

## REPORT TO THE WA-ACTE EXECUTIVE BOARD

# President Elect

**Submitted By: Ross Short, President-Elect**

**Date Submitted:**

**1. General Thoughts:**

- The ACTE Vision conference was a success in San Antonio. It was a great conference with a large variety of sessions. So much so that it was overwhelming at times. We took away a number of great ideas not only for our CTE programs but also for our state association. This included some ideas around scheduling, awards presentations, and setup. Beyond the conference we continue to work to plan activities for this year and develop the succession plan for our Association.

**2. Strategic Plan Activities:**

- Working with FAME committee on increasing membership. I am working to draft a message to send to those members whose membership has expired to encourage them to renew.
- Legislative huddle meetings
- Work with the Executive Committee on the transition plans

**3. Matters of Interest:**

- How can we build upon our efforts to have a common voice for CTE across the state and work with all of our subsections to support our students, teachers, and administrators.
- A reminder to all Sections to please nominate/ support your award winners in submitting their applications for the WA-ACTE awards through the ACTE Awards portal.

**4. Executive Committee Activities:**

- I have been learning the ropes and continue to support the work of Jodi, Kevin, Tim, Franciene, and Tess. We continue our weekly meetings and developing the succession plan for the future.