

Job Alike 8/21/2019

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AUGUST 21 • WEDNESDAY

7:30am – 8:00am	A	Continental Breakfast	Commons Area
8:00am – 8:50am	A	Welcome <i>Speakers: Juliet Amara</i>	Commons Area
9:00am – 9:50am	A	Opening Session <i>Speakers: Dana Carmouche, MBA</i> Whose Corner Are You In? The Fight of Your Life Are you excited and ready for the 2019-2020 school year? Join us to reignite your passion for teaching and explore how your brain learns. In this power-packed opening session, you will discover three strategies that are ready for immediate implementation to produce the greatest impact and prepare you now, for the challenges facing 21st century educators. This “fight of your life”, session will empower you to [innovate - integrate & motivate] as you determine “whose corner you’re in”. Let’s get ready to rumble!	Commons Area
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10:00am – 10:50am	B	High School to Career – 2-year degrees for high-demand, high-wage careers <i>Speakers: Patti Bell</i> Preparing for tomorrow's workforce in high school with emphasis on critical soft skills/essential skills along with technical skills.	D134
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11:00am – 11:50am	C	Sending out an SOS with Discovery Education <i>Speakers: Chelsea Murray</i> Discovery Education's Spotlight on Strategies (SOS) is a series of creative, research-based instructional strategies, presented by teachers for teachers. These strategies incorporate digital media in meaningful, effective, and practical ways. Come experience several SOS and leave with a library of 140+ strategies to use in your classroom!	B124
12:00pm – 12:50pm	A	Keynote Speaker & Lunch Keynote Speaker. Lunch will be provided.	Commons Area
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1:00pm – 3:50pm	D	Work-based Learning <i>Speakers: Monelle Rougeau</i> Participants will gain knowledge on State and Local requirements for worked-based learning. Any teacher who has students leaving campuses for paid or non-paid job training will benefit from attending this state required training. <u>Special Instructions: Only Enrolled Participants will be admitted. You must be registered to attend, and seating is limited.</u> This is a 3-hour course. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aug 21st CT_ Workbased Learning (Course 1438157) 	B200

2:00pm – 2:50pm	E	AgriLife and HISD: How can we partner to help you achieve the goals you have set for CTE in the classroom? <i>Speakers: Shannon Dietz and Laura Pace</i> Teachers will learn through a Q&A session with Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Agents what resources they can provide to teachers and students. Additionally, a short presentation will be provided by each extension agent on their respective roles and how partnerships throughout Houston can be of benefit to the educational experience for students. Teachers should be prepared to address specific opportunities they are looking for partnerships to be established.	A204
2:00pm – 2:50pm	E	Brain Pop 2.0: 21st Century Learning <i>Speakers: Dana Carmouche, MBA</i> Teacherpreneurs will discover three powerful and practical tools to develop insight into behaviors and increase overall student performance. Teacherpreneurs will leave this session with tangible skills to achieve optimal results in student learning outcomes and teacher development.	D113
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3:00pm – 3:50pm	F	2020 Drone Competition <i>Speakers: Dr. Nghia Le, Mr. David Sandifer, Mr. Chieu Tran</i> The 3rd Annual HISD Drone Competition will be held at Booker T. Washington High School. It is tentatively scheduled for mid-February of 2020. The Competition will consist of four (4) events. The first three events are: Navigation, Heavy Lift, and Coding. These events are the same as last year's except for minor rule changes. The fourth event, Drone Aerogame, is a new competition where teams of three drones will compete in the first team drone game developed by students as part of the 2019 HISD Foundation's Innovation Fund Award.	Commons Area
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3:00pm – 3:50pm	F	HUB Advanced & Updates II <i>Speakers: Jocelyn McDonald</i> Learn how to leverage some of the new features of the HUB to enhance instruction and further your technology integration practices. Create a playlist for your students, using the planner, to structure and guide your instruction. Target Audience: Teachers with 4+ years of experience.	B124
3:00pm – 3:50pm	F	Personal Finance for Students <i>Speakers: Mary Wheeler</i> The objective is to teach students the fundamentals of personal finance in order to set themselves up with a more financially literate future and impact their lives for many generations. The goal is to disrupt the process of misinformation being passed down and create a new way of thinking and feeling about what it means to build and maintain wealth.	D113
3:00pm – 3:50pm	F	Pharmacy Technician Certifications <i>Speakers: Jessica Pineda</i> Participants will learn how to plan a practicum for the pharmacy technician class and will receive certification information. Additional resources will be shared. Business Partnership: Walgreens.	B206
3:00pm – 3:50pm	F	Small Group Instruction <i>Speakers: Juliet Amara</i> CTE instructors will learn how to incorporate small group activities into the CTE classroom. This workshop will provide examples on how to incorporate various activities that foster differentiation for the ever-changing classroom.	B204
3:00pm – 3:50pm	F	Teaching and Learning with ASPIRE <i>Speakers: Giselle Montes, Assol Kavtorina, Julian Ruger, Vyshnavi Daluluri</i> M.D. Anderson: A Smoking Prevention Interactive Experience	B201
4:00pm – 4:30pm	A	Closing Remarks <i>Speakers: Juliet Amara</i> Closing remarks. Meet your fellow colleagues who teach in the same cluster. Share upcoming ideas, projects, and events. Exchange information. General announcements. Complete the Job Alike survey.	Commons Area