THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2014

1:00 - 3:00 Executive Officers' Meeting
CH Boardroom

3:00 - 6:00 Convention RegistrationPrefunction 1

3:30 - 4:00 TFA Executive CouncilCanyon

3:30 - 4:00 TFA Committee Meetings
Sunset B, C &
Horizon A, B, C

4:00 - 5:30 TFA Regional Meetings

Region 1: Sunset B

Region 2: Sunset C

Region 3: Horizon A

Region 4: Horizon B

Region 5: Horizon C

5:30 - 7:00 Complementary dinner served to all TSCA Members

Prefunction 1

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2014

Continued

5:45-7:00 Standing & Ad Hoc Committee Meetings

7:15 TFA Business Meeting #1

Sunset A

7:15 TSCA Executive Officer Meeting

CH Boardroom

FRIDAY

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2014

7:30 - 8:45 Convention Registration

Prefunction 1

8:00 - 9:00 New Member Breakfast

Sunset C

New Members please remember to pick up your New Member Ribbon at Registration. Past Presidents will preside over this breakfast meeting.

8:15 - 9:20 Executive Council Meeting

Sunset A

BREAKFAST SERVED

All District, Interest, and Committee Chairs should attend this meeting.

9:30 - 10:15 FIRST GENERAL SESSION

Sunset B

Everyone Attend Please Officer Candidates Announced

10:30-11:30 REGISTRATION

Prefunction 1

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2014 PANEL A PROGRAMS 10:30 - 11:45 AM

A-1 I'm New...What Do I Do?

Sunset C

Sponsors: Oral Interpretation, Argumentation &

Debate, and TFA

Chair: Ashley Freeman, Dekaney HS Coordinator: Kaye Magill, Westfield HS

Presenters: Grant Hahn, Grapevine HS

Kim Falco, Franklin HS

Lillian Ogunbanjo, Alief Hastings HS

Brian Eanes, Churchill HS

Wendi Brandenburg, Centennial HS

Ann Shofner, retired

This panel is designed to pair young and relatively new coaches with regional "seasoned" mentor coaches in an effort to help the beginning coaches be more effective in the classroom and at the tournament. Panel will have an extended period that is open for new coach questions.

A-2 Advanced Intros, Transitions & Teasers

Horizon A

Sponsors: Oral Interpretation and TFA
Chair: Susan Stafford, Bushland HS

Coordinator: JP Fugler, Van HS

Presenters: JP Fugler, Van HS

Andrew Barrett, Spring Woods Sami Womack, Dimmitt HS

In oral interpretation, introductions and transitions are often underutilized opportunities to increase both audience interest and the cohesion of literature. Hear different perspectives of how your approach to literature can affect the success of a program. Learn effective tips and tricks by analyzing and deconstructing past interpretation programs.

FRIDAY

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2014 PANEL A PROGRAMS 10:30-11:45 AM

A-3 Debate Like a Girl: Fostering the Growth of Women in Speech Horizon B

Sponsors: TIFA and TFA

Chair: Kirsten Nash, Hendricks HS Coordinator: Matt Riechle, Reagan HS

Presenters: Sarah Spring, University of Houston

Farrah Bara or Brittany Shulman, UT Speech Sara Vartabedian, West Texas A&M University

This panel will explore the unique issues that face women in the speech/debate space. Panel members will discuss their perspectives as high school debaters, collegiate debaters, consultants, coaches, and judges. Recruiting and empowering women will be key focal points.

A-4 A Conversation with David Perlmutter, Dean, Texas Tech College of Media and Communication

Moody Ballroom

Sponsors: Rhetoric and Communication Theory

Chair: Dr. Trudy Hanson, West Texas A&M University

Presenters: Dr. David D. Perlmutter, Texas Tech University

David Perlmutter is Dean of the College of Media and Communication at Texas Tech University. He is the former Director of the School of Journalism and Mass Communication and a Professor at the University of Iowa. He received his BA ('85) and MA ('91) from the University of Pennsylvania and his Ph.D ('96) from the University of Minnesota. He served as a Board member of the American Association of Political Consultants and now sits on the National Law Enforcement Museum Advisory Committee for its Media Exhibit. He has been principal or co-principal investigator in multidisciplinary grants and internal funding proposals totaling about \$800,000 and raised about \$2,000,000 in new, legacy and as much in reaffirmed donations for his school. He is a graduate of the Association of Schools of Journalism and Mass Communication Leadership Workshop. This panel uses a conversational approach, as Dr. Perlmutter will be interviewed by Dr. Hanson about his vision for the College of Media and Communication and what he sees as emerging trends in the discipline of Communication.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2014 PANEL A PROGRAMS 10:30 - 11:45 AM

A-5 Integrity: Morality's Mistress

Horizon C

Sponsors: Instructional Development HS and

Instructional Development Middle School

Chair: Brandon Cohn, Bassett MS Coordinator: Sara Jane Barno, Hornedo MS

Presenters: Jamie Uphold

George Tennison, EA Olle MS

Ann Shofner, retired

Teaching responsibility for who you are while in an irresponsible world. Designed for all teachers of communication, this panel discusses the importance and execution of a character and ethics curriculum in the Professional Communication, Communication Application, Debate, Oral Interp, and Public Speaking classroom. Panelists will discuss the designing engaging and meaningful lessons in character and ethics education.

A-6 Taking Theatre Across the Curriculum

Canyon

Sponsor: Theatre

Chair: Kari McKenzie, Gilmer HS Coordinator: Kari McKenzie, Gilmer HS

Presenters: Marco Bazan, Bowie HS

This panel explores exciting methods and lesson plans to utilize other curriculums on your campus to enhance your program.

A-7 Legislative 101

Hospitality Suite Rm 309

Sponsor: TACA

Chair: Amy Aldridge Sanford, Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi Coordinator: Amy Aldridge Sanford, Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi

Presenters: Barabara Mayo, Northeast Lakeview

M'Liss Hindman, Tyler Junior College

Russell Kirkscey, Blanco HS

Lacye Odam-Matejowsky, Hays HS

This panel will share how the Texas Legislative process works and how we can impact the Legislature, SBOE, and the Higher Education Coordinating Board.

10:30 - 11:45 AN

FRIDAY

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2014 PANEL A PROGRAMS 10:30 - 11:45 AM

A-8 Evaluations

Sunset A

Sponsor: Instructional Development College/University

Chair: Charles Wise, Seguin HS

Coordinator: Mendy Meurer, Del Mar College

Presenters: Charles Wise, Seguin HS

Sarah Contreras, Del Mar College Jackie Ganschow, Del Mar College

Coordinating Board member

This panel will discuss...student evaluations of instruction, peer evaluations and state laws—what the Coordinating Board asks for.

12:00 – 12:45 CONFERENCE LUNCHEON (TICKETS REQUIRED)

12:45 – 1:30 SECOND GENERAL SESSION

INTRODUCTION OF EDUCATORS OF THE YEAR

PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS

VOTING FOR OFFICERS

NOTE: YOU DO NOT HAVE TO ATTEND THE LUNCHEON TO ATTEND THE MEETING, BUT WE HOPE YOU DO!

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2014

1:45—2:15 DISTRICT MEETINGS

Districts 1, 2, 3, & 5	Sunset C
District 4	Canyon
Districts 6, 7, 8, 9 & 10	Horizon B
Districts 11 & 12	Horizon C
District 13	RHIM
Districts 14, 15, 16, 17 & 18	Sunset B
Districts 19 & 20	Horizon A

Find your district using the chart below.

Region#	Headquarters	Region #	Headquarters	Region#	Headquarters
1	Edinburg	8	Mount Pleasant	15	San Angelo
2	Corpus Christi	9	Wichita Falls	16	Amarillo
3	Victoria	10	Richardson	17	Lubbock
4	Houston	11	Fort Worth	18	Midland
5	Beaumont	12	Waco	19	El Paso
6	Huntsville	13	Austin	20	San Antonio
7	Kilgore	14	Abilene		

Districts are the same as your Education Service Center.

PANEL B FRIDAY 2:30 - 3:45 PROGRAMS

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2014 PANEL B PROGRAMS 2:30-3:45

B-1 Crash Course: Professional Communication/Communication Application

Sunset A

Sponsor: Instructional Development HS
Chair: Lacy Venhaus, Randall HS
Coordinator: Ryan Lovell, Tascosa HS

Presenters: Ann Shofner, retired

JP Fugler, Van HS

Mellessa Denny, Amarillo HS

Designed for new teachers or teachers new to the content area, this panel will feature veteran teachers giving overviews of their Professional Communication and Communication Application curriculum. Participants with walk away with syllabi, rubrics, engaging activities, and an array of perspectives from which to build their own communication classroom.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2014 PANEL B PROGRAMS 2:30 - 3:45 PM

B-2 Debating Issues of Race, Gender, & Ability-The Identity Debate Horizon A

Sponsors: TFA and Argumentation & Debate Chair: Kirsten Nash, Hendrickson HS Coordinator: Samin Agha, Hendrickson HS

Presenters: Aaron Timmons, The Greenhill School

Matt Reichle, Reagan HS

The collegiate level debate community has begun a very robust discussion about race and identity that has trickled down to the high school level. This panel will provide a space to discuss experiences and strategies for deploying and responding to these arguments. Join these expert presenters as we delve into this often very sensitive area. We encourage you to come with questions.

B-3 UIL Prose Category B

Sunset B

Sponsor: TFA and Oral Interpretation Chair: Nicole Yeakley, Prosper HS

Coordinator: Jana Riggins, UIL

Presenters: Shawn Duthie, Holliday HS

Aimee Kasprzyck, Hillsboro HS Julie Schniers, Central HS

Now that we have a year under our belts with the new UIL Prose Category B, it's time to discuss our experiences and changes for the new year. Join these expert presenters as they take a look back at what we have learned in the past year, how we can apply these experiences in the future, and what has changed. We encourage you to come prepared with questions.

B-4 Coaching Public Address

Horizon B

Sponsor: TIFA

Chair: Michelle Pittman, Plainview HS

Coordinator: Kelly Coughlin, Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi

Presenters: Kathy Owens, University of Mary Hardin-Baylor

Connie McKee, West Texas A&M University

This panel will showcase some speakers from West Texas A&M University and all participants will watch the performers be coached by college coaches. Participants should come away with some useful tips for coaching public address events.

FRIDAY 2:30 PM - 3:45 PM

7.30 pM = 3.45 pM

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2014 PANEL B PROGRAMS 2:30 - 3:45 PM

B-5 Congressional Debate 101

Sunset C

Sponsor: TFA and Argumentation & Debate

Chair: Melissa Witt, Hallsville HS Coordinator: Yolanda Silva, Franklin HS

Presenters: Cheryl Potts, Plano Senior HS

Victoria Beard, Spring Woods HS Debby Haren, Harker Heights HS

Congress has come a long way since it was a consolation event at TFA State. We've changed and adapted to NFL rules and even included UIL. This panel will cover Congress 101 and highlight the rule differences for competition in each organization. Additional basics of legislation writing will be covered.

B-6 Incorporating Social Media Responsibility in (SMR) Communication Classrooms

Canyon

Sponsor: TACA

Chair: Edrick Ellis, Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi

Coordinator: Casandra Lorentson, Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi

Presenters: Dr. Jennifer Edwards, Executive Director of the Texas Social

Media Research Institute

Dr. Sarah Maben, Co-Director of the Texas Social Media

Research Institute

In this innovative and interactive session, the facilitators will define and introduce several types of SMR: Content, Ethics, Response Time, Consequences of Actions (Self and Others). Participants will identify and discuss flogs (fake blogs/social media accounts) and other fraudulent social media behavior. After the interactive discussion, facilitators will introduce innovative ways to incorporate SMR in K-12 and post-secondary communication classrooms and then all participants will have an interactive discussion focused on SMR.

H'RIDAY 2:30-3:45 PM

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B-7 Flipping the Classroom

RHIM

Sponsors: Instructional Development HS, Interpersonal &

Organizational, Instructional Development College/Univ

Chair: Ran Yao, Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi Coordinator: Ismael Nava, Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi

Presenters: Cheryl Spaniol, Texas A&M University, Corpus Christi

Dr. Leslie Rodriguez, Angelo State University

K-12 person

Flipped classrooms, individualized instruction, project-based learning, and technology integration are at the forefront of educational theorists'—and therefore, administrators'—thinking. The goal of this panel is to equip TSCA members with powerful techniques that not only showcase administrative goals but also achieve the educational purpose in the communication classroom. Bring your smart phones!

B-8 Global News Relay at West Texas A&M University

Horizon C

Sponsor: Rhetoric & Communication Theory

Chair: Dustin Hahn, West Texas A&M University Coordinator: Dustin Hahn, West Texas A&M University

Presenters: Dr. Butler Cain, From Concept to Implementation: How a Student

Produced Global Newscast Came to Fruition

Johnny Story, Broadcast Engineer, *The Devils in the Details:*Engineering and Production Necessary for Final Broadcast
Tyler Anderson, Broadcast Journalism Student, *How Stories were*Selected and Developed by Undergraduate Students as a

Collaborative Work

Aaron Alcozer, Mass Communication Student, A Behind the

Scenes Look at Directing a Global Newscast

This panel explores the implementation of a 12 hour, student produced, global newscast that West Texas A&M University was a part of along with eleven other universities in seven other countries. Panelists will be asked to discuss the conceptual development and purpose of the initiative, the production process of their two hour segment, how stories were written and developed by students, and how the show was directed and issues that arose.

NOTE: Next in the Program are the Interest Groups where you help plan next year's convention programs! You don't have to promise to do a program but your input is important to the association.

Please choose one Interest Group for both sessions.

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2014

INTEREST GROUPS

COME HELP PLAN NEXT YEAR'S CONVENTION

4:00 - 4:40 Interest Group Session 1:

Rhetoric & Communication Theory – Horizon C

Oral Interpretation and Perf. Studies—Sunset C

TIFA/TCCFA—Canyon

Instructional Dev. HS—Sunset B

Mass Communication – Canyon

Instructional Dev. Middle School—Horizon B

4:45 - 5:20 Interest Group Session 2:

Argumentation and Debate—Sunset B

Interpersonal & Organizational—Sunset C

Instructional Dev. College/University—Horizon C

TACA—Horizon A

Instructional Dev. Middle School—Horizon B

Theatre—Horizon B

PANEL C FRIDAY 5:30 - 6:30 PROGRAMS

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C-1 Policy 101

Sunset A

Sponsor: Argumentation & Debate and TFA

Chair: Matt Reichle, Reagan HS

Coordinator: John Mast, Stephen F. Austin HS

Presenters: Aaron Timmons, The Greenhill School HS Rich

Sarah Spring, University of Houston Samin Agha, Hendrickson HS

This course is geared towards a beginner policy coach. It will include several strategies, resources, and tips for new coaches, a short topic discussion, and a Q & A period with seasoned vets.

FRIDAY OCTOBER 3, 2014 PANEL C PROGRAMS 5:30-6:30 PM

C-2 Contemporary Critiques of Rhetoric-A Graduate Panel Moody Boardroom

Sponsor: Rhetoric and Communication Theory

Chair: Sara Vartabedian, West Texas A&M University Coordinator: Sara Vartabedian, West Texas A&M University

Presenters: Leah Moore, West Texas A&M Univ., "In the Wake of Destruction:

A Rhetorical Analysis of Post 9/11 Discourse."

Renee Stovall, West Texas A&M Univ., "A Generic Criticism of

the Golden Circle."

Miles Blankenship, West Texas A&M Univ., "A Cup of Tea with the

the American Taliban: A Pentadic Analysis of the

Newsroom."

Casandra Lorentson, Brett Mauser, Ismael Nava, Texas A&M Univ.-Corpus Christi, "Learning From Disaster: Leadership During

the Fukushima Nuclear Disaster."

Nathaniel Council, West Texas A&M Univ., "Rap God Crucified: Rhetorical Perspectives on Race, Sexuality, and Rap."

C-3 National-Level Congress: It is Just Like a House of Cards, right? Sunset C

Sponsor: TFA and Argumentation & Debate Chair: Kirsten Nash, Hendrickson HS

Coordinator: Joe Uhler, Anderson HS

Presenter: Adam Jacobi, Wisconsin HS Forensics Association

This guest speaker will focus on developing successful congressional debaters on the national level both at NSDA and the TOC circuit. Special situations at larger tournaments will also be discussed, such as scenarios at Harvard.

C-4 Textual Analysis

Horizon A

Sponsors: Oral Interpretation and TFA

Chair: JP Fugler, Van HS

Coordinator: Robert Shepard, Creekview HS

Presenters: Robert Shepard, Creekview HS

Grant Hahn, Grapevine HS

Two nationally successful oral interpretation coaches will apply educational pedagogy to the competitive scenario. Strategies for literature selection, cutting, textual analysis, characterization, etc. on the national level will be discussed.

5-30-6-30 pm

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2014 PANEL C PROGRAMS 5:30-6:30 PM

C-5 Adjunct Faculty Recruitment, Retention, & Roles

Canyon

Sponsor: TACA

Chair: Barbara Mayo, Northeast Lakeview College Coordinator: Barbara Mayo, Northeast Lakeview College

Presenters: Amy Aldridge Sanford, Texas A&M University, Corpus Christi

Patrick Ralls, Wharton County Junior College Trudy Hanson, West Texas A&M University

Description needed

C-6 Everyday Etiquette: Taking Responsibility for Your Actions Horizon B

Sponsor: Instructional Development MS
Chair: Michelle Pittman, Plainview HS
Coordinator: George Tennison, EA Olle MS

Presenter: Sara Jane Barno, Hornedo MS

Are manners and proper etiquette things of the past? They don't have to be! From thank you notes to table manners, come learn some fun and easy ways to teach everyday etiquette!

C-7 Responsible Communication in the Digital Age

RHIM

Sponsor: Vice President

Chair: Rhonda Smith, Plano West Senior HS Coordinator: Rhonda Smith, Plano West Senior HS

Presenter: Danny Moss, Northeast Texas Community College

An overview of historical communication models, current models, and horizontal models that are forthcoming, including the continued importance of responsible listening in the digital era. Session will end with a Q/A and open discussion. Content suitable for all levels of speech communication education.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2014 PANEL C PROGRAMS 5:30-6:30 PM

C-8 Meet the Authors

Horizon C

Sponsor: Oral Interpretation

Chair: Lacy Venahus, Randall HS Coordinator: Stephanie Suto, Canyon HS

John Poch has an M.F.A. in Poetry from the University of Florida and a Ph.D. in English from the University of North Texas. He was the Colgate University Creative Writing Fellow from 2000-2001, and now is Professor of English in the creative writing program at Texas Tech University.

His most recent collection, *Fix Quiet*, won the New Criterion Poetry Prize and will be published in December 2014. *Dolls*, a collection of poems, was released in September 2009. Two Men Fighting with a Knife (Story Line Press 2008) won the Donald Justice Award. His first book, *Poems*, was published in January 2004 was a finalist for the PEN/Osterweil prize. *The Essential Hockey Haiku* (a poetry/fiction collaboration with Chad Davidson) was published in Fall 2006.

Poch was a recipient of the "Discovery"/*The Nation* Prize in 1998 and has been awarded residencies at the MacDowell Colony, Headlands Center for the Arts, The Saltonstall Foundation, and Blue Mountain Center. For ten years, he was the editor of the award-winning *32 Poems Magazine*. He is a co-editor of the poetry anthology: *Old Flame: From the First Ten Years of 32 Poems Magazine*.

Linda Wickersham is chair of the English department at Lubbock High School and teaches English III and IV IB. She graduated from Midwestern State University in Wichita Falls with a bachelor's degree in education and a minor in English. Wickersham's plan was to teach only until her writing career took off.

But after discovering her love for teaching, her writing took a back seat. Only after interviewing her husband's grandmother did she begin to focus on writing again. This woman's life provided the inspiration for her first novel, *The Weaving of a Woman*, which was published in 2004.

The Theory of Three, her second novel, was also published in 2004. She is currently working on a third novel. Writing and publishing has added another element to her classroom as she uses her experience to help her students learn to be better writers.

Wickersham was named Region 17 Teacher of the Year in 2004

FRIDAY

6:30 –7:45 PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION Sunset B

Join us in thanking M'Liss Hindman for her dedication and leadership.

7:00 PROFESSOR'S PERFORMANCE HOUR

Sunset B

7:45 Second TFA Meeting Sunset A

We will begin with a panel presentation by Kandi King, Dave Huston, Pam Wycoff, and Adam Jacobi. Hall of Fame Emeritus coaches will also be announced.

7:45 DONALD STREETER'S PAST PRESIDENT'S DINNER Horizon B

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2014

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2014 PANEL D PROGRAMS 8:15-9:30 AM

8:00—9:00 REGISTRATION CONTINUES Prefunction 1

PANEL D	8:00-9:00	PROGRAMS
D-1	Coaching Oral Interpretation	
	F	Horizon A
Sponsor:	TIFA	
Chair:	Connie McKee, West Texas A&M University	,
Coordinator:	Susan Stafford, Bushland HS	
Presenters:	Connie McKee, West Texas A&M University	
	Kathy Owens, University of Mary Hardin-Bay	ylor

This panel will showcase some performers from West Texas A&M University and allow participants to watch the performers be coached by college coaches. Participants should come away with useful tips for coaching interp.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2014 PANEL D PROGRAMS 8:15-9:30 AM

D-2 LD Evolution

Sunset A

Sponsor: Argumentation and Debate TFA

Chair: Gay Hollis, Taylor HS Coordinator: Perry Beard, Cy Fair HS

Presenters: Rhonda Smith, Plano West HS

Jerry Crist, Strake Jesuit College Preparatory Chris Castillo, Strake Jesuit College Preparatory

As we have seen LD debate evolve, many "old timers" and "newbies" want to know how to make the transition while maintaining the integrity of the event. These presenters will give you background on the changes and ways to teach the newest innovations in LD.

D-3 Balancing Structure & Style—Extemp 101

Horizon C

Sponsor: TFA

Chair: Joe Uhler, Anderson HS

Coordinator: Rhonda Smith, Plano West HS

Presenters: Joe Uhler, Anderson HS

Kirsten Nash, Hendrickson HS

Jason Warren, National Speech & Debate Association

Competing in Extemp at the national level is a challenging and sometimes intimidating feat. This panel will discuss advanced level extemp strategies from advanced source use, filing tips and tools, and balancing style and structure on the national extemp circuit. Specific strategies and tips for particular tournaments will also be discussed.

D-4 Intro to Reader's Theatre

RHIM

Sponsor: Oral Interpretation, Instructional Development MS and TFA

Chair: George Tennison, EA Olle MS Coordinator: Rory McKenzie, Lindale HS

Presenters: Wade Hescht, Lone Star College

Katrese Skinner, El Campo HS Sandra Jones, Killough MS

Expert presenters will explain the ins and outs of Reader's Theatre and how to incorporate it into a classroom setting.

SATURDAY 8:00-9:00 AM

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2014 PANEL D PROGRAMS 8:00– 9:30 AM

D-5 Contributed Papers in Rhetoric & Communication Theory Moody Ballroom

Sponsor: Rhetoric & Communication Theory

Chair: Carolyn Baum, West Texas A&M University
Coordinator: Carolyn Baum, West Texas A&M University

Presenters: Russell Kirkscey, Texas Tech University, "Deliberative Aspects

of Epideictic Rhetoric."

Trudy Hanson, West Texas A&M University, "The Good, the Bad, and the Strong: Representations of Women and Girls in

ABC's Once Upon a Time."

Chad Filsowski, Galveston-Ball HS, "Using a Critical

Pedagogical Approach."

D-6 Ethical Practice in Theatre

Horizon B

Sponsor: TACA

Chair: Shawn Duthie, Holliday HS

Coordinator: Kelly Coughlin, Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi

Presenter: James Stroud, Ray HS

A discussion on a variety of issues of detailing the appropriate process for practicing Theatre in Texas including but not limited to: rehearsals, cutting, technical aspects, recruiting, and building a program.

D-7 GIFTS

Sunset C

Sponsor: Instructional Development HS and Interpersonal &

Organizational

Chair: Lacy Venhaus, Randall HS Coordinator: Ryan Lovell, Tascosa HS

It's time to show off! Nearly every teacher has a project, unit, or lesson that they look forward to teaching all year. What is yours? Bring it! Share it! Tell us the stories of the incredible things your students have done in your classroom so that teachers across the state can be inspired to offer the same opportunities to their students. And who knows—you could find a new pet project to incorporate into your classroom as well.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2014 PANEL D PROGRAMS 8:15–9:30 AM

D-8 All Eyes on You: Being a Responsible College/University Administrator

Canyon

Sponsor: TACA

Chair: Amy Aldridge Sanford, Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi

Coordinator: Edrick Ellis, Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi

Presenters: Joe Cardot, Abilene Christian University

Jennifer Ramsey, Odessa College June Smith, Angelo State University

Patrick Ralls, Wharton County Junior College

This roundtable is for convention attendees with administrative responsibilities at their college/universities, as well as for those considering administrative roles in their professional futures. The panelists will discuss their administrative philosophies, reasons for becoming administrators, transitioning from full-time faculty to administrative positions and challenges associated with their positions.

9:15 - 10:00 AM

FINAL GENERAL SESSION

Sunset B

Voting on Motions, Reading of Resolutions, Announce Election Results and Door Prizes!!!

Thank you to our local arrangements committee as well as the vendors and local businesses who donated door prizes.

SATURDAY 8:00:-10:00 PM

SATURDAY

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2014 PANEL E PROGRAMS 10:15-11:15 AM

PANEL E 10:15-11:15AM PROGRAMS

E-1 Mini G.I.F.T.S Showcase

Sunset A

Sponsor: Instructional Development College & University

and Rhetoric & Communication Theory

Chair: Lacy Venhaus, Randall HS Coordinator: Michelle Pittman, Plainview HS

Presenters: Barbara Mayo, Northeast Lakeview College

M'Liss Hindman, Tyler Junior College Sarah Contreras, Del Mar College

Paul May,

Description needed

E-2 Identifying Potential & Developing Culture: Creating Paths to Graduate School

Canyon

Sponsors: TACA

Chair: Stephanie Rollie Rodriguez, Texas A& M University-Corpus

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Coordinator: Amy Aldrgidge Sanford, Texas A& M University-Corpus

Christi

Presenters: Stephanie Rollie Rodriguez, Texas A&M University-Corpus

Christi

Coy Callison, Texas Tech University

Sara Vartabedian, West Texas A&M University

Graduate school is not necessarily something that everyone dreams about doing when they grow up. In this panel, graduate directors discuss challenges and strategies associated with creating paths for students to go to graduate school. They will address the role that instructors (at all levels) play in identifying and fostering potential in students, the process of developing a graduate culture, and the means of constructing graduate school as a realistic option for students.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2014 PANEL E PROGRAMS 10:15-11:15 AM

E-3 The Big "C" Word

RHIM

Sponsor: Theatre

Chair: Kendra Willeby, Foster HS Coordinator: Susan Stafford, Bushland HS

Presenter: Matt Willmore, Spring HS

A discussion on cutting literature with inappropriate language in order to make the material acceptable to your individual community standards.

E-4 Twitter and Facebook and Skype, Oh My!—Fun & Responsible Social Media Usage in the Classroom

Sunset C

Sponsor: Instructional Development HS & MS, Theatre,

and Interpersonal & Organizational

Chair: Ross Deleon, retired

Coordinator: Sara Jane Barno, Hornedo MS

Presenter: Vanessa Amos, Armendariz MS

Aimee Kaspyrzk, Hillsboro HS

Connie McKee, West Texas A&M University

Michelle Maresh-Fueher, Texas A&M Univ. Corpus Christi

Education is increasingly evolving from a purely brick-and-mortar experience to one largely consisting of a student sitting at home in their pajamas watching a YouTube clip. The communication classroom must also evolve in such a way as to prepare Texas students for the challenges, opportunities, and money to be made by being an effective eCommunicator. Be prepared to listen to innovators in this concept among our membership as well as participate in sharing your experiences—both positive and negative—to help fellow teachers grow in this area.

E-5 Coaching & The Law: What You Need to Know

Horizon C

Sponsor: TFA

Chair: Eric Mears, Flower Mound HS Coordinator: Cindi Havron, Magnolia HS

Presenter: Matt Murrell, attorney for the firm of Reed & Scardino, Austin

Former high school speech and debate coach and current Austin attorney Matthew Murrell will explore the legal ramifications of running a speech and debate program, from the types of law that govern the activities of coaches inside and outside of the classroom, as well as what you can do to minimize your legal risk.

SATURDAY 10:15-11:15 AM

SATURDAY

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2014 PANEL E PROGRAMS 10:15-11:15 AM

E-6 Public Forum-The Starting Block

Horizon A

Sponsor: Argumentation & Debate and TFA
Chair: Scott Baker, Cypress Creek HS
Coordinator: Regina Jennings, Jersey Village HS

Panelists: Ryan Hennessey Klein HS

Rhonda Smith, Plano West HS

This workshop provides the basics of Public Forum—how and when topics are selected, how to begin research with your beginning debaters, changes that have happened in the event, plus some perspectives for the advanced Public Forum team.

E-7 Contributed Student Papers in Communication Theory Moody Ballroom

Sponsor: Rhetoric & Communication Theory
Chair: Amy Heuman, Texas Tech University

Coordinator: Ismael Nava, Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi

Arti Nadkarni, Texas Tech University, "Extending Co-Cultural Theory: Towards an Explication of Power, Gender, and Immigration in the United States."

Sara Darvishan, Texas Tech University, "Cultural Transitions of Immigrant Muslim Women Within the US Workplace."

Linley Jones & Tine Roren, Texas Tech University, "Muslim Perspective of Female Identity and Western Notions of the Hijab."

Alyssa Sambor, Texas Tech University, "Colorblind Coverage?: Race, Rape and the Media."

Lauren Schaefer, Texas Tech University, "An Examination of Ally Resistance to US Rape Culture on College Campuses."

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2014 PANEL E PROGRAMS 10:15-11:15 AM

E-8 Vertical Alignment

Horizon B

Sponsor: Instructional Development- College & University
Chair: Patrick Ralls, Wharton County Junior College
Coordinator: Patrick Ralls, Wharton County Junior College

Panelists: Melissa Witt, Hallsville HS

Teresa Galiazzo, Alief ISD

Patrick Ralls, Wharton County Junior College

Because of the economic changes, learning styles are changing too. There is pressure from high school to take communication out of the curriculum. We have got to make changes to meet their changes. Come learn strategies to methis change possible with vertical alignment

PANEL F 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM PROGRAMS

F-1 National Level Oratory & Extemp Guest Speaker

Sunset A

Sponsor: TFA

Chair: Jason Warren, Parish Episcopal

Coordinator: Kandi King

Presenter: Pam Cady Wycoff, National Speech & Debate Association

Learn strategies about national level success in both oratory and extemp from Mrs. Wycoff's experienced coaching at Apple Valley HS, Minnesota.

F-2 Debate Scope & Sequence with Swap Shop

Sunset C

Sponsor: Argumentation & Debate, Instructional Development HS

and TFA

Chair: Ryan Hennessey, Klein HS Coordinator: Samin Agha, Hendrickson HS

Presenters: Gay Hollis, Taylor HS

Dan Lingle, Jesuit College Preparatory School of Dallas

John Mast, Stephen F. Austin HS

As our populations have changed, our methods of instruction have changed as well. This will be an open discussion of how we teach debate classes, how we adapt to the students, and ways we can get the instruction to stick. Handouts will be provided.

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F-3 Oral Interp Scope & Sequence with Swap Shop

Horizon B

Sponsors: Oral Interp, Instructional Development HS and TFA

Chair: Kari McKenzie, Gilmer HS Coordinator: Rory McKenzie, Lindale HS

Presenters: Andrew Barrett, Spring Woods HS

Wendi Brandenburg, Centennial HS

Rory McKenzie, Lindale HS

Speech teachers are notorious for instructing in several different disciplines in a single day. Developing effective curriculum for each class can take years. Hear how talented coaches who wear multiple hats like you have structured their oral interp classes. Even if you don't have a class period dedicated to oral interp, this session is sure to give you ideas for developing the oral interp student.

F-4 Communication Across the Curriculum

Horizon A

Sponsor: Instructional Development HS
Chair: Michelle Pittman, Plainview HS
Coordinator: Stephanie Suto, Canyon HS

Presenters:

As high schools throughout Texas shift to speech-optional graduation plans, it is still important that students exit into the real world with pragmatic skills developed by communication professionals. This panel will discuss how to collaborate with others on your campus to infuse communication theories, practices, and activities into various course offerings and empower attendees to be professional development resources for their colleagues.

F-5 Addressing How We Can Facilitate (Using Covey's Method) Canyon

Sponsor: Instructional Development College & University

Chair: ??? Coordinator: ???

Presenters: Barbara Mayo and ???

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F-6 Personal Responsibility as a Mandate: Instituting Coordinating Board Requirements in the Core

Horizon C

Sponsor: TACA

Chair: Larry King, Stephen F. Austin State University
Coordinator: Amy Aldridge Sanford, Texas A&M University—

Corpus Christi

Presenters: Larry King, Stephen F. Austin State University

David Roach, Texas Tech University

Trudy Hanson, West Texas A&M University

Amy Tilton Jones, Del Mar College

The Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board requires that the hours designated for communication in the foundational core at colleges and universities be limited to 6 hours. Within those 6 hours, students are expected to learn critical thinking skills, the ability to communicate, teamwork, and personal responsibility. The panelists will discuss how they teach and assess these mandates, the impact of changes to the Core Curriculum at their institutions, and the challenges presented by the revisions.

F-7 Broadcasting Tragedy: Managing Public Knowledge in Sensitive Times

RHIM

Sponsor: Mass Communication

Chair:

Coordinator:

Presenter: Sarah Rainey, Wiley College

This session will offer insight and discussion into managing the social remembrance and memorials of students, friends, co-workers, and family in the case of loss. This collaborative session will be focus on developing a set of social protocol for broadcasting and managing death online by fostering discussion between panel participants.

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F-8 Illuminating Women's Voices: Representation,

Marginalization, and Resistance in Diverse Cultural Contexts

Moody Ballroom

Sponsor: Rhetoric & Communication Theory
Chair: June Smith, Angelo State University
Coordinator: June Smith, Angelo State University

Presenters: Maria Hagland and Jim Speckels, Angelo State University,

"A Study of the Elaboration Likelihood Model

Interfacing with Aristotle's Rhetoric to Produce Central

Processing of Persuasive Messages."

Dianah McGreehan and Terrell McKissack, Angelo State University, "Gerbner's Cultivation Theory: The Impact of Recency."

Margaret Moore, Abilene Christian University, "Bringing Bandura into Training for International Teachers: the Importance of Social Learning Theory."

Kelly Coughlin, Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi, "Using Goals-Plans-Actions Model and Functional Theory to Study Interventions."

Edrick Ellis, Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi,
"Immediacy: Analysis Using Uncertainty Reduction
Theory and Expectancy Violation Theory."

Ran Yao, Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi, "The 'Glocalization' of Korean Pop Music: Uncertainty Reduction and Communication Accommodation Approach."

Nick Tatum, Abilene Christian University, "Theoretical Inception: Using Student Life Experiences to Apply Communication Theory."

Jim Davis, Abilene Christian University, "Theoretical Support for Experiential Training: Game Theory as an Organizing Framework."

12:45 - 1:15 INFORMATIONAL MEETING for CONVENTION '15

Sunset B

All District Chairs, Committee Chairs, Interest Group Chairs, and Convention '15 Hosts please plan to meet with the Vice President.

1:15 – 3:00 TSCA OFFICERS' PLANNING SESSION CH Boardroom