

WA-ACTE e-News Blast

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From the [Washington Association for Career and Technical Education](#)

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This newsletter is brought to you by [WA-ACTE](#) and is meant to give you the latest and greatest news and information from around the organization and the CTE field.

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[Washington ACTE Community](#)

Washington ACTE Welcomes New Members
November-December 2012

MacKenzi Clark
Kale Haberman
Ryan Klassen
Carolyn Sturges



2013
CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION
WORKS!

February 2013 is CTE Month!
Join with CTE professionals across the country to show, tell, and celebrate that
Career and Technical Education WORKS!

[Click Here for CTE Month Flyer](#)

[Click Here for More Information and Tips on How to Celebrate CTE Month](#)

[UPCOMING CONFERENCES](#)

[WA-ACCTE / WAVA Legislative CTE Showcase](#)

February 27, 2013
5 PM - 7 PM
New Market Skills Center
Tumwater

Registration Deadline: February 22, 2013

[Plan on an afternoon on the Hill](#) following the close of [WAVA's Spring Conference](#) - **be sure to make appointments with your legislators in advance to meet with them.** Afterward enjoy an evening at a special Legislative CTE Showcase held to honor policymakers from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. at [New Market Skills Center](#) that will share student CTE activities. There will be interactive displays with students demonstrating skills, the food will be catered by the [culinary arts students at NMSC](#), and the [Career and Technical Student Organizations](#) will be the hosts introducing legislators as they arrive that evening.

YOUR PARTICIPATION WILL MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

\$20 Adult / \$10 Student

[Click Here for Registration Form](#)

[WA-ACCTE / WAVA Legislative CTE Showcase Student Display Signup](#)

Please fill out the Survey Monkey form to have a student display for legislators during the WA-ACCTE / WAVA Legislative CTE Showcase on Wednesday, February 27 at New Market Skills Center. Please complete multiple submissions if you would like to have more than one display. Displays are limited and will be assigned on a first-come / first-served basis. Displays must be setup between 3 and 4 p.m. The reception is from 5 to 7 p.m.

[Click Here to Subscribe to the WOVE Legislative Update](#)

One of Washington ACTE's most critical roles is representing the CTE field through advocacy activities including direct lobbying. This work promotes the value of CTE and the policies that are needed to support CTE practitioners, advance the field, and improve student learning, but it has little value if it lacks a strong and consistent grassroots voice. We encourage you to become an active and engaged advocate for CTE! One of Washington ACTE's most effective advocacy tools is you! Becoming an advocate is one of the most important actions you can take to secure the future of CTE. With your help, we can ensure the strength and future of CTE!

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[WAVA Spring Conference](#)

February 24-25 Intern Meeting  
February 25 Board Meeting

February 26-27 Conference at Great Wolf Lodge - Click here for [registration](#) details and [agenda](#)

Hotel Contact: 360-273-7718  
Group Code 1302WAVA

Cutoff date January 25th for conference rates for WAVA reserved rooms

CTE Internship Application - [Click here for details](#)  
Deadline February 8

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[WITEA Spring Conference](#)

[Wenatchee Convention Center](#) - March 14-16, 2013

[Click Here to Go to the WITEA Website](#)

Registration Open Until March 8, 2013!

\$230 thru 2/28/13
\$280 after 2/28/13

You must be a WITEA member to qualify for these rates. WITEA dues are \$25.

Registration includes clock hours, hors d' oeuvres Thursday evening; breakfast, lunch, and dinner Friday; and breakfast Saturday.

[Paper Registration by Check or Purchase Order](#)

[Online Registration by Credit Card](#)

Please note: Online registrations incur a service fee of \$3.95 plus 4.95% of the credit card charge...100% paid by the registrant.

[Exhibitors Click Here](#)

[The Coast Wenatchee Center Hotel](#)

\$77 (Per-Diem Rate)

thru 2/28/13

1-800-663-1144

Group Code WITEA

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*Mark your calendars for the upcoming [WA-ACTE Summer Conference in Yakima:](#)*

*August 11-14, 2013*

*August 3-6, 2014*

*August 9-12, 2015*

[Washington ACTE Awards](#)

[Washington ACTE 2012 Award Recipients](#)

The Washington Association for Career and Technical Education Awards Program seeks to promote excellence in Career and Technical Education by recognizing individuals who have made extraordinary contributions to the field, programs that exemplify the highest standards, and organizations that have conducted activities to promote and expand Career and Technical Education programs.

**Deadline to submit awards is May 1, 2013.**

There are 10 categories of WA-ACTE awards for 2013:

- Career and Technical Teacher of the Year
- Outstanding Career and Technical Educator
- Outstanding New Career and Technical Teacher
- Outstanding Teacher in Community Service
- Career Guidance Award
- Innovative CTE Program Award
- Lifetime Achievement Award
- Outstanding Service Award
- Award of Merit
- Support Staff Award

2013 WA-ACTE Awards Program - [Word](#) - [pdf](#)

All awards are administered by the Association's Awards Committee. The committee, chaired by an individual selected by the current WA-ACTE president, is responsible for recommending awards programs to the Association's Executive Board, setting criteria for awards, reviewing applications, and recommending award recipients to the Board. All awards will be presented at the Association's annual Summer Conference.

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**Other Awards**

2013 WA-ACTE Quality Section Standards Award - [Word](#) - [pdf](#)

2013 WA-ACTE 100% Membership Award - [Word](#) - [pdf](#)

2013 WA-ACTE Memorial Teacher Education Scholarship - [Word](#) - [pdf](#)

## JOB OPENINGS

**District:** Puyallup School District  
**Position Title:** Director of Career & Technical Education  
**Position Closes:** January 31, 2013  
**Salary:** From \$101,059  
**Job begins** 7/1/13

Complete job description and application on district website at: [www.puyallup.k12.wa.us](http://www.puyallup.k12.wa.us)

For questions contact: Sue Dannenberg, [dannensr@puyallup.k12.wa.us](mailto:dannensr@puyallup.k12.wa.us) or 253-435-6590

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Community and Technical Colleges](#)

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