#### REPORT TO THE WA-ACTE EXECUTIVE BOARD

# **Prez-Elect Report**

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### 1. General Thoughts:

We continue to focus on the visual make-up of Summer Conference attendees (and Fall and Spring WACTA), we continue to notice a lack of diversity in our in-person attendance.

## 2. Strategic Plan Activities:

To support DEI work, we are continuing our work with WACTA members on DEI learnings and moves within their CTE Department to bring more diversity to our WA-ACTE membership and leadership, with the end goal, of providing CTE programs that reach all students. The first step was a DEI session at Fall WACTA regarding CTE Leadership team formation, and then we had an extended focus at Spring WACTA, with OSPI taking notice. A Renton Team has presented our work at Region V in Fargo. We plan to continue DEI work and learnings at future conferences.

#### 3. Matters of Interest:

- 1. DEI of our organization and leadership and workforce in districts and buildings.
- 2. Continuing to recruit presenters from all section groups for Summer Conference.
- 3. Continuing to promote auction baskets for Summer Conference.

## 4. Executive Committee Activities:

Support DEI professional development at our conferences and in all networking.