

**Call for Proposals**  
**Texas Association for Teacher Educators (TxATE)**  
**Summer Conference, Austin Texas**  
**June 7, 2016**  
**St. Edward's University**

**Mabee Ballroom, 3001 South Congress Avenue, Ragsdale Conference Center, Austin, TX, 78704**

The Texas Association for Teacher Educators invites professional teacher educators and/or graduate students to submit a presentation at the TxATE Summer Conference.

Presentations should address issues related to one of the following topics:

- Best Practices and Innovations in Teacher Preparation
- Alternative Certification
- Field-Based Learning
- Educator Preparation Advocacy
- Accountability and Certification
- 21<sup>st</sup> Century Learning
- Trends and Issues: P-16 Initiatives, Partnerships, College Readiness, Technology...

Format: Presentations will take place in 45 minute Round-Table Discussions.  
Presenters should provide approximately **15** handouts to aid in discussion.

Proposal Submission: Please submit your proposal electronically to [cbledsoe@umhb.edu](mailto:cbledsoe@umhb.edu) by **April 16, 2016**. Please contact Christie Bledsoe at [cbledsoe@umhb.edu](mailto:cbledsoe@umhb.edu) with any questions.

Your proposal should include the following components on a **Word** document.

- Presentation topic (above) relevant to proposal
- Title of presentation
- Name(s) and Title(s) of presenter(s)
- University affiliate
- Email address
- Phone number
- Abstract: (No longer than 100 words)
- Summary: Describe research/paper topic (maximum of 750 words)

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**PRESENTER NOTES AGREEMENT**

Your submission indicates agreement to the following:

1. I understand that all presenters will be required to pay a registration fee. Registration form and fee must be received by **May 1, 2016** in order for name and session to be listed in the conference program.
2. I understand presenters must be a current member of TxATE at the time of the conference. Membership in ATE does not qualify.
3. I understand that incomplete submissions will not be reviewed.
4. I understand I may not use any conference presentation to market products or services before, during, or after presentation.
5. I understand the presentations take place in 45 minute Round-Table Discussions. Presenters should provide 15 handouts to aid in discussion. Presenters must provide their own audio/visual equipment, if needed.

In addition, honoraria or travel expense reimbursement will not be provided for any presenter submitting through the "Call for Proposals."