2024 Fall Meeting Frequently Asked Questions

This document addresses frequently asked questions about Advance CTE's 2024 Fall Meeting. Please email meetings@careertech.org with additional questions.

Who can attend Advance CTE's Fall Meeting?

While Advance CTE primarily supports state Career Technical Education (CTE) leaders, all stakeholders and champions of Career Technical Education (CTE) are welcome as we share new structures shaping tomorrow's CTE!

What is the meeting format?

Fall Meeting will begin on October 21 at 2:15 MST with an opportunity for you to mingle with our sponsors and enjoy coffee. At 3 p.m. MST, we will open our official program with an extended afternoon plenary session unveiling the final modernized National Career Clusters Framework followed by an evening reception. Subsequent days will include general sessions, smaller and interactive breakout sessions, networking opportunities including role-alikes, and more. Fall Meeting will end at noon MST on October 23.

What is the registration deadline?

Early Bird registration closes at 11:59 p.m. ET on August 15, 2024. The general registration deadline is 11:59 p.m. ET on September 16, 2024.

Why am I being asked to log in when I register for the Fall Meeting?

All registrants are required to create an account if they do not have one through our NOVI association management system prior to registering for Fall Meeting. There are no additional costs to creating an account, and you may use the account to register for other Advance CTE events. Full instructions can be found on our NOVI blog.

Does Advance CTE have hotel rooms available for meeting attendees?

Yes, Advance CTE has a discounted room block at the Embassy Suites by Hilton. Rooms are limited and available on a first-come, first-served basis, so please reserve your room early. The room block will close on September 20. Please book your hotel room using Advance CTE's dedicated event link,

Which airport is closest to the hotel?

Both the Phoenix Sky Harbor International Airport (PHX) and Scottsdale Airport are within 15 minutes of the event hotel. There is no hotel shuttle service available; the average price of ride-sharing or taxing is approximately $40.

I want to explore Phoenix, AZ. What are my transportation options?

Daily parking at the hotel is $11. There is a bus route that is a 10 minute walk from the hotel.

Are meals included in my registration?

The hotel provides a complimentary breakfast and light evening reception for registered guests. Each meeting registration includes one lunch, various breaks, and a heavy hors d'oeuvres reception the evening of October 21.

I am interested in being a Fall Meeting sponsor. Where can I get more information?

Thank you for your interest! We offer several tiers of sponsorships — more information can be found here or emailing Dr. Stephanie White at sperkins@careertech.org.

Can I receive a refund if I have to cancel my registration?

All cancellations must be submitted by email to meetings@careertech.org. To receive a full refund, a cancellation request must be received by 11:59 p.m. ET on September 16, 2024. Cancellations received between September 17 and October 7, 2024, will be refunded 50% of the registration fee. Cancellations received starting October 8, 2024 will result in no refund. If a registration has been made and the registration fee is not paid prior to the cancellation request, the registrant is still responsible for any applicable unpaid fees. Meeting no-shows will be responsible for paying the full registration rate. Advance CTE is not responsible for weather-related travel delays, illnesses or other issues in regard to personal travel. No refunds will be given due to these occurrences, once the cancellation window has closed.

All hotel room cancellations must be received at least 48 hours prior to the start of Fall Meeting.