

Wayne– Finger Lakes Personalized Learning Conference

Mission Possible: Engaging and Empowering All Learners

May 16 & 17, 2018

This two-day conference features over 40 breakout sessions with presenters coming from 19 local districts. There will be a student panel discussion, optional school visitations, and keynotes by national speakers, AJ Juliani and Michael Horn.

To learn more about this event and to see a sneak peak of the breakout session topics, please visit: [Wayne-Finger Lakes Personalized Learning Conference– Mission Possible: Engaging and Empowering Learners](#)

Reminder: Specialized Professional Association (SPA Timeline)

The next cycle of SPA accreditation reports are due by March 15, 2020. Programs completing SPA reports must prove that teacher candidates meet SPA standards by submitting two administrations of data for 6-8 assessments. So, SPA assessments that are conducted only in the spring semesters must have data collected this term! If you have any questions, please contact Keith Nobles (knobles@brockport.edu).

New PEU/Certification Office Staff!

We welcome two new staff members to the PEU team. **Will Ruiz** will begin serving the College as Certification Officer on June 25. Will is a Brockport alumnus and comes to us by way of a storied teaching career at a local district.

Ryan Harbin started in January as the new Administrative Assistant to the PEU/Certification Office. Ryan is an alumnus of the College's MPA program and has served in administrative capacities in NYS agencies.

NYSED Proposed Regulations

Please consider reviewing these proposals and issuing comments during the public comment period.

1. Individual Evaluation for Certain Teaching Titles- <http://www.nysed.gov/news/2018/state-education-department-proposes-rule-allow-individual-evaluation-certain-teaching>
2. Health Education- <http://www.nysed.gov/news/2018/state-education-department-proposes-new-teaching-certificate-allow-certain-licensed-health>
3. Students With Disabilities Generalist Grade-Level Extensions- <https://www.regents.nysed.gov/common/regents/files/1217p12hed1.pdf>

PDS Consortium 2018 Conference– Call for Proposals

The Professional Development Schools (PDS) Conference is held annually the beginning of each fall semester. This year's conference will be held on Friday, September 28 at the Adam's Mark Hotel in Buffalo. Conferences bring together PDS partners - including school teachers and administrators, campus faculty and staff, and teacher candidates - for lively discussions on selected topics. In addition, teacher candidates share their current research through workshops and poster presentations.

Special preference will be given to concurrent and round table proposals that: are submitted jointly among the various constituencies of the PDS and focus on the 2017-2018 PDS theme of Engagement.

Submit proposals electronically by June 1 to delprapm@buffalostate.edu