

# 2018 Instructor Conference



## National PETE/CCCHST/NESHTA Conference “Staying Current in a Changing World”

**July 17-19, 2018**

Two and a half day Conference

**Barton Community College  
100 Continental Drive, Junction City, KS 66441**

Please visit [www.nationalpete.org](http://www.nationalpete.org) for Registration information.

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## Conference Location

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## Hotel

PETE does NOT have a room block for this conference. You are responsible for your own travel arrangements including hotel reservations. Local Hotels are: Hampton Inn, Holiday Inn, Courtyard Marriot.

## Airport

Manhattan Regional Airport MHK. MHK is located approximately 18 miles from the hotel – hotel does not offer shuttle service. Average rates for Taxi or Shuttle charges are approx. \$25.00 and the time is 20 minutes to the facility.



## Interested in Speaking?

NPETE is always interested in having new presentations for conferences. If you are interested in speaking at not only this, but future NPETE Conferences please contact Hilary Kessler, Office Manager, at [kessler@maine.rr.com](mailto:kessler@maine.rr.com)

## Registration Information

Please visit [www.nationalpete.org](http://www.nationalpete.org) to register online. Conference fees are \$110 per person and help cover the costs of the conference. Online registration is via paypal. You do not need to have a paypal account to register this way, it is however the only way we are able to accept credit card payments.

If you are unable to register online please find a downloadable form for printing on our website or use the form on the next page when mailing your check payment made out to NPETE to the attention of Hilary Kessler, Office Manager at NPETE.

## Conference Topics Include but are not limited to the following:

- Drum in a Box active Exercise with CCCHST Staff
- Chemical Identification with CCCHST Staff
- 24 hour spill response re-write with CCCHST Staff
- “Digging Deeper” Biological Indicators in the Waste Site with Barton CC Staff
- Building a Waste Site with Barton CC Staff

- PPE Dexterity Exercises with Barton CC Staff
- More TBD

## Share your work!

One of the great bonuses of the conference is sharing your experiences with other trainers. Do you have a new exercise or activity you have developed which you could share? If you are interested in having 10 - 15 minutes to share your creation, please contact Hilary Kessler, Office Manager, at [kessler@maine.rr.com](mailto:kessler@maine.rr.com)

Agenda topics are subject to change. A final agenda will be sent to attendees closer to the conference date. If you are interested in speaking please download a Call for Papers from the website and send to Hilary Kessler at [kessler@maine.rr.com](mailto:kessler@maine.rr.com)

Training Contact Hours - Attendees needing contact hours for re-certification may request a certificate for attendance from Hilary Kessler at [kessler@maine.rr.com](mailto:kessler@maine.rr.com) for full attendance at this conference.



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## 2018 PETE Instructor/NESHTA Regional Conference

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**\$110/person**, I am registering for the following NPETE/CCCHST/NESHTA Regional Conference:

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes I am planning on attending July 17-19, 2018 Barton County CC, Junction City, KS

Are you a member of: \_\_\_\_\_ CCCHST \_\_\_\_\_ NESHTA

Please Send to: Mail to:

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Make Checks payable to: **National PETE**

**Please Note: Let Hilary Kessler, NPETE Office Manager know of any special needs including dietary restrictions that you may have in attending this conference.**



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## 2018 NPETE Conference Sponsors



### National Partnership for Environmental Technology Education (NPETE)

Is a 501(c)(3) organization established to facilitate partnerships with educational institutions, industry, and government. NPETE serves the 50 states, tribal nations, US territories, and insular areas. Our network includes over 400 community, tribal & technical colleges, representing one third of America's two year institutions. Business, industry & governmental agency partnerships are integral to this network. NPETE's mission is to support the development and implementation of quality education and training programs at community & technical colleges; increase access by under-represented populations to NETE supported programs; facilitate & promote articulation around educational programs at the high school through postgraduate levels; promote the integration of STEM into program curricula; support the use of sustainable practices & technologies in workforce/economic development and competitiveness to meet the demands of a greening economy; advocate global environmental stewardship and literacy through national and international programs and partnerships in education and training. FMI: [www.nationalpete.org](http://www.nationalpete.org)

### Advanced Technology Environment & Energy Center

Since 1994 ATEEC has been a national center of excellence in the NSF's program for ATE. The center is located in Bettendorf, IA and is a partnership of the HMTRI, NPETE, and the University of Northern Iowa. Our most recent partner is the National Renewable Energy Lab. ATEEC's mission is the advancement of environmental technology education through curriculum development, professional development, and program improvement in the nation's community colleges and high schools. The center's vision is to create a national network of community colleges, supported through public and private partnerships, that prepares and maintains an environmental technology workforce to address industry's needs and to promote the transfer of secondary students to higher education. ATEEC is operated under the auspices of Eastern Iowa Community College District (EICCD, Davenport, IA. FMI: [www.ateec.org](http://www.ateec.org)



### Community College Consortium for Health & Safety Training (CCCHST)

Is one of twenty model worker training programs and the only community college consortium recognized and funded by the National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences (NIEHS). CCCHST has over 150 organizational members, and over 250 instructors located in 34 states and one US territory who annually train a minimum 30,000 students to protect themselves and their communities from exposure to hazardous materials encountered during hazardous waste site cleanup, Brownfields redevelopment, transportation of hazardous materials, and response to spills and releases of hazardous materials.

Barton Community College's Hazardous Materials & Emergency Services Training Institute located in the flint hills region of Kansas is an outreach site and part of the Fort Riley Campus which is 120 miles from our main campus in Great Bend Kansas. The institute provides business, industry, and governmental entities with environmental, health and safety training services as well as military outreach training at military posts across the nation.

Along with the specialized training opportunities the institute houses several two year AAS degrees and certificate programs such as the Hazardous Materials Management, Emergency Management, and Paramedic degrees. The institute is an OSHA Education Training Center. Barton has been an active member of CCCHST and PETE since 1998 with several of our trainers serving in various supporting roles as well as participating in curriculum development in support of various grants for CCCHST managed by NPETE.

