



A Brief Recent History

FATE, the Florida Association of Teacher Educators (www.fate1.org) became an active state unit of ATE; the Association of Teacher Educators (www.ate1.org) in 1996 when Dr. Mary L. Collins vowed to create an organization that would grow, prosper and withstand political change and the test of time.

Dr. Collins enlisted Dr. Fanchon F. Funk to organize a conference in 1997 with in conjunction with SRATE (www.srate.org) the Southeastern Regional Association of Teacher Educators. The Florida unit profited from that project, which provided seed money for the inaugural FATE Annual Conference.

Membership in FATE has grown steadily since that spring conference in Orlando. In 2001 the conference was moved to the fall and in 2004 moved to central Florida to better accommodate participation by teacher educators from all five (5) state regions.

Year	President	Conference Site
2012	Jane Govoni	University of North Florida
2011	Jane Govoni	St. Petersburg Hilton Carillon
2009	Henri Sue Bynum	Daytona Advanced Tech College
2008	Wanda Lastrapes	Orlando Sheraton Downtown
2007	Victoria Giordano	Orlando Sheraton Safari
2006	Doug Maclsaac	Orlando Sheraton Safari
2005	W. Scott Wise	Orlando Sheraton Safari
2004	Susan Graf	Orlando w/SRATE Sheraton Safari
2003	Alicia Mendoza	Ft. Lauderdale Sheraton
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2001	Dennis Pataniczek	Ft. Lauderdale Rolling Hills
2000	Mary Collins	Orlando Marriot (March)
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1998	Mary Collins	Cruise w/SRATE (Seed \$ for FATE)
1997	Mary Collins	Board Organized