



Consortium of State Organizations for Texas Teacher Education

Fall 2025 Teacher Education Conference

October 12 - 14, 2025

Embassy Suites, Denton, TX

Call for Presentation Proposals: Standard Professional Track

The Standard Professional Track is for practicing professionals in teacher preparation to present a session with either a practical or research focus.

Proposal Deadline: August 22, 2025

CSOTTE CONNECTS

Our 2025 CSOTTE Conference theme focuses on connection.

CSOTTE connects us to one another, our students, and the work we do to prepare exceptional teachers.

We welcome all proposals that add value to our work!

Preference will be given to proposals that include components addressing this year's theme.

Strand 1: Program Support	Strand 2: Pedagogy & Curriculum	Strand 3: Policy & Leadership
Accountability Initial Certification Advanced Certification Alternative Certification Certification Preparation College & Career Readiness District Partnerships Field Experiences Induction Mentorship Recruitment	Action Research Initial Certification Advanced Certification Alternative Certification Assessment Evidence-Based Practices Certification Preparation Curriculum Ethics Field Experiences Partnerships Teacher Quality Technology	Advocacy Accountability Accreditation Initial Certification Advanced Certification Alternative Certification Evidence-Based Practices Career Pathways Ethics Leadership Partnerships Policy Issues Research

Presentation formats include Single-Topic, Multi-Topic, and Roundtable options.

Single-Topic: A single-topic presentation is given to an audience, typically about research or a practice that the presenter(s) has/have conducted or experienced. The goal of the single-topic presentation is to share new information with others in the field and to receive feedback on the work. The presentation is provided by an individual or a group in the 45-minute time allotment. A screen, projector, and HDMI cable will be provided. Presenters must bring their own laptop and any necessary cables and connectors.

Multi-Topic: The multi-topic presentation is designed for two presentations to be given within a 45-minute timeframe. Each presentation will be allotted 20 minutes to share new information with others in the field and to receive feedback on the work. The presentation may be provided by an individual or a group. A screen, projector,

and HDMI cable will be provided. Presenters must bring their own laptop and any necessary cables and connectors.

Roundtable: The roundtable presentation is an informal discussion on a specific topic. Participants in the roundtable presentation are invited to engage in the discussion. The roundtable session will include various table discussions within a 45-minute timeframe, allowing participants to move between different table presentations. Presenters may provide handouts, but PowerPoint-type presentations are *not* recommended.

Preparing the Proposal

Proposals will be submitted on the [Whova Submission Portal](#). Presenters are encouraged to gather the following materials before beginning the proposal submission on Whova. Once submitted, the proposal cannot be revised.

The lead presenter will submit the proposal and will need to include all presenters' information. Attendees can present multiple sessions, but can only be the lead presenter on one session.

Proposals must include:

1. For each presenter:
 - Name (as it should appear in the program)
 - Job Title
 - University/EPP/School/Organization Affiliation
 - Email
 - Phone Number (for lead presenter only)
2. Title of Session
3. Strand (Program Support, Pedagogy & Curriculum, or Policy & Leadership)
4. Target Audience (EPP Faculty, EPP Leadership, Certification Personnel, Testing Personnel, Field Placement Personnel, or EPP Partners)
5. Presentation Format Preference (Single-Topic, Multi-Topic, or Roundtable)
6. Abstract (1000-character limit)
7. Keywords (3-5)
8. Presentation Proposal (5000-character limit) void of identifying information for the blind review process. This is an addition to the abstract (do not repeat the abstract or keywords here).

Important Dates

Friday, August 22	Presentation Proposal Submission Deadline
Friday, September 5	Presenters Notified
Monday, September 22	Presenter Registration Deadline - All presenters must register for the conference by this date to ensure their names are included in the program.

Questions?

For questions about the **Standard Professional Track**, please contact Dr. Jannah Nerren at Jannah.nerren@sfsa.edu.