

MACS - Missouri Association for Career Services

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Monday, July 21st

- 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
 - **Missouri ACTE Conference Registration**
 - Oasis Hotel & Convention Center -Grand Ballroom
- **Exhibits Open**
 - Oasis Hotel & Convention Center -Grand Ballroom
- 9:30 a.m.
 - **Missouri ACTE Board of Directors Meeting**
 - Oasis Hotel & Convention Center -Sahara Room
- 2:00 p.m.- 3:00 p.m.
 - **All Missouri ACTE Committee Meetings**
 - Oasis Hotel & Convention Center -Maui Ballroom
- 3:00 p.m.
 - **Missouri ACTE General Sessions**
 - Oasis Hotel & Convention Center -Coco, Fiji, Maui
- 4:00 p.m.
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Tuesday, July 22nd

- 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
 - **Missouri ACTE Conference Registration**
 - Oasis Hotel & Convention Center -Grand Ballroom
- 9:00 a.m.-10:30 a.m.
 - **Opening General Session**
 - Oasis Hotel & Convention Center
- 10:45 a.m.-11:35 a.m.

- **Expanding CTE Opportunities: Introducing the Pathways to the Skilled Technical Sciences Program**
 - Oasis Hotel & Convention Center -Coco and Maui
Discover how the Pathways to the Skilled Technical Sciences program can help your district expand CTE opportunities while supporting students from special populations. This session will introduce a flexible, DESE-developed curriculum that provides a seamless transition into the Manufacturing, Transportation & Logistics, and Architecture & Construction career clusters. Learn how this program can boost your CTE enrollment total without requiring follow-up reporting for program completers. Additionally, explore potential funding sources—including 50/50 grants, Enhancement Grants, and Limited Access Grants—to support program sustainability and growth. Learn about curriculum options, including Foundations of Technical Careers and Connections to Technical Careers—available at no cost from DESE. Join us to see how your school can play a pivotal role in preparing all students for success in skilled trades and technical careers.
- 11:35 p.m.- 1:00 p.m.
 - **Lunch on your own**
- 1:00 p.m. - 1:50 p.m.
 - **DESE IRC**
 - Oasis Hotel & Convention Center -Maui
Presenter: Lori Brown
- 2:00 p.m. - 2:50 p.m.
 - **SWMO Job Center/WIOA Services**
 - Oasis Hotel & Convention Center -Maui
Presenter: Kathi Cochran & Sherri Rhuems
- 3:00 p.m.- 3:50 p.m.
 - **Middle School Recruitment**
 - Oasis Hotel & Convention Center -Maui
Presenter: Sarah Perry
- 4:30 p.m.-6:00 p.m.
 - **MoACTE Awards & New Professional Reception**
 - The Barley House at Moon Town Crossing

Wednesday, July 23rd

- 8:00 a.m.-8:50 a.m.
 - **DESE School Counseling Update**
 - Oasis Hotel & Convention Center -Kalahari
 - Presenters: Chrissy Bashore, Carvella Bennett, and Cierra Griffin
- 9:00 a.m.-9:50 a.m.
 - **Registered Youth Apprenticeship**
 - Oasis Hotel & Convention Center -Kalahari
 - Presenters: Jim Pritchett, Betty Glasgow, Angie Fadness, Clara Liles, and Nancy Pfeiffer
- 10:00 a.m.-10:50 a.m.
 - **Round Table Discussion**
 - Oasis Hotel & Convention Center -Kalahari
- 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
 - **Lunch & MACS Business Meeting**
 - Oasis Hotel & Convention Center -Maui
- 2:00 p.m.
 - **Industry Tour**
- 3:30 p.m.
 - House of Delegates Meeting
 - Oasis Hotel & Convention Center – Coco

Thursday, July 24

- 12:00 p.m.
 - Missouri ACTE Board of Directors Meeting
 - Oasis Hotel & Convention Center – Coco Lunch service begins at 11:30 a.m.