



**NYSACTE is the advocate for Career and Technical Education, an integral part of the total education system in New York.**

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**NYSACTE Mission:**

- **To provide leadership in developing a competitive workforce**

Participating in Reopening Schools

NYSACTE is serving on the New York State Education Department's Reopening Schools Regional Task Force.

Every Student Succeeds ACT. NYSACTE advocated including NYS CTE Approved Programs on the NYS ESSA Dashboard, which increases recognition of CTE in NYS schools. States get to decide the education plans and measurement of success for their schools within a framework provided by the federal government.

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Networking Opportunities with other CTE professionals and their leadership organizations such as the Association of Career and Technical Education (ACTE), that represents CTE at the federal level.

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Joint CTE conferences, annual ACTE Vision Conference, and local seminars provide curriculum ideas, instructional strategies, and PD hours.

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NYSACTE representation at the ACTE National Policy Seminar in Washington, DC.

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- **To provide leadership and unification for Career and Technical Education professional associations**

NYSACTE Fellowship Program:

-To bring CTE educators together to develop their leadership skills and further their involvement in CTE professional organizations.

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-To provide CTE educators an opportunity to become familiar with the variety of content areas and delivery models in NYS in order to better understand the strengths and challenges of CTE in NYS.

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-Provide professional development opportunities in order to share and build best practices in CTE.

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- **To provide the members of the Career and Technical Education community with professional development**

CTE Learn - A partnership with ACTE

-CTE Learn offers continuing education credit courses as well as a wide variety of free resources for both secondary and postsecondary CTE professionals. CTE Learn is an online learning network created by CTE professionals for CTE professionals.

NYSACTE along with ACTE Region One held a joint conference in New York City.

NYSACTE, with ACTE's support, launched a new website which contains resources for all of its members.

- **To promote Career and Technical Education with students, student leadership organizations, the education community, and the public**

NYSACTE continues to work with New York State Technical Assistance Center. NYS CTE Technical Assistance Center has provided

| [wonderful professional development webinars](#) that promotes excellence in the classroom.

NYSACTE professional organizations continue to promote student leadership organizations across NYS through competitions and participation.

- **To monitor and initiate legislative and policy activities that enhance and promote Career and Technical Education**

| Advocacy - The CTE Advocate, Peter Carr, represents NYSACTE at the NYS Board of Regents and other legislative meetings.

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