



BTA of NYS News and Notes

March 2021

# Onward and Forward 2021!!

Business Teachers Association of New York State



Dear BTANYS members - Onward and Forward!!

News of the month...March Madness (in every way)!!! The race continues... In many schools we are having fun preparing for the March Madness (NCAA) Tournament for our Sports Marketing/Management courses... In many schools students are signing up for courses in 2021-2022...

One thing I am thankful and grateful for is that the new New York State Career and Technical Education Technical Assistance Center (NYS CTE TAC) contract is in place and the resumption of services has begun. The [NYS CTE TAC](#) delivers a number of services to the New York State Education Department (NYSED) and CTE providers across the state, including technical assistance and support to secondary and postsecondary CTE providers, professional development for teachers and leaders, and a dedicated website providing resources for CTE professionals. These services are delivered under a five-year contract issued by NYSED.

Any questions regarding the NYS CTE TAC can be sent to [ctetac@spnet.us](mailto:ctetac@spnet.us).

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Tracy Farrell and the Executive Board of BTANYS

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## Resources for YOU:

### CTE TAC is BACK!!!

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### CTE Learn:

Sharing this customized video message that was created specifically to communicate with New York State CTE professionals on CTE Learn. Please check it out <https://youtu.be/F2rP161kHKc>. I would also like to thank Dick Jones for all of his work that he has done with CTE Learn.

### NYSED CTE Guide/Resource:

We would like to remind all of the efforts of the Career and Technical Education Center for creating *The Guide for CTE Administrators and Counselors*. This fantastic resource covers the unique challenges and demands of a CTE program that our school leaders need to know. Share it! [Download here](#).



Dear Educators, In 2020, NYSED was awarded a 3-year federal grant to implement a Teaching in Remote/Hybrid Learning Environments (TRLE) initiative. NYSED has been partnering with various BOCES in the development and implementation of this project called eTeachNY. Attached is the upcoming regional trainings “Save the Date” flyer for the six competencies—*Shifting to Teaching Online, Families as Partners, Students with Disabilities, English Language Learners and/or Multilingual Learners, Culturally Responsive Education, and Social-Emotional*

*Learning*—to highlight the offerings for the upcoming week. The flyer contains the links to both [//neric.org/training](https://neric.org/training) and [eteachny.org](https://eteachny.org) sites so that participants can easily register for these and future trainings that are posted on these sites. There is no cost for these trainings and participants will be eligible for CTLE. CTE Learn offers a variety of PD opportunities. Check out the link on our NYSACTE website.

## Are you on the Listserve?

Join the [CTEBiz](#) listserv for updated information about business education throughout the state provided by Michael LaMastra, our Business and Marketing Associate at NYSED.

## Looking to be involved?

If you reside in the Hudson Valley or Southern Tier Regions, and would like to join our board, we have a place for you!

We will be looking for a new webmaster for the 2021-2022 school year. If you are interested, or know someone who is, please contact us. We can even start the transition process early.

Please forward inquiries to [president@btanys.org](mailto:president@btanys.org).





## Calendar of Events:

**March 13, 2021** - BTA Executive Board meeting

**March 22, 2021** - Business & Marketing Honor Society (BMHS) applications and materials for 2021. Come learn what BMHS is all about or learn how to get involved so your students can build their resume with BMHS!! [Register here!!](#)

**April 14, 2021** - Watch for our registration for a webinar related to "Business Economics" with Dr. Erin Yetter, from 4-5 pm

More to come....



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