ACTE's CareerTech VISION 2015
November 19-22, 2015, New Orleans, Louisiana
INSERVICE EVALUATION SUMMARY

5 = Excellent  4 = Very Good  3 = Good  2 = Fair  1 = Poor

Conference Objectives

- Exciting, informative, and inspirational educational agenda packed with hundreds of sessions.
- Exceptional networking opportunities with thousands of CTE peers and professionals.
- Provocative discussions on public education from high-profile education experts.
- Practical in-classroom strategies for propelling your students into an increasingly competitive workforce.
- The latest CTE innovations, making dramatic differences in student outcomes.

1. The extent to which the written objectives have been met.  
   3.59

2. Participant perception of relevance and quality of the conference.  
   3.94

3. The extent to which the following activities addressed by the conference have been met:

   a. Opportunities for participants to collect and analyze evidence related to student learning.  
      3.82

   b. Professional certificate standards.  
      3.41

   c. School and district improvement efforts.  
      3.71

   d. K-12 frameworks and curriculum alignment.  
      3.29

   e. Research-based instructional strategies and assessment practices.  
      4.00

   f. Content of current or anticipated assignment.  
      4.29

   g. Advocacy for students and leadership, supervision, mentoring/coaching.  
      3.94

   h. Building a collaborative learning community.  
      3.94

Suggestions for improving the conference:

- Excellent conference - great facilities. I think it would be nice to bring participants from each (or at least Washington) state together once during the conference.
- Catalog was too big and hard to navigate. The counseling “section” published their own booklet with only their workshops. Would be helpful if all sections did that so that you don’t have to wade through everything!
- Offer mid/high school content. Lots of sessions were designated postsecondary.
- More hands-on activities. Not having Wi-Fi available was inexcusable being the conference focused on technology. Also surprising was that at a national technology conference a vendor did not bring in a computer lab to set up since there was no Wi-Fi.
- First timer and though the conference was terrific!
- Wonderful professional development. They go above and beyond!
- Provide coffee for the mid-afternoon slump.
- There were only a few sessions that were not a sales pitch of a product or curriculum, etc. that I attended. I’m fine with a sales pitch, but I’d like to know that’s what I’m going to see/hear before I go in. Other sessions cancelled made it hard to get from one spot to another in time. Good content on several sessions.
- Start one day earlier.
- I expected a bit more from the keynote speakers at a national conference such as this. More planned “bonding” activities/tours.