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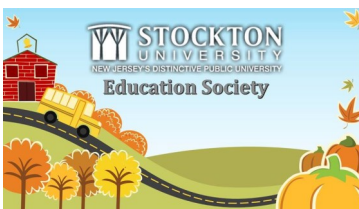
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**Join the Education Society in J228 on Tuesday October 4 at 4:30pm to elect new officers for the 2016-17 academic year.**



## Achievements and Accolades

Congratulations to many more members of the TEDU classes of 2015-16 who are working in schools this year:



**Amanda Bye** ('15) is teaching sculpture at Cedar Creek High School; **Janine Duarte** ('15) is teaching 3rd grade in West Orange; **Matthew Flores** ('15) is teaching Social Studies at Florence Township High School; **Alexa Glickman** ('16) is teaching Language Arts at Dunn Middle School in Trenton; **Anne Jancsar** ('16) is teaching Art at Kellman Brown Academy in Voorhees; **Jessica Keen** ('15) is teaching Special Education Chemistry and Biology at Hammonton High School; **Bailey Krasovec** ('16) is teaching English at Montgomery High School; **Brittany McIntyre** ('16) is a Pre-K Teaching Assistant at Quinton Township School; **Sarah Rainier** ('16) is teaching 1st grade at Millville Public Charter School; **Carissa Santora** ('15) is raising funds to help schools as part of the new **Boosterthon** Fun Run Program; **Marybeth Sawyer** ('15) is teaching 8th grade at Manchester Middle School;

**Victoria (Shinn) Conner** ('16) is teaching Kindergarten at Pembertown Township; and **Samantha Wood** ('16) is teaching 6th grade at Washington Elementary in Nutley. Congratulations to the Fall '15 and Spring '16 classes!

More congratulations also go out to our partners at Mainland Regional High School for appearing among the top 100 New Jersey High Schools in *New Jersey Monthly Magazine*, where Stockton alumnus **Mark Marrone** (TEDU '98) has been serving as superintendent.



Congratulations to all of our partner schools who've earned **Silver Certification** from **Sustainable New Jersey**: Cape May City Elementary School, H. Russell Swift Elementary School, Egg Harbor Township High School, and Reeds Road Elementary School.

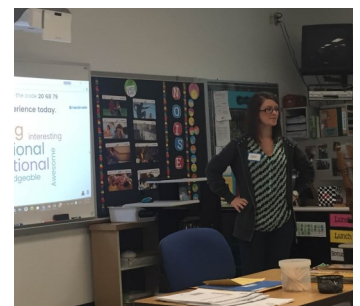
**Bronze Certified** Schools include Alder Avenue, Davenport, Joy Miller, Eagle Acade-

my, Fernwood and Slaybaugh Schools in EHT; Folsom Middle School; and West Cape May Elementary School.

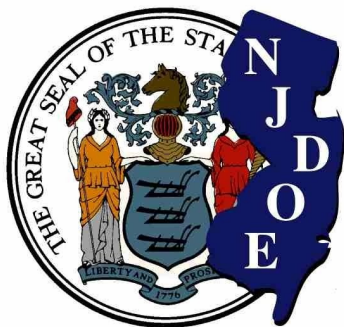


Grant Award winners also include Egg Harbor Township High School, Fernwood Elementary School, Brick Township Memorial High School, Northfield Community Middle School, Ocean City Intermediate School, Anthony Ross Intermediate School, Veteran's Memorial Intermediate School, and Zane North Elementary School. Congratulations to all!

Finally, congratulations to a current TEDU student, **Dana Evangelist**, engaged in her Student Teaching (clinical practice) at Glen Landing Middle School this fall, who presented a Go Soapbox tech session at **EdCamp GloTown**:



## NJDOE Update:



The Department maintains a web site to organize information by target audience. The section for [Educators](#) contains in-service and pre-service educator information.

The New Jersey Department of Education has announced many changes over the past month. Stockton's School of Education joins the Department in thanking Commissioner [Dave Hespe for his years of service, and welcomes Acting Commissioner Kim Harrington](#) in her new role.

The Department has also announced that the [Commissioner-approved performance assessment for pre-service teachers will be edTPA](#), developed by Stanford University, and administered by Pearson. Stockton's School of Educa-

tion has begun piloting the edTPA in a few pilot districts where student teachers are working this year.

edTPA requires student teachers to upload a confidential portfolio of one instructional unit that they plan, deliver, assess, and reflect on afterward. The portfolio requires an unedited video recording of teaching. More information about edTPA is available for [cooperating \(mentor\) teachers](#), and for [school administrators](#) at the Department's web page, set up for this change.

Beginning September 1, 2017,

all student teachers must take the edTPA to qualify for their Certificate of Eligibility (CE and CEAS) for licensure. Any score will satisfy the requirement for licensure during this first year.

The Board of Education adopted passing scores for the 2018-19 academic year, which coincides with the Department's new "year long" student teaching requirement. Stockton will continue offering Introductory and Intermediate pre-full time student teaching placements that align with this new regulatory change.

### Mark Your Calendars

"My favorite poem is the one that starts 'Thirty days hath September' because it actually tells you something.

~ Groucho Marx

10/1 <b>Deadline</b> to <a href="#">file for Fall 2016 Graduation</a> (no late fee)	11/8 Election Day; offices open, classes meet as usual	12/5 Graduate Symposium; no M 6pm classes meet
10/7 <b>Deadline</b> to withdraw from Sub-Term A with W	11/11 <b>Deadline</b> to withdraw from Sub-Term B with W	12/9 Classes end
10/10 Columbus Day; offices open, classes meet as usual	11/11 Veteran's Day; offices open, classes meet as usual	12/12-15 Final Exams Week
10/20 Sub-Term A ends	11/14 <b>Deadline</b> to withdraw from full term with W	12/16 <b>Deadline</b> : Senior Grades
10/24 Sub-Term B begins	11/23 Classes end at 3:25pm	12/18 Summer and Fall Commencement
10/25 Precepting: no classes	11/24-26 Thanksgiving; offices closed, no classes	12/22 <b>Deadline</b> : All Grades
11/2 Precepting: classes begin at 3:25pm		12/25 Holiday Break; closed until January 3, 2017

## Spotlight on Junior Achievement October 18



High School students at last year's Junior Achievement event collaborate on a creative team-building activity.

Junior Achievement programs are designed to inspire and prepare young people in grades K-12 to succeed in a global economy through real world relationships with business, government, and education partners that can help them develop the employability and financial literacy skills needed to succeed in the 21st century.

Stockton is proud to be an

education partner with Junior Achievement, and each year welcomes many of our partner districts to campus for these programs.

The next one is coming right up on October 18 from 9:00am until 1:30pm in our beautiful Campus Center.

Registration is free and lunch is provided. Districts must provide transportation to Stockton University to arrive no later than 9:15am.

**Stockton Students:** we are seeking volunteers to provide hands-on assistance to the Junior Achievement workshop facilitators. The curriculum is already created. As your schedules allow, volunteers will enjoy the opportunity to work directly with students from our partner high schools. The Dean of Education will also provide you with a reference letter to thank you for volunteering.

## SRI & ETTC

The Southern Regional Institute and ETTC is experiencing a record number of registrations for workshops on the Fall Calendar.

There are only a few seats remaining for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Media Specialist's Symposium [LIB 2.0](#) on November 2 so register soon!

[Phonics First](#), an accredited Orton Gillingham Program will be offered this fall. The 4-day Level One training is scheduled for Oct. 27-28 and Nov 29-30.

[Changing Thinking About](#)

[Children's Challenges](#), the annual event with Atlanticare's Healthy Families Healthy Children will be held on December 8. Registration is open!

Get ready to participate in the National Week of Code by attending a [Coding Workshop](#) this fall at the SRI & ETTC. And plan to make a visit to the SRI & ETTC's new [MakerSpace](#). Schedule a full day to design, build, program and play while exploring the elements that comprise a

makerspace. Participants learn how to foster innovation and creativity in all curricula, from STEM to the arts to humanities.

Looking for Election Resources for your classroom? Visit our [Vote](#) website and be sure that you **Save the Date** for our 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Social Studies Conference on February 23, 2017.

Go to [www.ettc.net](http://www.ettc.net) for the full calendar, workshop descriptions and registration information.



The SRI & ETTC facility located on 10 W. Jim Leeds Road in Galloway

## Resources & Opportunities for Current Students and Recent Alumni

[The Knowles Foundation](#) supports early career secondary science and math teachers, due Nov 27. To learn more [RSVP](#) by Oct 7 to attend an Information Session in Philadelphia on Oct 20 at 6pm.

**Southern Teachers Association** invites candidates to complete an [online ap-](#)

[plication](#) and submit a resume and cover letter to be considered for positions.

**New Jersey Science Teacher's Association (NJSTA) and the New Jersey Science Education Leadership Association (NJSELA)** offer scholarship opportunities for [preservice teachers](#).

**Hoboken Dual Language Charter School (¡HoLa!)** a K-8 Spanish-English charter school in Hoboken, NJ is [seeking teachers](#).

**Stockton's MAIT program** is [seeking input](#) from current students and recent alumni on courses that might meet your instructional technology needs.



## Resources & Opportunities for Teachers and Principals

**ParentCamp** gathers for free in DC on October 14. [Register online to attend](#).

**Sustainable New Jersey** will award ten \$10,000 project grants to districts and schools; and forty \$2,000 capacity building grants to green teams. [Apply online by October 28](#).

**The National Association of Secondary School Principals** invites students to make [one-to-two minute videos](#) shouting out why their principal is so awesome. Due October 28.

**Northeast Scholastic Writing at Large** seeks entries from talented high

school writers. [Visit their web site](#) for more details. Entries are due no later than December 15, 2016.

**Walmart Foundation** invites grant applications up to \$2,500 to educators who [apply online](#) for funds between now and December 31, 2016.



October is National Principal 's Month

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Our School of Education prepares new K-12 teachers for CAEP-TEAC-accredited initial certification and endorsements. We emphasize more and better field experiences than New Jersey requires, including an initial experience in Atlantic City, and optional year-long and co-teaching models.

We also offer a CAEP-TEAC-accredited [graduate program](#) for master teachers, supervisors, special education professionals, reading specialists, and principals; a doctoral program in organizational leadership; and a masters program for [instructional technologists](#). Many courses lead to additional state certifications and endorsements, and all can be customized to meet your needs, either at our Stockton locations in Galloway, Atlantic City, Hammonton, Manahawkin or Woodbine, online, or within your school district. Special group and on-site tuition pricing plans are available as well.

Our Southern Regional Institute & Educational Technology Training Center (SRI & ETTC) develops and delivers continuing professional development to K-12 teachers. Our Stockton Center for Economic and Financial Literacy enhances our commitment to excellence in community engagement.

## The Stockton School of Education CONNECTS.

### From the Dean's Desk

Dear Friends of our School,

Both the calendars on our walls and the weather outside finally agree: autumn has arrived.

As we all settle into the familiar routine of this academic year, we are again grateful to one another for all the successes that strong partnerships make possible across the continuum of our profession.

This month's issue celebrates all of the accomplishments and opportunities open to our profession. At the same time, we continue to face many challenges, all of which are far

less formidable when we face them together. Thank you to our faculty, our students, our alumni, our staff, and our partners in P-12 schools for working together to tackle the challenges that our profession continues to face. Whether it's adjusting to new regulations or preparing for changes in our regional economy, we do more and better when we work together. Special thanks go to our partner districts who are piloting the edTPA this year, and to those who are piloting the "yearlong" transition from Intermediate (or part time) student teaching to full time student teaching (now called clinical practice).

As always, we thank you also for supporting our School with your generous scholarship giving for graduate and undergraduate students alike.

No gift is too small, and you can give online any time: [www.stockton.edu/give](http://www.stockton.edu/give) making it *that* easy. Just pull down the Scholarships choice to Education!

As always, please drop us a line and let us share your good news: please email [keenan@stockton.edu](mailto:keenan@stockton.edu) with your feedback.

Best wishes,  
Dr. "ClauDean" Keenan

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