



e-News Blast
UPDATE
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Washington Association for Career and Technical Education



"CTE...Connecting Education and Careers"

August 5-8, 2018 | The Davenport Grand Hotel | Spokane
[Summer Conference Webpage](#)

Early Bird Registration is Open!
Register by June 30 and SAVE

[Sneak Peek: Summer Conference Sessions](#)
(subject to change and more to come!)

REGISTRATION FORMS

Paper Registration (checks or purchase orders): [pdf](#) | [Word](#)
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Engage in professional development specific to your CTE field, advance your career, and earn STEM-approved clock hours. The Washington ACTE Summer Conference presents an opportunity for you to enhance your skills in your CTE field while strengthening contacts at local, regional, and state levels. Your attendance at this conference will be a professional investment, which will support streamlined practices, real-world solutions, and a network of peers to call upon.

Opening Session Keynote



[Rachael Mann](#)

Public speaker, TEDx coach, education consultant, and founder of #TeachlikeTED, an organization that provides teachers, leaders, and students with tools for presentation literacy. Rachael uses her voice and her expertise to broaden the conversation around education reform and to amplify the voices of teachers and students.

Tuesday Breakfast Keynote



Steve DeWitt

Deputy Executive Director
[Association for Career and Technical Education](#)
ACTE Public Policy: Perkins Act, Federal and State Education Policy and Funding, Legislative Advocacy, Congressional Action, Media, and Public Relations



Book your group rate at The Davenport Grand Hotel

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\$102 single | \$112 double

(parking \$12/day for registered guests)

Last day to book: 7/9/18

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[3 high schools to offer nursing program](#)

High-school students in a Washington state district beginning this fall will be able to earn nursing assistant certifications. The recently approved program is to be offered at three high schools through a partnership with Clover Park Technical College.

[The News Tribune \(Tacoma, Wash.\)/Puyallup Herald News](#) (5/29)

[Student-built tiny house donated to homeless](#)

A high-school teacher in Washington state leads his students in an annual, yearlong project to build a tiny house. The project is part of an effort to help curb homelessness in the community.

[KCPQ-TV \(Seattle\)](#) (5/31)

[Students showcase games they designed](#)

Students in a Washington state school district recently showcased video games they designed at the Game Design Expo at Cascade Park Community Library. Game design is part of the district's career and technical education curriculum.

[The Columbian \(Vancouver, Wash.\)](#) (6/2)

[Google, foundation boosts STEM in Wash. district](#)

A Washington school district is celebrating an effort with the Technology Access Foundation and Google to expand science, technology, engineering and math programs. The district recently celebrated the first year of a STEM-themed school for sixth through 12th grades, as well as the announcement of a \$100,000 grant to expand STEM programs in feeder elementary schools.

[Federal Way Mirror \(Wash.\)](#) (6/2)

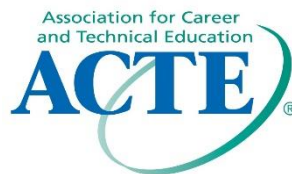
FUTURE EVENTS

Upcoming Conferences

WA-ACTE, Sections, Region V, and National ACTE Conferences



NEW CTE "GET REAL" VIDEO CONTEST LAUNCHES: The Workforce Board's video project, which encourages middle and high school students from throughout the state to create their own videos to promote CTE (Career and Technical Education), now features a cool contest! The first three students who submit videos to the CTE "Get Real" Video Challenge that meet contest guidelines can win a \$25 gift card, or up to \$75 per team. Deadline is the end of the school year, so get out your video camera- or cell phone or tablet-right away! All completed videos will be featured on CareerBridge.wa.gov so fame is guaranteed! More details: <http://www.wtb.wa.gov/CTEvideoproject.asp>. Check out the flyer: <https://bit.ly/2l8ibOx>



Deadline for CTE student scholarships is fast approaching

Encourage your students to apply for the Horatio Alger National Career and Technical Scholarship Program, offering 1,020 scholarships of up to \$2,500 each to students who wish to pursue a career and technical education certificate or degree at an accredited nonprofit postsecondary institution in the US. Apply by June 15! [Learn more.](#)



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