

**AGENDA**

**Maine Virtual Career and Technical Education Conference**

Friday, October 9, 2020 \* 8:30 AM - 2:30 PM \*

Register Here: <https://www.accelevents.com/e/MaineCTE>

8:30 AM - 9:00 AM	<p><b>Welcome &amp; Opening Remarks</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Rob Callahan, <i>President, Maine Administrators of Career and Technical Education</i></li> <li>● Pender Makin, <i>Commissioner of Education, Maine Department of Education</i></li> <li>● David Daigler, <i>President, Maine Community College System</i></li> </ul>
9:00 AM - 10:00 AM	<p><b>General Session- Addressing Social Emotional Needs in the Time of COVID-19</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Sarah Hanson, <i>Moderator, Student Services Coordinator, Tri-County Technical Center</i></li> <li>● Kellie Bailey, <i>Social Emotional Learning/Restorative Practice Specialist, Maine Department of Education</i></li> <li>● Kris Croteau, <i>Student Services Coordinator, Mid-Maine Technical Center</i></li> <li>● Kristel Thyrring, <i>Youth Mental Health Programs Director, National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) Maine</i></li> </ul>

BREAKOUT SESSION ONE  10:10 AM - 10:50 AM	<b>MELMAC SPOTLIGHT</b>  College Visits and the Application Process: What's New!	ABC Maine	Bridge Academy Maine	CTE Boot Camp	CTEs, Credits, & College: Keeping Students at the Center	LGBTQ+ Youth	Limestone Job Corps	Maine Apprenticeships
		Manufacturing in Maine: Let us Lead	Northern Light Health Care	Penobscot Job Corps	Reed & Reed	Sargent Corporation	SkillsUSA	What Are You Going To Be When You Grow Up?

BREAKOUT SESSION TWO  11:00 AM - 11:40 AM	<b>MELMAC SPOTLIGHT</b>  Creative Ways to Offer Internships & Job Shadows in 2020/2021	<b>MELMAC SPOTLIGHT</b>  Completing the FAFSA in the Time of COVID-19	<b>Bridge Academy Maine</b>	<b>CTE Boot Camp</b>	<b>CTEs, Credits, &amp; College: Keeping Students at the Center</b>	<b>LGBTQ+ Youth</b>	<b>Limestone Job Corps</b>	<b>Maine Apprenticeships</b>
			<b>Manufacturing in Maine: Let us Lead</b>	<b>Northern Light Health Care</b>	<b>Reed &amp; Reed</b>	<b>Sargent Corporation</b>	<b>SkillsUSA</b>	<b>What Are You Going To Be When You Grow Up?</b>

11:40 AM	<b>Lunch Break</b>
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12:30 PM - 1:45 PM  <b>CTE TECH UPDATES &amp; ADDITIONAL BREAKOUT SESSIONS</b>	<b>MELMAC SPOTLIGHT</b>  <b>Building Resilience and Wellness for Students and Staff During COVID-19</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kini-Ana Tinkham, <i>Executive Director, Maine Resilience Building Network (MRBN)</i></li> </ul>	<b>MELMAC SPOTLIGHT</b>  <b>The Impact of COVID-19 on the Financial Aid and Appeal Process</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mila Tappan, <i>College Access and Outreach Manager, Finance Authority of Maine (FAME)</i></li> </ul>
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1:45 PM - 2:00 PM	<b>Closing Remarks</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Steve Dewitt, Deputy Director, Association for Career and Technical Education (ACTE)</li> </ul>
2:00 PM - 2:30 PM	<b>MELMAC Annual Report Updates</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wendy Ault, <i>Executive Director, MELMAC Education Foundation</i></li> <li>• Lucas Caron, <i>MELMAC Education Foundation</i></li> </ul>
2:30 PM	<b>Adjourn</b>