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*If you have news that would be useful to teacher candidates, contact Ms. Sherry Holder (sholder@semo.edu) by 12:00 noon on the Friday prior to the publication date to have it included in the next newsletter. **All submissions should be 800 characters or less.** ***Some newsletter hyperlinks are not compatible with iPads*** Follow this link for past newsletters http://semo.edu/education/edu_prep/news.html.*

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Look for the next summer newsletter on July 17. We hope you are having a great summer!

Don't Miss CORE Academy - Register NOW - June 19-20, 2018

Experience the new reality in education and attend the Next Generation Teaching & Learning Conference – CORE Academy - [CORE Academy Website](#). Keynote Speakers – Alice Keeler, co-author of the books “50 Things You Can Do with Google Classroom,” and “50 Things to Go Further with Google Classroom, A Student-Centered Approach,” and Fredi Lajvardi, nationally recognized STEM educator & subject of the critically acclaimed documentary, “Underwater Dreams,” and Major Motion Picture, “Spare Parts.” College of Education students and faculty will only be required to pay for meals to attend the Academy. Click on this link for [Registration](#).

Registration is Now Open for the AAEE Conference & Job Fair

The American Association for Employment in Education (AAEE) is hosting a Conference and Job Fair in St. Louis, MO, on November 7-9. AAEE is a national organization. You can now apply to be a conference presenter (if you're presenting at the MOASPA conference this could be another forum to share great content).

AAEE Conference <https://aaee.org/aaee2018/>

Wednesday, November 7 - Friday, November 9

Hyatt Regency St. Louis at The Arch, 315 Chestnut Street, St. Louis, MO 63102

Professional development and networking opportunities connecting:

- Education & Career Service Professionals
- K-12 Recruiters & School District Administrators
- Non-Profit and For-Profit Education Organization Colleagues

Education Career Fair

Wednesday, November 7, 2018 from 1 -4pm

Hyatt Regency St. Louis at The Arch, 315 Chestnut Street, St. Louis, MO 63102

- Candidates connect with employers for networking and employment opportunities.

News about the Missouri Educator Profile (MEP)

The state has altered requirements for admission to teacher preparation programs, and the MEP will not be required in the future. However, anyone enrolling in a course (e.g. SE350 Pedagogy 1, EL 316 Emergent and Early Literacy Instruction) that requires admission to the Teacher Preparation Program **in the fall of 2018** must still include MEP results with the application. Contact your advisor if you have questions.

MOGEA Vouchers Available

There is a limited amount of \$50 MOGEA Vouchers still available that must be used by 8/29/2018. If you would like a voucher, please send an email to coe@semo.edu.

Are you Eligible to Student Teach During the Spring 2019 Semester?

If so, applications will open **May 1st, 2018**. The deadline to apply is **August 27th, 2018**. To apply go to: <http://www.semo.edu/studentteach/apply.html>.

Please be aware that the deadline to apply for your substitute certificate is **July 23rd, 2018**. Follow this link to apply for your substitute certificate: <https://dese.mo.gov/educator-quality/certification/checklist-substitute-teachers> .

Also, know that you will be required to pass all sections of the Missouri Content Assessment (MoCA) exam prior to student teaching. Some students in the past were not able to student teach, because they waited too late to take the exam. Start taking the MoCA now so you meet the **December 3rd, 2018** deadline!!! Follow this link to register for the MoCA exams: http://www.mo.nesinc.com/PageView.aspx?f=HTML_FRAG/GENRB_TestDatesAndSites.html.

If you have any questions or concerns about the student teaching application process, please contact the Candidate Status & Certification Officer, Alicia Lincoln at aelincoln@semo.edu or 573-651-5932.

Do you have an EDvolution T-shirt?

EDvolution T-shirts are available in all sizes for only \$10! Stop by the College of Education Dean's Office, Scully 301, to purchase yours today! Cash only.

Scholarships Available

Please view this link for more information: <http://semo.edu/education/jobs/index.html>.

Looking for a Job? Check Here for Employment Opportunities

When the College of Education receives notice of job openings, those are listed here: <http://semo.edu/education/jobs/index.html>.

Materials Available for MoGEA and MoCA Preparation

The EDvolution Center has flash cards available to assist with preparing for the MoGEA and MoCA exams. These materials may be checked out. Student groups are welcome to check out a set for group study sessions. A set of materials for programs offered at the regional campuses are also available.

Teacher Candidate Presentations, Recitals, Exhibitions, etc.

If you know of an upcoming event involving one or more teacher candidates (e.g. academic presentation, recital, art exhibition, etc.), please send notice of the event to Ms.

Sherry Holder at sholder@semo.edu. We'd like to publicize these events so that members of the COE community can attend.