



Spring, 2010 Board Meeting, Daytona, FL



2010 Conference Proposal

Transforming Teacher Preparation for the 21st Century: Needs, Challenges, and Best Practices

Explore best practices and challenges of teacher preparation through collaborative partnerships, research, technology, assessment, mentorships, recruitment, and alternate pathways. This two-day conference will be held at the **Hilton Carillon in St. Petersburg, Florida on Friday & Saturday, October 8th & 9th**. More information about the conference, including registration, and hotel accommodations will be available on the FATE website at www.fate1.org.

Complete this proposal form and save it to your files. Then, send as an attachment to *John Schroeder* at sate@admincenter.org.

Title of Presentation:

Presentation Format:

☐ Paper Presentation

☐ Round Table Discussion

Presenter(s) & Affiliation(s):

Conference Strand: ☐ (insert the letter that best corresponds to your presentation from the list below)

- a. *Partnerships with K-12 Schools and Collaborative Projects with Colleges of Arts and Sciences and Alternative Pathways*
- b. *Research and Development*
- c. *Technology*
- d. *Evidenced-based Assessment*
- e. *Diversity, Globalization, and Urban Education*
- f. *Induction, Mentoring, and Recruiting*

Description for Conference Program: Be sure to be explicit and show relationship to theme or strand(s)

(50 words maximum):

Presentation Abstract: (300 words maximum):

Contact information

Name:

School affiliation:

E-mail:

Work phone:

Summer contact information:

Will need special assistance:

☐ Yes

☐ No

FATE Region: ☐ Crown ☐ East Central ☐ Panhandle ☐ South ☐ West Central

AV Equipment: All presenters are responsible for providing an LCD projector and lap top if needed. A power strip and screen will be available in every room.

All proposals must be submitted electronically by Monday, May 10, 2010 to John Schroeder, Chair, Proposal Committee at sate@admincenter.org. Proposal acceptance will be sent out by Mon. June 7th via e-mail.



Florida Association of Teacher Educators
2010 Annual Conference – October 8-9th
Reforming Teacher Preparation for the 21st Century:
Needs, Challenges, and Best Practices

Voices of Students Showcase

About the Voices of Students Showcase

The Voices of Students Showcase is designed to highlight exemplary work created by undergraduate education majors in Florida. FATE invites all education majors to participate in the **Voices of Students Showcase**. Pre-service students may participate at a discounted conference rate of \$50.00 which includes registration fee, and meals as indicated on the registration form.

The format for the **Voices of Students Showcase** includes poster sessions or round table discussions. Suggestions include learning centers, instructional bulletin boards, multimedia lessons, instructional lesson or activities, student created projects, and/or research papers.

Please note that the form must be signed by a sponsoring college/university faculty member. Forms must be received by **Friday, May 28, 2010**.

About the Conference

The two-day conference will be held at the **Hilton Carillon in St. Petersburg, Florida** on Friday and Saturday, Oct 8-9th. The **Voices of Students Showcase** will be one of the opening events and will take place on **Friday afternoon from 12:30-2:00pm** along with three featured sessions. From 2:00-4:30pm there will be a panel discussion by invited leaders in the State. From 5:00-6:00pm the keynote speaker, *Sarah Enterline*, Director of Assessment and Accreditation, Lynch School of Education, Boston College will speak on **Using Assessments and Evidence to Engage in Informed Programmatic Decision-Making**.

For more information about the conference including registration and hotel accommodations visit the FATE webpage: www.fate1.org. To send in an application, see the form below.



**Florida Association of Teacher Educators
2010 Annual Conference
Reforming Teacher Preparation for the 21st Century:
Needs, Challenges, and Best Practices
Voices of Students Showcase Application**

Name: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

University/College: _____

Showcase format: Poster Session Round Table
Circle one

Showcase Title: _____

Showcase Description: (50
words or less) _____

Student Signature: _____

Sponsoring Faculty: _____
Date

(print)

Faculty Signature: _____

Date

Send completed form to: John Schroeder at sate@admincenter.org by Friday, May 28, 2010. All applications will be reviewed and an email will be sent to student regarding acceptance by July 1, 2010.



Membership Renewal / New Member Application

Thank you in advance for considering membership in this professional association of educators committed to promoting quality teacher education in the state of Florida.

Membership extends to the Annual Florida Teacher Education Conference, October 2010.

Name _____

Postal Address _____

Region **Panhandle** **Crown** **East Central** **West Central** **South**

(Circle one) Find your region: www.fate1.org/FATERegions

Institution _____

Position _____

Phone **Daytime Work:** _____ **Cell (optional):** _____

Email _____

Check one: _____ ***Regular or New \$30***

_____ **Lifetime Member \$600**

_____ **Retired Member \$15**

_____ **Student Member \$15**

Please send your check, made payable to
Florida Association of Teacher Educators,
along with this form to:

FATE Treasurer
c/o UCF Educational Studies
4000 Central Florida Blvd.
Education Complex Building, Suite 220
Orlando, FL 32816-1250

Expect a written receipt to arrive at your postal address in 2-4 weeks.

FATE is a state unit of ATE, the Association of Teacher Educators. www.ate1.org

For more information about FATE or membership, visit www.fate1.org.



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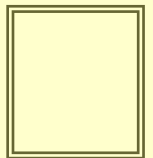
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