

# Rural Education **SUMMIT**

## Revitalizing Rural Schools—April 1, 2022 Schedule

	Presenter	Topic/Title
<b>8:30-9:10</b> Introductions	<b>Todd Goodson</b> Assistant Dean of Teacher Education and Accreditation, KSU COE	Welcome
	<b>Spencer Clark</b> Director, REC <b>Lori Goodson</b> Assistant Director, REC	Rural Education Center Introduction
	<b>Todd Goodson</b>	Rural Professional Development Schools Recognition
	<b>Spencer Clark</b>	Introduction of Keynote Speaker
<b>9:15-10:00</b> Keynote	<b>Benjamin Winchester</b> Rural Sociologist, University of Minnesota Extension, Center for Community Vitality	Rewriting the Rural Narrative
<b>10:05-10:10</b>	<b>Spencer Clark</b>	Summit Sessions

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<b>BREAKOUT SESSION 1</b> <b>10:20-10:50</b>		
	<b>Allen Pratt</b> Executive Director, National Rural Education Association, Chattanooga, Tennessee	National Rural Updates
	<b>Earl Legleiter</b> Noyce Scholar Mentor Teacher <b>Paul Adams</b> Dean of College of Education, Fort Hays State University	Preparing Teachers to Teach and Thrive in Rural Places
	<b>Nancy Zenger-Beneda</b> Executive Director, Kansas Foundation for Agriculture in the Classroom	Teaching, Learning, and Agriculture
	<b>Donna Augustine-Shaw</b> Associate Professor of the Department of Educational Leadership, KSU COE	The Kansas Educational Leadership Institute: Serving the Needs of New Leaders in Rural Settings
	<b>Jared Bixby</b> Kansas Science Festival	Engaging Kansas Students through the Kansas Science Festival

	<p><b>Jason Hughes</b> Assistant Program Director of Agriculture and Natural Resources, West Virginia State University Extension Service</p>	Student Mental Health in Rural, Low SES High Schools: A Two- State Collective Case Study
	<p><b>Morgan Menefee Crabtree</b> Director Osawatomie Public Library</p>	Rural Representation in Literature for Teens
	<p><b>Mariah Presley</b> Educational Programs Consultant <b>Dan Whisler and Bill Nelson</b> Educators in Residence <b>Chris Torline</b> Professional Engineer, Education Engineer, all for Trane Technologies</p>	Simplifying Student Success: How to Integrate CTE and STEM Learning into Rural Classrooms
	<p><b>Tuan Nguyen</b> Assistant Professor of Curriculum &amp; Instruction, KSU COE <b>Nikki Heiman</b> Statewide Director, Teacher Recruitment Project, Education Service Center-Greenbush</p>	District Profile of Teacher Recruitment and Retention in Kansas
<p><b>BREAKOUT SESSION 2</b> <b>11:00-11:30</b></p>		
	<p><b>Vicki Sherbert</b> Assistant Professor of Curriculum &amp; Instruction, KSU COE</p>	Reflecting on Rural Experiences through Place-Based Writing
	<p><b>Jerrie Brooks</b> Assistant Professor Fort Hays State University <b>Jacqueline Lubin</b> Assistant Professor, Special Education University of Hartford</p>	Retention and Attrition of Rural Special Educators Amid a Global Pandemic
	<p><b>Ron Wilson</b> Director, Huck Boyd Institute for Rural Development, KSU</p>	Rural, Remote, Revitalized: Changing Demographics of Kansas and Remote Work Opportunities
	<p><b>Matt Argubright</b> Educational Consultant, Boardworks Education</p>	Providing Supplemental Resources to Support Your Overworked Teachers
	<p><b>Dr. Sharon Thielen</b> Director of Education, Kansas Corn</p>	Kansas Corn STEM
	<p><b>Richard Gilson</b> HS Principal, USD 357 Belle Plaine <b>Josh Godwin</b> MS Principal, USD 357 Belle Plaine <b>Kelly Arnberger</b> Superintendent, USD 357 Belle Plaine</p>	"Doing" High School Differently
	<p><b>Hobart Harmon</b> Leader of Strategic Advancement, Appalachia Intermediate Unit 8</p>	A Regional Model for Creating Trauma-Skilled Rural Schools

	<b>Jennifer Anderson</b> Director of Professional Learning and Organizational Development, Appalachia Intermediate Unit 8	
<b>BREAKOUT SESSION 3</b> <b>11:40-12:10</b>		
	<b>Roger Schieferecke</b> Assistant Dean and Director, Center for Student Success and Professional Services, KSU COE <b>Marcus Kidd</b> Assistant Director of Enrollment Management and Institutional Partnerships, KSU COE <b>Diane Beets</b> Program Coordinator and ED ASTRA Co-Sponsor, Rural Education Center, KSU COE	Pathways to Teaching and Support for Future Rural Educators
	<b>John Glasgow</b> Program & Partnerships Manager, Rural Schools Collaborative, Cambridge, Wisconsin	The National Rural Imperative
	<b>Anissa Bigler</b> English Teacher, USD 240 Twin Valley	Using Telepresence Robots – Removing the “Impersonal” from Remote Learning
	<b>Jerry Johnson</b> Professor and Chair of Educational Leadership, KSU COE	School and district consolidation: The Research Base and What it Means for Leaders
	<b>Alex Red Corn</b> Assistant Professor, Educational Leadership Coordinator for Indigenous Partnerships, KSU COE	Deepening our Understanding of American Indians in Education from Curriculum to Policy
	<b>Barb Depew</b> Farm to Plate Project Director, Kansas Department of Education, Child Nutrition and Wellness	Farm to Plate in our State – Local foods in Child Nutrition Programs
	<b>Carrie Tholstrup</b> Instructor/Reading Specialist Program Coordinator, Fort Hays State University	Exploring Reading Identities in Rural Middle School Students
	<b>Nathan Meyer</b> Vice President of Education & Strategy, Cosmosphere	Easy Steps to Unlock Community Partnerships and Bring Real-world Relevance to Your Classroom
<b>12:15-12:25</b>		
<b>Wrap up</b>	<b>Spencer Clark &amp; Lori Goodson</b>	The Rural Narrative...Writing the Next Chapter
<b>12:30-1:30</b>		
<b>RPDS Representatives ONLY</b>	<b>Todd Goodson &amp; Mary Marston,</b> CAEP Program Coordinator of the KSU COE	RPDS District Representatives Meeting