

2020 NDE Transition Conference

February 18-19, 2020 | Kearney, NE

AT A GLANCE AGENDA

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 18

- 7:30 Check In: Registration and Pre-Function Area
- 8:30 Welcome: Amy Rhone, Assistant Director of Special Education, NDE, Crystal 3-4
- 8:45 Keynote: Anthony Ianni, *Relentless: Dreams, Goals and Aspirations*, Crystal 3-4
- 10:00 Break: Crystal 2
- 10:15 Concurrent Sessions A

Diamond 1	Diamond 2	Diamond 3	Diamond 6	Diamond 7
<i>The Mysterious Functional Vocational Evaluation (This session is repeated in Concurrent Sessions B)</i>	<i>Using Assessment to Guide Transition Planning - Part 1</i>	<i>Improving Post School Outcomes with CTE Collaboration & Resources</i>	<i>The Young Adult Transition Plan of the IEP</i>	<i>Integrating Assistive Technology Meaningfully Into a Student's Transition Plan (This session repeated on Wednesday)</i>
Leena Landmark and Vickie Mitchell, The Eleanor and Charles Garrett Center for Transition and Disability Studies at Sam Houston State University	Pam Brezenski, ESU 13; Amy Slama, ESU7	Donna Hoffman & Therese Marzouk, NDE	Sandra Peterson, PTI-NE	Brian Wojcik, NE ATP

- 11:45 Lunch: Crystal 3-4
- 12:15 Luncheon Panel: *Successful Worksites: What Employers are Doing*, Crystal 3-4
- 1:00 Concurrent Sessions B

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<i>The Mysterious Functional Vocational Evaluation (This session is repeated from Concurrent Sessions A)</i>	<i>Using Assessment to Guide Transition Planning - Part 2</i>	<i>Why are Fun and Games on the IEP?</i>	<i>Supported Decision Making – An Alternative to Guardianship</i>	<i>Learn how a school district can implement a job site in your community and the pieces you need to be successful</i>
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- 2:00 Break: Crystal 2
- 2:15 Concurrent Sessions: C

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<i>Round Table Discussion Ready Tool; Along the Way, COPS Assessment, Common Grounds; Rural Business Partners</i>	<i>Changing Demographics and the Complexity of Cultural Perspectives</i>	<i>Strengthening the Process and Engaging the Team</i>	<i>Understanding the Process for Adult Services Applications</i>	<i>Building Your Team's Capacity: What is Out There</i>
Teresa Coonts, NDE; Lloya Fritz and Mary O'Hare, Fritz and O'Hare Assoc.; Rick Love, ESU 10; Megan Lantis, ESU 16 & Codi Lorensen, Hershey PS; Lou Cox- Fornander, ESU 16 & Lori Vinton, Mullen PS;	Oscar Pohirieth and Tonya Jolley, Lincoln Public Schools	Rebecca Stichler, La Vista MS; Stacy Johnson, Ashland-Greenwood HS; Jamie Love, ESU 11	Nina Baker, PTI-NE	Michele Rayburn, Casey Head, Nichole Wetjen & Michalla Schartz, ESU 6

- 3:15 Dismiss
- 3:30 Parent Networking Reception: Crystal 2 and NE CBI Networking Reception: Crystal 3-4
- 4:30 Adjourn

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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19

- 7:30 Check In: Registration and Pre-Function Area
- 8:30 Welcome: Steve Milliken, Director of Special Education, NDE, Crystal 3-4
- 8:45 Keynote: Lori Y. Peterson, University of Northern Colorado, *Using the TGAP for Greater Success*, Crystal 3-4
- 10:00 Break: Crystal 2
- 10:15 Concurrent Sessions D

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<i>From Assessment to IEP and Course of Study</i>	<i>Integrating Assistive Technology Meaningfully Into a Student's Transition Plan (This session repeated from Tuesday)</i>	<i>Educator Resilience</i>	<i>It's Not What You Say – It's How You Say It</i>	<i>Pre-Employment Transition Services – The Recipe Book for Preparing Students for the World of Work</i>
Lori Peterson, University of Northern Colorado	Brian Wojcik, NE ATP	Megan Harding, ESU 3	Jenn Miller, PTI-NE	Lupe Stevens, Tonisha Jorgensen, Ken Cuevas & Sarah Chapin, Nebraska VR

- 11:45 Lunch: Crystal 3-4
- 12:15 Luncheon Session: Madison Junker and Students, ESU 13, *“Stand Up and Speak Out”*, Crystal 3-4
- 1:00 Concurrent Sessions E

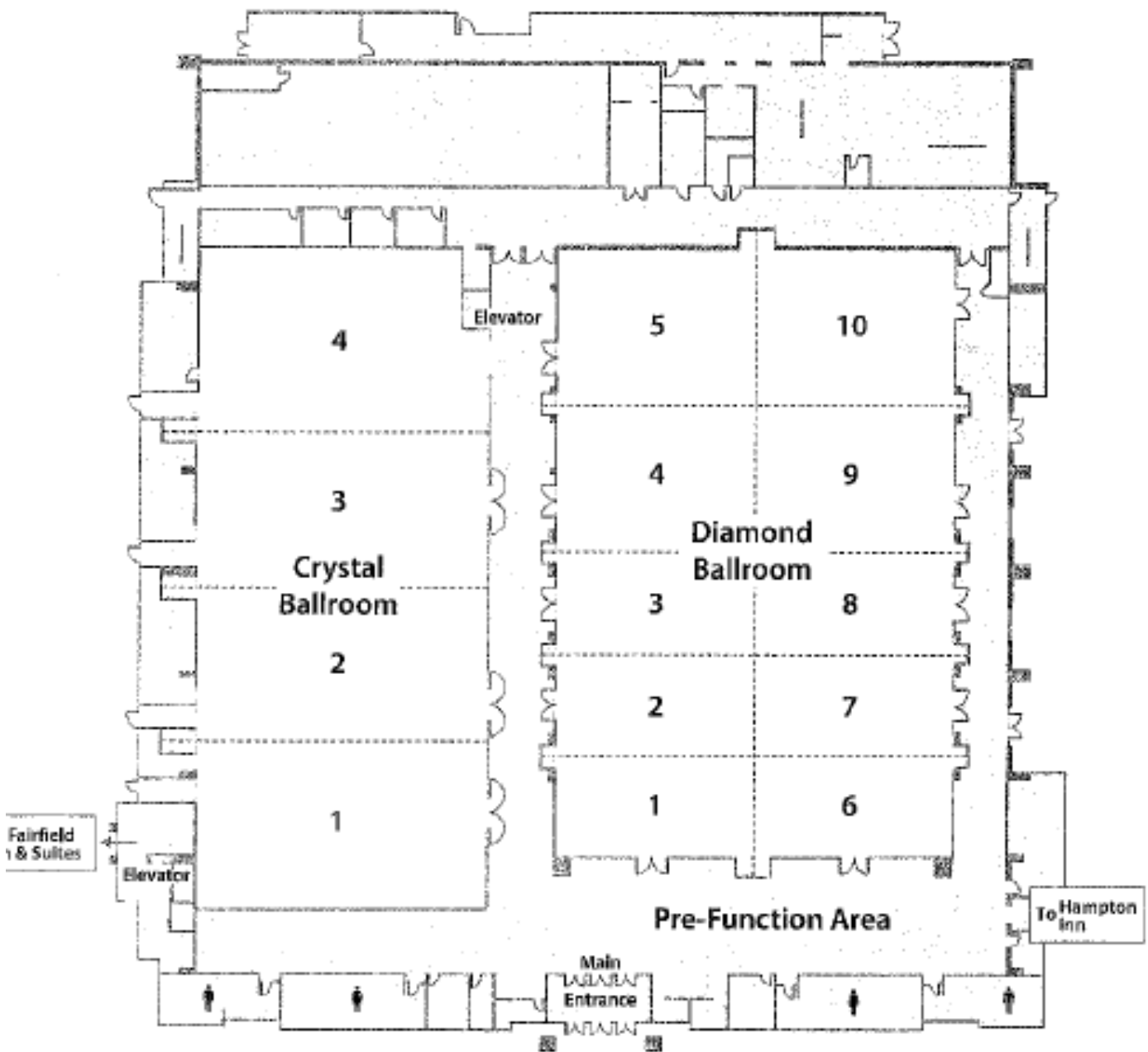
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<i>Increasing Post-Secondary Success: Programs to Support Students in Reaching their Goals</i>	<i>E Sports – The Newest Legit School Activity</i>	<i>The Power of Transition Ready IEP Goals: Meaningful, Measurable, Manageable</i>	<i>Let's Talk About Employment</i>	<i>Our Journey with Professional Learning: We Dreamt It, Planned It, and Did It!</i>
Jessica Broderick and Diane Reinhardt, ESU 13	Adam Ebbeka, Darwin, Jasmyn, Jayden, & James, David City Public Schools	Michalla Schartz, ESU 6	Holly Schwietz, PTI-NE	Allison Kelberlau, ESU 3; Jenny Brockman, Westside Community Schools; Nicki Pechous, Papillion LaVista Community Schools; Hayley Mentzer, Millard Public Schools

- 2:00 Break: Crystal 2
- 2:15 Concurrent Sessions F

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NE Capacity Building Institute	<i>Social Security Considerations for Transition Age Youth</i>	Summary Discussion/ Q & A	<i>IEP and Social/Emotional support through transition of Deaf students</i>
This is a closed session specifically for NE CBI participants	Shauna Dahlgren, Easterseals of Nebraska	Sandra Peterson, Holly Schwietz, & Jenn Miller, PTI-NE and Mary Phillips, ESU 6	Jessica Larrison and Carly Weyers, Nebraska Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing

3:15 Adjourn

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Save The Date!

The NDE 2021 Transition Conference Will Be Held On February 23-24
At the Younes Conference Center in Kearney, Nebraska

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