

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4TH
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5TH

Reach for the
Stars

**Christa
McAuliffe**
TRANSFORMING
TEACHING
TECHNOLOGY
Conference
2024

NEW
DATES &
LOCATION!

Sheraton Nashua
11 Tara Boulevard
Nashua, NH

Wednesday
Keynote



Jason Sgro
*Cybersecurity Expert, Strategist, Speaker,
& Evangelist*

Thursday
Keynote



Randy Wormald, Ed.D.
*Visionary, Innovator, Superintendent,
& Role Model*

2024 CALL FOR PRESENTERS

CO-SPONSORED BY THE
NH School Administrators Assoc **NHSAA**
NH Affiliate of ISTE **NHSTE**

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NH Assoc for Supervision & Curriculum Development **NHASCSD**
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NH CoSN Affiliate **NHCTO Council**

Who Attends CMTC?

The **Christa McAuliffe Transforming, Teaching, & Technology Conference (CMTC)** is the **ONLY** ed tech professional learning event that convenes New Hampshire educators from across the spectrum of roles and responsibilities to envision the future of our schools. This diversity presents a unique opportunity for multiple perspectives to participate in engaging dialog and enhanced problem-solving.

- * K-12 Educators
- * District Administrators
- * School Administrators
- * Curriculum Leaders
- * Directors of Technology
- * Special Educators
- * Digital Learning Specialists
- * Library Media Specialists

STUDENT VOICE in 2024

CMTC engages students in our IT HelpDesk and Video Recording teams. CMTC24 seeks to expand student engagement by incorporating student-led or co-lead presentations/panels on topics such as digital equity, cyberbullying, digital learning resources, generative AI for research and learning (pros and cons), or any other topic where student voice makes a difference.

Presentation Themes & Opportunities

Themes for 2024

Innovative Learning

- * Exploring effective “how to” classroom strategies
- * Investigating emerging digital learning resources
- * Sharing your experiences and expertise with multiple audiences

Visionary Leadership

- * Researching and addressing current challenges and opportunities
- * Creating the right team for impacting positive change
- * Advocating for learner centered innovation and personalization

Pioneering Learning Environments

- * Designing and supporting technology ecosystems in schools and classrooms
- * Addressing physical and digital security and privacy issues
- * Developing processes, procedures, and guidelines

Digital Dexterity

- * Empowering responsible and ethical technology use
- * Facilitating a culture of understanding, collaboration, and responsibility
- * Building a community of fairness, equity, and inclusion

Exploratory (concurrent) Sessions

Exploratory (concurrent) sessions are 50 minutes long and will be scheduled on Wednesday and Thursday during three time blocks, two before and one following the keynote luncheon. You are encouraged to submit a proposal for an interactive demonstration or panel discussion that promotes the conference themes.

Interactive Hands-on Workshops

Interactive Hands-on Workshops (60-, 75, or 90-minute), are offered on Wednesday and Thursday morning and afternoon. All of these workshops are offered in the Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) format ~ participants bring their own device per the workshop description. Workshop topics are generally platform neutral, web-based, and/or device specific.

Networking Central Showcases

The four Networking Central Showcases happen for 30 minutes on Wednesday and Thursday, right before and after lunch. Located in the Ashwood Court, there will be at least 6 stations per showcase available to share your ideas ~ we are looking for teams of up to 6 to man these stations. These teams can include a mix of students and teachers. Topics might include: Google Tips, Tools, & Tricks; How to Make the Most of Your Phone Apps; Virtual/Augmented Reality; Generative AI for YOU!; STEM/STEAM ~ send us your Showcase idea. Each of the 6 station presenters pays only \$60 pp for 1-day full conference registration.

Please send your Networking Central Showcase ideas to cmtc@nhste.org by Friday, June 14th.

Happening in 2024

Tuesday ~ check the website for select PreConference workshops!

Wednesday ~ keynote, concurrent, interactive hands-on sessions, solution partner fun, & daily activities in Networking Central ~ plus engaging conversations and sharing

Thursday ~ keynote, concurrent, interactive hands-on sessions, solution partner fun, & daily activities in Networking Central for both Wednesday and Thursday, along with the closing session & raffle

Benefits, Responsibilities, & Deadlines

Benefits

- * Interactive Workshop (60-, 75-, or 90-minute) presenters and ONE co-presenter receive free onsite conference registration including lunch the day of their presentation(s).*
- * Exploratory (Concurrent) Session presenters and ONE co-presenter receive free onsite conference registration including lunch the day of their presentation(s).*

Responsibilities

- * Presenters are responsible for preparing and posting copies of participant handouts and/or resources using the Conference Extensions section of the CMTC website to preserve natural resources.
- * Presenters must provide their own computing device(s)/ peripheral(s)/ application(s) required for the presentation.
- * Presenters will be provided with access to the wireless network and projection capability in ALL presentation rooms. Additional AV equipment, for example, monitor/ DVD, document camera, or speakers, may be available if requested in advance.

Deadlines

Proposals must be submitted using the online Call for Presenters application by **Thursday, June 13th**.

Access the online submission application using the quick link on the home page of the conference website ~ www.nhcmtc.org.

Proposals may be submitted online beginning **Friday, May 24th**.

It's as easy as 1, 2, 3...

1. Go to www.nhcmtc.org and click on "PRESENT" in the main menu bar of the home page.
2. Login or create your presenter profile if needed and then select Submit Proposal.
3. Follow the directions for each step of the proposal process.

You will receive an email confirming receipt of your proposal within 24 hours, as well as a confirmation email in mid-July if your session is chosen for inclusion in the conference offerings.

** The conference is able to provide these registration benefits for a maximum of two (2) presenters for each session. Additional presenters must register & pay for the conference.*

Questions about submitting a proposal? Contact

Kymra Kurinkas at kymra@nhsaa.org or call at 603.225.3230

For more information visit www.nhcmtc.com