



Announcement of CTE Spring 2022 SPAN Conference March 7-8, The Citizen Hotel, Sacramento & Virtually

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The California Council on Teacher Education's annual spring conference in Sacramento is the Spring Policy Action Network, or SPAN. Designed for capacity-building, advocacy, and learning, SPAN 2022 will continue to position CTE as a powerful voice for educator preparation. The CTE Policy Committee, which plans the SPAN Conferences, would like you to take note of three important highlights as you look ahead to March 7-8.

First, we will be back in person at The Citizen Hotel in 2022, with virtual options. A Conference registration form follows on page 3 of this announcement, and you can reserve a guest room at The Citizen Hotel by calling 877-781-8559 by February 4 (to get the conference rate be sure to ask for a room in the CTE block). The Citizen puts us right in the middle of the city, within blocks of the Capitol. Nearby coffee shops, restaurants, and parks make it a great place to reconnect with colleagues.

Second, in 2022 we are moving SPAN to a Monday-Tuesday format. Plan to arrive by 9:00 a.m. on Monday, March 7 and conference sessions will end by 3:00 p.m. Tuesday, March 8. This change reflects feedback we received from legislative offices about the availability of legislators and staff. Our appointments with legislative offices, will be scheduled on Tuesday, March 8, and will give us more opportunities to talk with policymakers. Otherwise all the same conference features will be there, just arranged in new ways: associated group meetings for AICCU-ED, CABTE, CAPSE, and the field coordinators; the deans meeting; research roundtables and posters (see the call for proposals on page 4 of this announcement); policy speakers and allies; and of course, our "day on the hill" activities. Please see the tentative schedule on page 2 of this announcement.

Finally, we will conduct a CTE Policy Survey again this year to gather knowledge and insight about the current state of educator preparation from a cross-section of constituencies that underscores CTE's unique membership and reach. Pre-service and in-service educators and those who prepare and support them will have an opportunity to respond to the survey, thereby allowing CTE to provide policymakers as well as the CTE membership with comprehensive insights from educators across the state. We'll be working again with the REAL Lab (University of Redlands) for IRB approval, data analysis, and summary reports, making this survey an effective tool for our conversations with legislators and staff. So when you see the survey link in your email in January, please share it broadly with your faculty, candidates, and cooperating teachers and of course, complete the survey yourself.

We are excited about these steps, and looking forward to seeing our CTE friends and colleagues in Sacramento.

See on the following pages:
Tentative SPAN 2022 Program
SPAN 2022 Registration Form

Tentative CCTE Spring 2022 SPAN Conference Program

Monday, March 7:

9:00 a.m. - Meet and Greet Breakfast

With Optional SIG Meetings

10:15 a.m. - President's Greetings, Introductions, & SPAN Overview

10:30 a.m. - Policy Priorities for Educator Preparation

Orientation to Policy Issues

Overview of SPAN Survey Results

Breakouts for Legislative Visit Team Discussions about Talking Points

Noon - Advocacy Lunch

Speaker to Address Current Policy Issues

1:15 p.m. Research Roundtables and Poster Session

3:00 p.m. - Concurrent Associated Group Meetings

Association of Independent California Colleges and Universities-Education

California Association for Bilingual Teacher Education

California Association of Professors of Special Education

3:00 p.m. - California Education Deans Meeting

4:15 p.m. - California Alliance for Inclusive Schooling Policy Summit

5:30 p.m. - Reception

Tuesday, March 8:

7:30 a.m. - CCTE PD4MT (Professional Development for Mentor Teachers) Meeting

9:00 a.m. - Continental Breakfast and Legislative Visit Orientation

Legislative Visits Will Be Scheduled Between 9:00 a.m. and Noon

Some of All Visits Will Likely be via Zoom

With an Optional Capitol Walk About and Advocacy 101

9:30 a.m. - Guided Policy Analysis Session

With an Expert Guide

Noon - Lunch and Debrief

Legislative Visits Debrief

Expert Analysis and Next Steps for CCTE Policy Committee

Final Opportunity to Vote in CCTE Annual Election

1:30 p.m. - CTC Workshops

Commission on Teacher Credentialing Staff Will Lead Two Sessions:

Leadership for Accreditation

Policy Issues Discussion

2:45 p.m. - Final Session

Announcement of CCTE Annual Election Results

Preview of CCTE Fall 2022 Conference.

Conference Adjournment.

Wednesday, March 9:

9:00 a.m. - California University Field Coordinators Forum (Virtual Only)

Morning and afternoon meetings via Zoom.

California Council on Teacher Education Spring 2022 SPAN Conference Registration

Please use this form to register for the Spring 2022 CCTE SPAN Conference, March 7-8;
Or if you wish to pay by credit card, use the on-line portal on the "Conferences" page of the CCTE website (www.ccte.org).

Name _____

Preferred Mailing Address _____ (include ZIP code)

Telephone _____

E-Mail _____

Institutional Affiliation _____

Select Either On-Site or Virtual Registration from the Categories Below

In-Person Registration—for persons wishing to attend the Conference at the Citizen Hotel in Sacramento.

Check the Appropriate Category (all registration categories include Monday lunch and Tuesday breakfast and lunch):

- Registration - \$295
- Special for P-12 Educators - \$200
- Special for Part-Time Faculty - \$175
- Special for Retired Educators - \$150
- Special for Students - \$100
- Special for 4 or more registrants from the same institution - \$275 each
(submit a form for each with combined payment)

Virtual Registration—for persons wishing a link to the virtual live-stream of most Conference sessions:

Each Category Includes Access to Live-Streamed Conference Sessions Via a Link and Password
to be Provided to Each Virtual Registrant (check the appropriate category):

- Basic Virtual Registration - \$195
- Special Virtual for P-12 Educators - \$150
- Special Virtual for Part-Time Faculty - \$125
- Special Virtual for Retired Educators - \$100
- Special Virtual for Students - \$50
- Special Virtual for 4 or more registrants from the same institution - \$175 each
(submit a form for each with combined payment)

California University Field Coordinators Forum Virtual Meeting—

Wednesday, March 9 via Zoom, Link and Password to be Provided Each Registrant.

- California University Field Coordinators Forum Virtual Meeting (Wednesday) - \$50

Total: Please enter the total you are paying from all options above: _____

Please mail completed form with check payable to "California Council on Teacher Education" to:

Alan H. Jones, CCTE Executive Secretary, 3145 Geary Boulevard PMB 275, San Francisco, CA 94118

Or for on-line registration and payment via credit card, go to the "Spring 2021 SPAN Conference" page of the CCTE website:

www.ccte.org

For our records those using the on-line portal are also asked to complete and email this registration form to:

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