

2019-2020

# Workshop Menu

## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

**Structuring Your Observation for Success.** Strategies to make the most of it & tips to prepare all year long.

**Compensation Systems: Need to Know.** Taking charge of your career means understanding pay systems.

**National Board Certification.** Find out if it's for you, and get support.

**Understanding the FBA and Behavior Plans.** Analyzing the educational environment. What many find to be a surprising view of who and what needs to change when students make social and emotional learning errors.

**Science of Happiness.** Mindfulness helps you & your students. Join other educators to boost your happy.

**Restorative Practices.** Learn this framework to build relationships that create safe & supportive schools. Presented by Chauna Perry Finch, school social worker and founder of Restorative TCS, LLC and funded in part by an NEA Great Public Schools Grant.

**How to Get Fired.** The top 13 ways to get fired from your teaching job – a highly entertaining “what not to do” session.

**You Can Do This.** A day of offerings for educators in year 1 to 5 in their careers.

## ED SUPPORT PROFESSIONALS

**Professional Growth Continuum.** Learn about this road map to designed to help ESP grow professionally.

**ESP Micro-Credentials.** Especially for ESP, bring together members to advance skills and build relationships.

## COMMUNICATION & ADVOCACY

**Effective Communications.** Strategies to make the most of your member communications.

**First Amendment.** Know your rights & advise members of theirs.

**Student-Centered Messaging.** Learn to write persuasive letters & communications with students at the center.

**GOTV Planning.** Elections matter & with the right planning, you can turn out the education vote.

**School Board Elections.** Learn what works to elect education champions.

**Referendums.** Learn what works to rally your community around referendums.

**Social Media, The First Amendment & Your Job.** Learn about your rights and the do's and don'ts when it comes to social media and the public education employee.

**Your Rights and the Violent Student.** An overview of your rights when confronted with violent students from a legal perspective.

## MEMBER BENEFITS & PERSONAL FINANCE

**Don't be Jack.** Lessons in financial literacy and starting your career on the right path.

**Retirement Planning 101.** It's never to early to make a plan for retirement.

**Long-Term Care.** Know the facts about long-term care.

## MEMBERSHIP & ORGANIZING

**Relational Interdependent Organizing.** The ABC's of building strong organizations based on relationships and shared values.

**Membership Drive Planning.** Learn what works & how to answer the tough questions.

**Certification Pros & Cons.** Is certification right for your local? Here's what to consider.

**Early Career Educators.** Reaching the next generation of educators doesn't have to be complicated. Get the latest scoop.

**Challenging a Culture of Fear.** Push back against an environment of fear defined by targeting, divide-and-conquer, retaliation, favoritism & secrecy. Build up collective courage and challenge the culture of fear in your school.

## LEADERSHIP

**New Leader Boot Camp.** Help for new leaders to be confident & competent in all things union.

**Member Representation.** Get prepared to handle just about anything that may come your way.

**10-Minute Meetings.** Real-world examples & resources to make your union more relevant.

**Local Unit Meetings.** How to run them and why to have them.

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