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OESCA Reframing Education Network Meeting Notes

March 1, 2024, 9:00 am - 10:00 am

Meeting Slides

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Description	Presenter	Notes
OESCA Updates	Craig Burford	The Reframing Education Network - Purpose: "Build Capacity, Sustainability, Coherence to ensure equitable access for all educators" Thank you to the ESCs for committing your time to attend the monthly RFE meetings. It has helped strengthen the ESC network.
OESCA Regional Coordinator Updates	Northeast Region: Ken Bernacki - ESC of Western Reserve Southwest Region: Teresa Clevidence, Bill Myles-Hamilton County ESC Southeast Region: Sarah Shreiner - East Central Ohio ESC Northwest Region: Karen Rose - Mercer County ESC	• OESCA Spring Conference: Let's Connect Information: May 6-8, 2024 - **Learn more** Let's Connect and the OESCA Spring Conference are now combined at Nationwide! ○ Registration - Cost: $250 per person for 2 days and $400 per person for all three days. ○ Hotel: Nationwide Hotel and Conference Center, 100 Green Meadows Drive South, Lewis Center, OH, 866-233-9393. Click to book a room using group **code 352409**: **Hotel Reservations - Nationwide Hotel and Conference Center (reseze.net)**. *Please note - The room block for Monday night only is full. There are available rooms on Sunday night and Tuesday night. We have an overflow block at the Hyatt Place in Worthington. That information is now linked on the OESCA website. ○ Keynote Speakers: Kara Vandas and Carrie Sanchez • Zearn Update on Demo Account Access • ESC Zearn Math Seminar Flyer
Guest Presentation	Brett Roer, aiEDU Ohio Regional Director brett@aiedu.org Candice Sears, Director of Instructional Services Montgomery County ESC	Register for aiEDU & OESCA 2024 AI Summits for Educators - free to all Ohio ESCs and K-12 districts! • May 2, Dayton, 8:00am-3:00pm • May 9, Sandusky, 8:00am-3:00pm • May 23, Independence, 8:00am-3:00pm • August 13, Cambridge, 8:00am-3:00pm *Register:* Please take a moment and register now for an AI Summit. Supporting AI Readiness by Empowering ESCs Across Ohio - The AI Education Project

| | Christine Danhoff
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● Goal: To empower students and the educators that serve them by making sure everyone has a baseline fluency and a minimum of AI literacy, and to provide training to ESCs to allow for turnkey innovation and the ability to share knowledge with districts.
● AI will serve as another divider in terms of equitable access to technology and what it means for post-secondary options.
● See slides for the four ESC leads and points of contact.
● OESCA & aiEDU AI Summits - registration is open, free to all Ohio ESCs and K-12 districts. Summits are being held regionally, but registration is not restricted by area. Each summit will have different keynotes and breakout sessions; attendance is not limited to one summit.
● Why AI Readiness?
  ○ New jobs - potentially 58 million
  ○ 37% of organizations have implemented AI, with 54% of business executives saying that AI solutions have increased productivity.
  ○ Contribution to global economy
  ○ 84% of businesses view AI as essential to competitiveness
● Transforming Ohio's Learning Landscape
  ○ Creation of robust network of AI educators within Ohio's ESCs
  ○ aiEDU provides training to build ESC champions for AI readiness
  ○ Long-term goal: 1-2 trained AI educators per ESC by the end of the grant period
● Empowering Educators: The Foundation of AI Readiness
  ○ Quarterly virtual pd opportunities for ESC staff - pd will scaffold for those who can't attend every session.
  ○ Monthly AI virtual newsletter will be distributed from ESCs across Ohio with free resources, articles on national trends, and news and resources on AI in Ohio.
● AI Toolkit
  ○ Guidance and resources for policymakers, teachers, and parents to advance AI readiness in Ohio Schools
  ○ Craig - As awareness is starting to increase around the release of the toolkit, districts are trying to figure out how they take the information in the toolkit and distill it down from policy to implementation, which is where ESCs can help provide support and fill a void. It fits closely with the administration priorities in education and workforce needs. It's a great opportunity to demonstrate the great things ESCs are doing to connect students to the jobs of the future.
  ○ Christine Danhoff - It's a great toolkit for districts to get started. It does a nice job of breaking information down for all stakeholders.
  ○ The toolkit is not static and will continue to be iterated. The ESC leads will be providing additional feedback and sharing thoughts they've been hearing from ESCs and districts. **Please reach out to your regional ESC lead and share your feedback on the toolkit.**
● Showcasing Excellence: ESC Leader Spotlights
  ○ How do we get the innovation already happening in Ohio to the forefront? Trying to find educators who are getting this right already.
  ○ If you are doing amazing things, aiEDU needs to know about it! They are working to find educators who are doing the work now. If you're using AI and |

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		it's improving outcomes and results, they want to know! ● Educating for Tomorrow: The Impact on Ohio's Future 　○ Having a 21st century workforce educated in AI is crucial to long-term success in industry partnerships and innovation. 　○ Utilizing connections with BACs and career coaches is key. ● State of the State with AI education 　○ AI has been in the background for years. 　○ AI has become more intuitive and mobile in recent years. The technology has been soft and in the background. 　○ AI has exploded with ChatGPT. We are now the creators and use it much more frequently. ● Prompt Framework: The Five "S" Model - see slides 　○ How do we build the correct prompt for AI? 　○ AI for Education has great resources. ● Start the discussions with students - When is it appropriate to use AI as a tool? See slides for AI Acceptable Use Scale. ● Top 5 Mistakes Teachers Make with AI 　○ Using GenAI like a search engine 　○ Stopping after one prompt 　○ Not checking for hallucinations and bias 　○ Thinking AI detectors work 　○ Not being open to experimentation with AI ● The biggest adjustment will be starting to shift and rethink what our assessments, lessons, and classroom work look like. The benefit is helping kids to think more critically and enabling them to collaborate more.
Featured Projects and Events		● Robin Szary, Butler County ESC - BCESC is hosting AI Roundtables geared all around AI in Education. They are virtual and recorded. Link to register. Our next session is March 20th. We are also hosting a Schoolwide AI Summer Symposium June 4th at Butler County ESC. Save the Date!!! ● Jeremy Hunter - Ohio Learning Community has an AI-Powered Education course free to anyone that wants to join. ● Christine Danhoff, North Point ESC - NPESC has a collection of recorded videos of past sessions. ● Brett Roer, aiEDU - PLEASE feel free to email me directly and share resources, events, teachers doing great work in your region, and we will make sure to amplify and elevate what you are doing! Feel free to share my email with anyone in your ESC or in one of your districts if applicable - we are here for you! ● Please add your ESC's information in the regional AI data collection tool!
Share Out, Next Steps		==**Please share with others in your agency or networks.**== Future Reframing Education meetings: first Friday of each month **April 5, 2024** Statewide Networks Meeting Dates 23-24 Regional Meeting Dates 23-24

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