

37th Annual Midwest ATE Conference

Friday, February 2, 2024

Location: Illinois State University
Bone Student Center, 100 North University St., Normal, IL 61761

CALL FOR PROPOSALS

Growing the Profession: Investigating Research and Innovative Practices

The Midwest ATE Planning Committee invites you to submit a proposal pertaining to one or more of the following topics:

- Collaborations and Partnerships (acting as one)
- Mentoring & Induction
- Teacher Leadership
- Accreditation
- Curriculum and Instructional Strategies and High Quality Practices and Programs
- School Culture- What it was, what it is now, what it should be
- Research and Innovation in Teaching and Teacher Education
- Social and Emotional Wellness as Student, Teacher, Teacher Educator, etc.
- Perspectives and Practices on How Children Best Learn

Types of Sessions/Presentations:

- **Paper Presentations** - Single paper presentations provide an opportunity for individuals to share their work and might include a summary of research conducted. Typically, presentations last 30-35 minutes with 5-10 minutes for discussion (40 min.).
- **Roundtable Discussions** - Multiple presenters provide a variety of perspectives on an issue related to the conference. Typically, each individual presentation lasts 10 minutes with 5-10 minutes for discussion (40 min.).
- **Poster Presentations** - Poster sessions combine the graphic display of materials with the opportunity for individualized, informal discussion of topics. This is a wonderful way for preservice teachers (undergraduate & graduate), faculty members, and others to informally share their work.

Proposals should be sent electronically (as a Word Attachment)

- **Cover Page:** Title of Proposal, Type of Session/Presentation, Name of Session Organizer, Institution/School, Address, Telephone, email address (Please provide the same information for all additional presenters involved)
- **Description of Discussion, Presentation, or Research to be addressed:** Include Purpose or Objectives, Relationship to the Conference Theme and Teacher Education interests or applications, and Planned Participant involvement (Format--double-spaced, one-inch margins, and four page limit, including references).
- **Abstract:** Fifty words or less for inclusion in the conference program

Send Proposal as a Word Attachment to:

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Note: All proposals are peer reviewed.

Deadlines:

Submission: January 5, 2024

Acceptance Notification: January 12, 2024

We look forward to hearing from you and seeing you at the 2024 Midwest ATE Spring Conference.