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60th Anniversary!

During a three-day event, SRATE celebrated its 60th anniversary. It was a spectacular conference hosted by FATE (Florida Association of Teacher Educators). One of the largest SRATE conferences to date, attendees got to be a part of this occasion at USF Sarasota Manatee as they hosted the event in beautiful sunny Sarasota, Florida.

Save the Date!

**FATE
Annual
Conference**

**Date:
Oct. 3 & 4, 2014**

Location:





Featured Panel:

Lance Tomei, of UCF, and Willis Walter, of Bethune-Cookman University, have both been on Accreditation Teams for Continuous Improvement & Transformation Initiative Reviews. The gentlemen gave a very informative and inspiring presentation on CAEP, *CAEP Update Through the Eyes of National Board Examiners*.

Dinner:

Day one included a spectacular dinner event. Special guest speaker was Charles Dzuiban of UCF. FATE would like to thank their very own Matt Lavery and his company LEAH for sponsoring part of the dinner event.

Conference attendees got to take wacky pictures to celebrate the anniversary.

Fate would like to thank Eric Boerger for volunteering his time to be our event photographer.



DAY 2 – Oct. 11th

Day two continued with magnificent presentations and included a FEATURED PANEL of:

- ✚ Felicia Cummings-Smith (State Commissioner for Kentucky's Department of Education)
- ✚ Eileen McDaniel (Florida Department of Education)
- ✚ Martha Ann Todd (Executive Director of the Governor's office of Student Achievement)
- ✚ Graig Meyer (Director of Student Equity and Volunteer Services of Chapel Hill-Carrboro City Schools)
- ✚ Shari Becker Albright (Norine Murchison Professor of Practice and Chair Department of Education; Trinity University)



Day two continued with a fabulous luncheon with many celebrations and honors which included a special appearance by Sheila Bolin who brought her original Olympic torch and allowed attendees to take pictures holding it.

Megan Allan, Florida's 2010 teacher of the year, was the luncheon speaker. She shared a tearful and heart wrenching story of loving her students and making a difference in their lives.

It was an honor to be able to celebrate the educational contributions of Anne Gaylen-Felton. SRATE presented Mrs. Felton with the Distinguished Service Award.

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Award Winners



Mariam Fleck, Naomi Jacobs, Candice Hatton, Laura Ashley Riley, and Laura Jorge





VOLUNTEERS

SRATE and FATE would like to THANK the wonderful students of USF Sarasota Manatee for graciously giving their time to volunteer during the conference. They were relentless and worked hard to assist with any and everything needed to ensure the event went smoothly.

THANK YOU Caitlin, Malony, Brittany Davidson, Brittany DeAnda, Naomi Jacobs, Jamila Ali, Mariam Fleck and Laura Jorge



REMINDER:

We hope you all attend the 2014 annual FATE conference. It will be held in Boca Raton, Florida hosted by Lynn University.

(site of the final 2012 Presidential Debate).

Additional information will be provided on the FATE website.



Lynn University

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