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VATFACS Board of Directors

A MESSAGE FROM OUR PRESIDENT



Julia Henderson

Family & Consumer Sciences Teacher Gar-Field Senior High School Woodbridge, VA

President, Virginia Association for Teachers of Family & Consumer Sciences

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FCS Family,

As the planning process for the 2020 Virginia Association for Teachers of Family and Consumer Science (VATFACS) conference is underway, I am humbled to be serving as the organization's president. It has been a privilege to work with our board of directors and FCS educators across the state as we bring our conference to Northern Virginia for the first time!

The board of directors invite you to join us at this year's summer institute from July 27 to July 30, 2020 at Hilton McLean Tysons Corner. The institute theme, "Reflecting Diversity in FCS," will focus on addressing diversity, equity, and inclusion in Family and Consumer Sciences. I encourage you to share your expertise as a session presenter or assist as a session facilitator during breakout sessions.

VATFACS is committed to bringing Family & Consumer Science into the spotlight of education and have others join us as we #SayYestoFCS together! Let's join together as we strive for equity and excellence for all students!

Sincerely,

Julia Henderson

WE NEED YOU!

Accepting nominations for 2020-2021 VATFACS Board of Directors positions.

Nominations are due no later than March 31, 2020. https://www.vatfacs.net/get-involved

2019-2020 VATFACS Board of Directors



Family & Consumer Sciences is the field of study focused on the science and art of living and working well in our complex world.



Join the VATFACS Board of Directors

The Virginia Association for Teachers of Family and Consumer Sciences (VATFACS) has three positions on the Board of Directors opening!
The positions include President-Elect, Vice President, and Secretary.
Applicants must be a member of ACTE/VAACTE/NATFACS/VATFACS.
Interested applicants should complete the following applications no later than March 31, 2020.

- · Nomination Form for President-Elect
- · Nomination Form for Vice President
 - · Nomination Form for Secretary

2019 VATFACS Professional Development Institute in Review







The 2019 VATFACS Professional Development Institute (PDI) was held July -July 28 - August 1, 2019 at the Wyndham Virginia Beach Oceanfront in Virginia Beach, Virginia. Attendees participated in breakout sessions, keynote addresses, FACS Infusion Sessions, and a Kitchen Krawl at the Culinary Institute of Virginia.

VATFACS PDI provides an opportunity for FCS professionals to obtain a Virginia Department of Education update, network with colleagues from across the state, and obtaining required CTE industry credentials prior to the start of the school year.

The VATFACS Board of Directors wishes to thank our 2019 PDI Sponsors - Johnson & Wales University and Shenandoah University for their support!









2019 VATFACS Award Winners

VATFACS New Teacher of the Year

Charmayne Bodkin
Willard Intermediate School
Loudoun County Public Schools

VATFACS Outstanding Administrator

Christopher O'Rourke
Principal, Briar Woods High School
Loudoun County Public Schools
Not pictured



VATFACS Teacher of the Year and 2020 Virginia ACTE Outstanding Career & Techincal Education Teacher

Terri Ann Evers
Spotsylvania Career & Tech Center
Spotsylvania County Public Schools



VATFACS Carl Perkins Community Service Award

Tammy H. Cassell
Rye Cove High School
Scott County Public Schools







VATFACS Distinguished Service Award

Lisa White-Murrill Facilitator of CTE, Learning & Organizational Development Stafford County Public Schools



VATFACS Outstanding Business & Industry

Westmoreland Children & Youth Association, Inc. Tyrone Hines & Pat Hines Portsmouth, Virginia



Sharron K. Glasscock Scholarship

Julia Henderson Prince William County Public Schools

Martha Creighton Scholarship

Calan Sparks Junior at Bridgewater College Not Pictured

Helen Hopper Scholarship

Natalie Heflin Freshman at Virginia Tech Not Pictured

2019 Virginia ACTE and ACTE Region II Award Winners

Congratulations to our VATFACS members on their achievements!

These members were recognized by Virginia ACTE,

ACTE Region II, and national ACTE

Julia Henderson

- 2019 Virginia ACTE New Career & Technical Education Teacher
- 2019 ACTE Region II New Career & Technical Education Teacher Finalist



2019 VACTE Awards Banquet

Barbara Comer

- 2019 Virginia ACTE Carl Perkins Community Services Award
- 2019 ACTE Region II Carl Perkins Community Service Award
- 2020 ACTE National Carl Perkins Community Service Award Finalist



2020 ACTE Excellence Awards Banquet



Kimberly Wilson

2019 Virginia ACTE Outstanding Career & Technical and Education Teacher

2019 ACTE Region II Outstanding Career & Technical and Education Teacher

2020 ACTE

Outstanding Career & Technical Education Teacher

Apply for VATFACS Awards & Scholarships

The Virginia Association of Teachers of Family and Consumer Sciences (VATFACS) offers the following scholarships for students interested in majoring in FCS Education and related fields:

Helen Hopper Scholarship https://forms.gle/VrSqd8UDKPmRXPvg9

Martha Creighton Scholarship https://forms.gle/WVWrzMTY3qb7skj19

The Sharron K. Glasscock scholarship is available for FCS teachers for advancement of professional growth.

Sharron K. Glasscock Scholarship https://forms.gle/cRTXhHpiypY11nUN8

The application deadline for the Helen Hopper, Martha Creighton, and Sharron K. Glasscock Scholarships is May 1, 2020. The Virginia Association of Teachers of Family and Consumer Sciences (VATFACS) offers the following awards to recognize our colleagues, administrators, and community partners. Please consider nominating individuals or groups for recognition.

Outstanding Family and Consumer Sciences Teacher of the Year

Outstanding New Family and Consumer Sciences Teacher of the Year

Outstanding Family and Consumer
Sciences Teacher in Community Service

Outstanding Business and Industry Award

Distinguished Service Award

Outstanding Administrators Award

The application deadline for VATFACS awards is April 15, 2020.





CTE Legislative Update

With the demand for technical skills growing, America needs more funding to expand and improve CTE programs to serve more learners. The following are funding priorities for Virginia's CTE programs during this legislative session:

• CTE Resource Center (industry-based instructional resources for Virginia educators) \$1.2 million

The Verso website is the only source for comprehensive information about credentials offered to Virginia students (aligns with the Profile of a Virginia Graduate's content knowledge, workplace skills, and career exploration requirements). Verso is in critical need of updating (new data base, website, cloud-based) to continue to be relevant

• Increase Allocations for Credentialing Assessments \$1.5 million

The Profile of a Virginia Graduate initiative increases the opportunity for all students to earn a credential beginning with the ninth-grade class of 2018-2019. Students entering the ninth-grade before 2018-2019 school year and seeking a Standard Diploma are required to obtain an industry credential. School divisions must allocate local funds for credentialing assessments.

Funding for Work-based Learning Coordinator(s) for local School Divisions \$8 million

Work-based learning (WBL) is a school-coordinated, coherent sequence of on-the-job experiences that are related to students' career goals or interests, are based on instructional preparation, and are performed in partnering with local businesses, industries, or other organizations in the community.

Additional bills of interest to CTE Educators and Administrators include:

- <u>HB 29</u> Del. Torian Budget Bill (pending as of 02/28/2020).
- HB 30 Del. Torian Budget Bill (pending as of 02/28/2020).
- <u>HB 112</u> Del. McNamara Standard diploma requirements, dual-enrollment, and work-based learning options. Incorporated into <u>HB 516</u> (approved by the Governor, effective 7/01/2020).
- <u>HB 194</u> Del. Orrock Community Colleges, State Board for; degree for completion agreements, plan, and framework (continued to 2021 session).
- <u>HB 195</u> Del. Orrock Higher Education for Virginia, course credit for dual enrollment, strategies (continued to 2021 session).
- <u>HB 229</u> Del. Freitas Public institutions of Higher Education, per-student enrollment-based funding; non-credit workforce (continued to 2021 session).
- <u>HB 836</u> Del. Foy Department of Education. Microcredentials and standards. Passed House and Senate 03/02/2020).
- SB 142 Sen. Dunnavant Virtual Virginia; availability to all public schools (in conference committee).
- <u>SB 146</u> Sen. Stuart Higher educational institutions, public, tuition and mandatory fee increase (striken in committee at request of patron, 02/06/2020).
- <u>SB 551</u> Sen. Ruff High school graduation requirements; standard diploma; workforce skills training. (strickent in committee at request of patron, 02/06/2020).

2020 Professional Development Institute Preview

Reflecting Diversity in FCS

SAVE THE DATE

VATFACS Professional Development Institute

July 27, 2020 - July 30, 2020



Hilton McLean Tysons Corner 7920 Jones Branch Drive McLean, VA 22102-3308

Registration opens March 15, 2020 at https://www.vatfacs.net/registration

2020 Professional Development Institute Preview

Reflecting Diversity in FCS: Meet Our Keynote Speakers

2020 Professional Development Institute



Rachael Mann

Connect with Rachael on Twitter at @RachaelEdu or visit her website, www.rachaelmann.com to learn more about her work.



Dr. Sanée Bell

Connect with Sanée on Twitter at @SaneeBell or visit her website, www.saneebell.com to learn more about her work. Rachael Mann is a Keynote Speaker, EduFuturist, and Author and holds an MA in Educational Leadership. She speaks and writes about communicating confidently in a world of disruptive technology and the importance of rethinking the learning and earning spaces of today. Her experience in this field includes her work as the Network to Transform Teaching State Director, the Professional Learning Director of STEM, and the Arizona State Director for Educators Rising. Hailing from a family of educators, Mann also has 14 years of classroom teaching experience as a Career and Technical Education instructor and is a Google Certified Educator. From professional growth to motivational talks and workshops, Rachael will help inspire and move audiences to think bigger.

Dr. Sanée Bell is a middle school principal in Texas. She has served as an administrator since 2005 at both the elementary and secondary levels. Sanée was recognized as the 2015 Katy ISD Elementary Principal of the Year. Prior to becoming an administrator, Sanée taught middle school and high school English and also coached girls basketball. She earned her doctorate degree in Educational Leadership with an emphasis in Curriculum and Instruction from the University of Houston Clear Lake.

Sanée is passionate about authentic, purposeful learning for students and teachers, and also has a strong passion for leadership and its impact on teacher engagement, student learning, and school culture. Sanée recognizes her impact as a leader and uses her role to inspire, motivate, and empower others. Sanée serves as a Future Ready Thought Partner on the Future Ready Schools project and has contributed to several publications and podcasts focused on leadership and its impact on students and teachers. Sanée is co-author and co-editor of the Education Write Now Series, and she is featured in the book Dare to Lead authored by Brené Brown. Sanée is the author of Be Excellent on Purpose: Intentional Strategies for Impactful Leadership.

VATFACS Boutique 2020

Coming Soon!

VATFACS Boutique Pre-Order for Summer PDI

Do you have an idea for the next greatest VATFACS Boutique item?

Share your idea <u>here</u>!















STAY VATFACS CONNECTED

LIST SERV



facsed@facsedlistserv.org

This listserv is maintained by VATFACS.

Once an email address is added to the listsery, a confirmation email is sent. It must be accepted before emails will be received from the listsery.

Most Virginia Family & Consumer Sciences and Virginia FCCLA-related messages come from this listserv.

Teachers are allowed to post on this listsery, however messages with attachments are screened before being forwarded to make sure we adhere to our annual data limits.

Contact Emily O'Connor at emilyjoconnorl@verizon.net if you would like to be added to the listserv.

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