Arts Education Series
Transforming Schools Through the Power of the Arts

at Foundation for Educational Administration Conference Center
12 Centre Drive, Monroe, NJ 08831

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Fostering Social-Emotional Learning in and Through the Arts
Mar. 12, 2018; 9 am - 3 pm at FEA
Presenter: Dr. Maurice Elias, Professor of Psychology, Director, Social-Emotional and Character Development Lab, Rutgers University

Explore the many connections between the arts and social emotional development. In this session, Dr. Elias will reveal why social-emotional competence is essential to student development. Arts learning plays a unique role in shaping school culture and climate, and will be a key component of this session.

A Close Look at Impactful Arts Learning
Apr. 13, 2018; 9 am - 3 pm at FEA
Presenters: Dr. Peter Horn, Independent Education Consultant; Shawna Longo, Teacher and STEAM Facilitator, Hopatcong Schools; Dr. Dale Schmid, Arts Coordinator, NJDOE; Dr. Deborah Ward, Independent Education Researcher; Kurt Zimmermann, Hopatcong Public Schools

The arts are frequently employed to enhance student engagement and achievement, as well as school climate and culture. This session will spotlight several strategies and will explore the impact of strategies such as STEAM teaching and learning, Arts Integration and the use of arts strategies to address Title 1 goals. This is an opportunity to learn directly from practitioners about the impact of arts learning.

Overseeing the Arts for the Non-Arts Administrator
Apr. 18, 2018; 9 am - 3 pm at FEA
Presenters: Dennis Argul, Supervisor of Music, Elizabeth Schools; Margaret El, Special Assistant for the Arts, Newark Schools; Jeff Santoro, Fine and Performing Arts Supervisor, West Windsor-Plainsboro Schools; Lisa Vartanian, Fine, Performing and Practical Arts Supervisor, Paramus Schools

From supervision and evaluation to management and logistics, this session will focus on the key attributes of a successful arts program. Learn what to look for and identify steps for building your model arts program. Participants will leave this session better prepared to evaluate and support teachers in the arts.

An Introduction to the New NJ Student Learning Standards and the National Arts Standards
May 7, 2018; 9 am - 3 pm at FEA
Presenter: Dr. Dale Schmid, Arts Coordinator, NJDOE

This session will explore ways in which the new National Arts Standards informed the vision and future for arts education in New Jersey. Similarities and dissimilarities between the National Core Arts Standards (NCAS) and the most recent iteration of New Jersey Student Learning Standards will be closely examined. Participants will also have the opportunity to engage in facilitated discussions exploring practical implications of new standards in dance, music, theatre, visual art, and media arts.

Fee: $149 per workshop - Title I schools receive a 50% discount ($75)

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