

2011 Annual Conference

*Imagine the Impact in Oklahoma: Providing a Learning Journey for All
November 17-18, 2011*

Co-Sponsors:

*Oklahoma Association of Colleges of Teacher Education (OACTE)
Oklahoma Commission on Teacher Preparation (OCTP)
Oklahoma Association of Teacher Educators (OATE)*

Using State Longitudinal Data in Research to Inform Teacher Preparation

General Sessions – November 17, 2011

Conducted in partnership with the Regional Education Laboratory Southwest (REL Southwest)

Hosted by University of Central Oklahoma (UCO)

*All General Sessions in Constitution Hall – Nigh University Center
Edmond, Oklahoma*

Goals:

1. Increase participant understanding of the importance and benefits of using a state longitudinal data system (SLDS) to conduct research by providing background information and examples of how to develop and use an SLDS in a policy/practice context.
2. Build participant knowledge regarding the current status of the SLDS in Oklahoma through presentations by state data managers that will include discussions about potential challenges to SLDS development and use, along with how the SLDS connects to the postsecondary data system and the work of the P20 Council.
3. Develop participant knowledge regarding different ways that state longitudinal data could be used specifically to inform teacher preparation in Oklahoma through presentations from respected education leaders and facilitated participant discussions.
4. Enhance participant knowledge about how a research collaboration can build the capacity of participants to use SLDS to inform teacher preparation programs through presentations and reflection from key education leaders in Oklahoma and REL Southwest.

GENERAL SESSIONS – THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2011

8:00 – 8:30 am

Registration and Gathering

8:30 – 8:45 am

Welcome and Introduction to Conference

- **Dr. William Radke**

*Provost and Vice-President for Academic Affairs
University of Central Oklahoma*

- **Dr. James Machell**
2011 Conference Chair
Dean, College of Education and Professional Studies
University of Central Oklahoma
- **Linda Hasler-Reid**
Executive Director, Oklahoma Commission for Teacher Preparation
- **Dr. Susan C. Scott**
President, Oklahoma Association of Teacher Educators
Professor, University of Central Oklahoma

8:45 – 9:55 am

General Session 1

8:45 – 8:55 am

**Opening Remarks and Introduction of Keynote Speaker
Dr. James Machell**

8:55 – 9:35 am

Keynote Address

***Opportunities, Challenges, and Benefits:
Using State Data in Research to Inform Teacher Preparation***

- **Dr. Nancy Smith**
 - Principal Consultant, DataSmith Solutions
 - Research Publication: *Traveling Through Time: The Forum Guide to Longitudinal Data Systems. Book Four of Four: Advanced LDS Usage (NCES)*

9:35 – 9:55 am

Question- and- Answer Session

- **Dr. James Machell**, Moderator

9:55 -10:10 am Break

10:10 – 11:30 am

General Session 2

10:10 – 11:05 am

Panel Discussion

From a State Perspective: Short- and Long-Term Vision for Using State Longitudinal Data Systems

Introduction

- **Dr. R. Wayne Stewart**
OACTE President
Dean, School of Education, Oklahoma Panhandle State University

Panel Moderator

- **Dr. Phyllis Hudecki**
Oklahoma Secretary of Education

Panel Members:

K – 12 Perspective

- **John Kraman**
Executive Director, Student Information Services---DELETE SERVICES
Oklahoma State Department of Education

Post Secondary Perspective

- **Tony Hutchison**
Vice Chancellor, Strategic Planning, Analysis, and Workforce and Economic Development
Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education

Using State Longitudinal Data in Arkansas

- **Dr. Neal Gibson**
Director, Arkansas Research Center
Arkansas Department of Education

11:05 – 11:30 am

Facilitated Discussion/Question- and- Answer Session

- **Dr. Phyllis Hudecki**, Moderator
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11:30 – 12:05 pm

General Session 3

11:30 – 11:35 pm

Introduction

- **Dr. R. Wayne Stewart**

11:35 – 11:50 pm

State of Education in Oklahoma

- **Dr. Janet Barresi**
State Superintendent of Public Instruction
Oklahoma State Department of Education

11:50 – 12:05 pm

Question- and-Answer Session

- **Dr. R. Wayne Stewart**, Moderator
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12:05 – 12:50 pm

Lunch

12:50 – 2:00 pm

General Session 4

Working Together: Using State Data to Inform Teacher Preparation

12:50 – 12:55 pm

Introduction

- **Dr. R. Wayne Stewart**

12:55 – 1:10 pm

Benefits of a Researcher/Practitioner Collaboration

- **Dr. Dean Nafziger**
Lab Director, REL Southwest
CEO, Edvance Research

1:10 – 1:40 pm

Response from Stakeholders: How We Can Use Research in Oklahoma

From a College of Education Perspective

- **Dr. Gregg Garn**
Interim Dean and Director K20 Center, Jeannine Rainbolt College of Education,
University of Oklahoma

From a State Agency Perspective

- **Linda Hasler-Reid**
Executive Director, Oklahoma Commission for Teacher Preparation

- **Dr. Lisa Holder**
Director of Teacher Education and the Oklahoma Teacher Connection
Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education

From a Legislative Perspective

- **Ted Gillispie**
Executive Legislative Liaison, OACTE

1:40 – 2:00 pm

Facilitated Discussion/Question-and-Answer Session

- **Dr. R. Wayne Stewart**, Moderator

Closing Remarks

- **Dr. R. Wayne Stewart**

2:15 – 4:45

Breakout Sessions