

# NEWSLETTER

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Helping to strengthen and provide support to Career and Technical Education in Delaware

## THE CHAIR'S CORNER

On behalf of the Council, thank you for all you do to support strong CTE programs in Delaware. Welcome back for another great year! We look forward to assisting your programs in every way we can as we visit schools this year.

Thank you,

Dr. Karen Hutchison

### From the THE DIRECTOR'S DESK

You might notice a new look to the DACCTE resource materials, website, and even school visits this year. The reason for the new look is that DACCTE has been very fortunate to bring onto staff a new CTE Specialist to assist in providing your programs even more quality service and advocacy. Please join me in welcoming Caitlin Rozell to the staff! Caitlin comes to DACCTE after teaching CTE in Delaware for 9 years. She brings a wealth of expertise and new ideas to all of us at DACCTE and we are fortunate to work with her. Caitlin will be a lead point of contact for middle school programs throughout the state for DACCTE. If there is any way we can assist you, please don't hesitate to reach out to us.

Thank you,

Mr. Chris Stahl

#### **Have Questions? Reach out to DACCTE**

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## FALL 2024 UPDATES

This fall promises to be an exciting time for Delaware Career and Technical Education programs. Recently, the State Perkins plan was reauthorized, many schools are actively working to further the Middle Grades Revision at their local levels, Innovation Grants that many schools received are put into action, and many more Innovation Grants are going to be due soon! Please continue to have discussions at your local level within your departments and your administration to see how these opportunities and programs can assist your students!

There will be DACCTE professional development highlights during several DOE sponsored events this fall. Please be sure to visit us at the State PD days for CTE and any other PD days for specific teacher groups hosted by DOE CTE. If your district would like for DACCTE to attend a PD and discuss CTE topics with teachers at your school, please let us know!

The Fall PD night is an opportunity to strengthen CTE knowledge and meet other CTE professionals. See you virtually on December 5, 2024.



## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

#### **Council Meetings**

October 10th, 2024 December 12th, 2024 April 10th, 2025 June 5th, 2025

#### **Professional Development Nights** PD will be

virtual! December 5th, 2024 (PDMS Course #43015; Section #87356)

> March 27th, 2025 (PDMS Course #43017; Section #87357)

See DACCTE website for specific meeting times and locations.

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