

**2015 Nebraska
Adult Education Conference**
Kearney Holiday Inn

Wednesday, October 21

6:00 pm – 7:30 pm **Conference Pre-Registration.....** *Registration Area*

Thursday, October 22

7:00 am – 4:00 pm **Conference Registration** *Registration Area*

8:00 am – 9:30 am **Opening Session and Breakfast** *Ballroom I*

Welcome

Master of Ceremony: Mark Wentz, NE Dept. of Correctional Services

Mistress of Ceremony: Anne Cannon, Central Community College

Student Success Stories

David Choul, ESL Student/GED® Graduate/College Student

Ryan Hinz, Adult Education Instructor

Crista Hudson, College Student

8:00 am – 5:00 pm ***Vendor Exhibits Open***

9:45 am – 10:45 am **Concurrent Session I** *See page 3*

11:00 am – 12:00 noon **Concurrent Session II.....** *See page 3*

12:15 pm – 1:15 pm **Lunch** *Ballroom I*

Update of Nebraska Adult Education

Vicki Bauer, Adult Education Director, Nebraska Department of Education

1:30 pm – 2:30 pm **Concurrent Session III.....** *See page 3*

2:45 pm – 3:45 pm **Concurrent Sessions IV.....** *See page 3*

3:45 pm – 4:00 pm ***Afternoon Break And Vendor Visit***

4:00 pm – 5:00 pm **Concurrent Sessions V.....** *See page 3*

Evening And Meal On Your Own

Friday, October 23

7:00 am – 7:30 am	Conference Registration <i>Registration Area</i>
7:30 am – 8:30 am	Breakfast..... <i>Ballroom I</i> So What Is This About Rigor? <i>Debi Faucette, GED® Testing Service</i> Students, educators and administrators are almost two years into the implementation of the new GED® test. Ms. Faucette will point out the changes to the test, its outcomes, and related finding of success for our adult learners and alignment of test taker outcomes to their aspirations.
8:30 am – 11:00 am	FOCUS SESSIONS Developing Oral Proficiencies <i>Room C</i> <i>Marie Cora, Literacy Information and Communication System</i> Emerging Technologies in Adult Education and Integrating Technology in Adult Education <i>Room F</i> <i>Tim Ponder, Literacy Information and Communication System</i> Reading: Instructional Information for Adult Education <i>Room E</i> <i>Neil Sturomski, Sturomski and Associates</i> Teaching Mathematical Reasoning for the 2014 GED® <i>Room D</i> <i>Anthony Chan, Alpha Educational Products and Services</i>
11:00 am – 11:30 am	Break – Check Out Of Rooms – Visit Exhibits
11:30 am – 12:30 pm	Lunch..... <i>Ballroom I</i> Roundtable Discussions: Our Role in WIOA – Prize Drawings
12:30 pm – 3:00 pm	FOCUS SESSIONS Assessment for Adult Education..... <i>Room C</i> <i>Marie Cora, Literacy Information and Communication System</i> Emerging Technologies in Adult Education and Integrating Technology in Adult Education <i>Room F</i> <i>Tim Ponder, Literacy Information and Communication System</i> Reading: Instructional Information for Adult Education <i>Room E</i> <i>Neil Sturomski, Sturomski and Associates</i> Teaching Mathematical Reasoning for the 2014 GED® <i>Room D</i> <i>Anthony Chan, Alpha Educational Products and Services</i>

Future conference dates: October 20-21, 2016 & October 19-20, 2017

2015 Nebraska AE Conference • WIOA: Pathway to Opportunities

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9:45 – 10:45	11:00 – 12:00	1:30 – 2:30	2:45 – 3:45	4:00 - 5:00
<p>NEworks, It Does The Work For You</p> <p><i>Retha Dunn Sayaka Sato Mumm</i></p>	<p>NEworks, It Does The Work For You</p> <p><i>Retha Dunn Sayaka Sato Mumm</i></p>	<p>Volunteering In Adult Education – 2015 And Beyond</p> <p><i>Lynn Saffer</i></p>	<p>Career Connections</p> <p><i>Retha Dunn</i></p>	<p>Volunteering In Adult Education – 2015 And Beyond</p> <p><i>Lynn Saffer</i></p>
<p>This Is How We Do It: Success With Step Forward And Other Great Resources</p> <p><i>Kim Parsons Vicki Pribil</i></p>	<p>How ABE + C = Improving An Immigrant's Life</p> <p><i>Charles Pratt</i></p>	<p>Reboot Your Digital Strategy</p> <p><i>Tim Ponder</i></p>	<p>This Is How We Do It: Success With Step Forward And Other Great Resources</p> <p><i>Kim Parsons Vicki Pribil</i></p>	<p>What's New In i-Pathways</p> <p><i>Brandon John</i></p>
<p>When Knowledge Is Our Goal, Metacognition Must Be Our Practice</p> <p><i>Venedith Vargas</i></p>	<p>WIOA, EL Civics, And ESL . . . Oh My!</p> <p><i>Janette Heard Martine Quartey</i></p>	<p>Most Missed Math Items On 2014 GED®</p> <p><i>Anthony Chan</i></p>		<p>BurlingtonEnglish Career Pathways – Your WIOA Solution!</p> <p><i>Robert Breitbard Margo Hernandez</i></p>
<p>Go Long! Distance Education</p> <p><i>Julie Katt</i></p>	<p>AIMS: What's New</p> <p><i>Kathy Boshart</i></p>	<p>AIMS: What's New</p> <p><i>Kathy Boshart</i></p>	<p>Orientation To Success For ESL</p> <p><i>Carol Leonhardt</i></p>	<p>When Knowledge Is Our Goal, Metacognition Must Be Our Practice</p> <p><i>Venedith Vargas</i></p>
<p>You Want Me to Do What? – Strategies For Close Reading And Argumentative Writing</p> <p><i>Debi Faucette</i></p>	<p>It's All About Scoring</p> <p><i>Thomas Ross</i></p>	<p>Enduring Issues Connecting Our Past And Present</p> <p><i>Debi Faucette</i></p>	<p>Nebraska GED® – Program Status And Updates</p> <p><i>Thomas Ross</i></p>	<p>GED® Science: 5 Es For Effective Instruction</p> <p><i>Debi Faucette</i></p>
<p>WIOA WOW! Implementing Our New Career And College Readiness Plan</p> <p><i>Tate Lauer</i></p>	<p>WIOA WOW! Implementing Our New Career And College Readiness Plan</p> <p><i>Tate Lauer</i></p>	<p>How ABE + C = Improving An Immigrant's Life</p> <p><i>Charles Pratt</i></p>	<p>The O In WIOA Means Opportunity</p> <p><i>Vicki Bauer</i></p>	<p>Neil's Follow-Up For Mentors</p> <p><i>Neil Sturomski (Participants in Neil Sturomski's Mentor Training last year)</i></p>
<p>College Admissions: Let College Be Your Next Step (MPCC/WNCC)</p> <p><i>Kelly Rippen Mary Kay Versen</i></p>	<p>College Admissions: Let College Be Your Next Step (SCC-B/CCC)</p> <p><i>Lori Balke Kristin Hoelsing</i></p>	<p>College Admissions: Let College Be Your Next Step (NECC/MCC)</p> <p><i>Shelley Lammers Christopher Swanson</i></p>	<p>Top Ten Tips for Creating Amazing Adult Financial Literacy Programs</p> <p><i>Joey Fehrman</i></p>	<p>Top Ten Tips for Creating Amazing Adult Financial Literacy Programs</p> <p><i>Joey Fehrman</i></p>
<p>The American Job Center (Grand Island)</p> <p><i>Randy Kissinger</i></p>	<p>The American Job Center (Lincoln)</p> <p><i>Cynthia Nigh</i></p>	<p>The American Job Center (Omaha)</p> <p><i>Regina Bell Tina McGaugh</i></p>	<p>Empowering Blind Individuals, Providing Opportunities, And Building Belief In The Blind</p> <p><i>Dr. Pearl VanZandt</i></p>	<p>Free College Planning Services</p> <p><i>Andrew Hunzeker</i></p>
<p>Discovering Math In Nebraska Businesses</p> <p><i>Deb Romanek</i></p>	<p>Seven Things You Always Wanted To Know About Nebraska VR</p> <p><i>Janet Drudik</i></p>	<p>WIOA, EL Civics, And ESL . . . Oh My!</p> <p><i>Janette Heard Martine Quartey</i></p>	<p>Seven Things You Always Wanted To Know About Nebraska VR</p> <p><i>Janet Drudik</i></p>	<p>Discovering Math In Nebraska Businesses</p> <p><i>Deb Romanek</i></p>