

PIONEERS

SHAPING THE FUTURE

Virginia's Educational Technology Leadership and
Instructional Integration Professional Development Event



VSTE's 24th Annual Technology
in Education Conference

November 30-December 2, 2009
Hotel Roanoke and Conference Center



MONDAY | NOVEMBER 30, 2009

CONFERENCE OVERVIEW

8:00 am – 5:00 pm	REGISTRATION (CONFERENCE, MINI-CONFERENCE & LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE)
10:00 am	EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE OPENING SESSION Shenandoah B
10:00 am	ITRT MINI-CONFERENCE OPENING SESSION Crystal Ballroom B
10:15 am – 11:15 am	<p>CONCURRENT SESSIONS</p> <p>Appalachian Educational Technology Leadership Institute Selection - Using Social Media to Support Learner-Generated Content - Social media crosses many boundaries of Web 2.0 technologies including blogs, wikis, and virtual communities. See how Web 2.0 technologies are woven into instruction. (Smith, Rhodes)</p> <p>Shenandoah Educational Technology Leadership Institute Selection - Digital Culture in Your Schools - Find out how establishing a digital culture in your school encourages the use of tools that facilitate the creation of a 21st Century learning environment. (Hendron)</p> <p>Crystal A ITRT Mini-Conference Selection - Salem City Schools utilizes Moodle and Google Apps to create exciting, interactive learning environment for faculty, staff and students (Sebolt, Wells)</p> <p>Crystal C ITRT Mini-Conference Selection - Become the iPioneer and learn to evaluate iPod Touch/Phone apps for instructional use. (Deaton, Comisford)</p>
11:30 am – 5:00 pm	VSTE CYBER CAFE OPEN
11:30 am – 1:30 pm	EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE LUNCH Shenandoah B
	"i-Magicators": Pioneering Spirits Who Lead Schools - with Pam Moran
11:30 am – 1:30 pm	ITRT MINI-CONFERENCE LUNCH Crystal Ballroom B
	A Tangled Web of Content Untangled for Educators - with Matt Monjan
NOON – 5:00 pm	EXHIBIT HALL OPEN Roanoke ABCD
12:30 pm – 2:45 pm	<p>BYOL/MODEL CLASSROOM EXTENDED SESSIONS</p> <p>Monroe Bringing Reading Groups to Digital Learners: Using Voice Thread in Elementary Classrooms - See how Voice Thread can be used to encourage 21st century learning in a core subject area and foster global learning. (Youel, Richardson)</p>

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12:30 pm – 2:45 pm

BYOL/MODEL CLASSROOM EXTENDED SESSIONS (CONTINUED)

Wilson

Environmental Science Web quests: Keeping Current in a Fast Paced World - Some times text book information is out of date, see how to create topical web quests for all subjects. (Freeman)

12:30 pm - 1:30 pm

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

Brush Mountain

Bridging the Gap: A Computer Recycling and Donation Program with VASTAR - See how develop your own program for computer recycling. (Hackett, Drake)

Buck Mountain AB

Internet Safety: A First Aid Kit for All Expeditions - When blazing a new trail in technology, pioneers prepare their first aid kit with digital citizenship and digital safety. (Stanley, Wierzba)

Harrison/Tyler

Accomplish Amazing Animations in the Classroom - Learn how students can create curriculum related animations using blue screens, clay figures, digital cameras, and original illustrations. (Loomis)

Mill Mountain

The 21st Century @ Your Library - School librarians are working to develop and information literate generation using 21st Century skills and standards. (Vaughan)

Pocahontas AB

iPods in the Classroom - These devices allow us to reach special needs students, gifted learners, and everyone in between. (ONeal)

Roanoke H

Discover the Possibilities with Discovery Education Digital Services - Discovery Education hosts an entire suite of products. Explore Discovery Education's Science and Health, Language Pack and Streaming Plus. (Smith)

1:00 pm - 5:00 pm

CONTINUOUS BREAK

1:45 pm – 2:45 pm

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

Appalachian

Educational Technology Leadership Institute Selection - Technology Project Management: Beware of Prairie Fires and Dirt Moats - Discover the top ten reasons projects fail and five keys to project success. (Kellison)

Shenandoah A

Educational Technology Leadership Institute Selection - Intellectual Property for Administrators - Explore four key issues in intellectual property that whose unresolved legal status cries out for policy decisions by system-wide administrators. (Johnston)

Crystal A

ITRT Mini-Conference Selection - Why Teachers Won't Integrate - Fun and interactive discussion on the latest research about factors that influence teachers to integrate technology in K-5 classrooms. (Rickman-Rogers, Baar)



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1:45 pm – 2:45 pm

CONCURRENT SESSIONS (CONTINUED)

Crystal C

ITRT Mini-Conference Selection - Insights from an ITRT and Parent Involvement Facilitator who planned and facilitated technology workshops for parents. (Horne, McGlaughlin)

Brush Mountain

Shaping the Future of "TecKNOWLEDGEy" in a Learner's Community - (Reduced Prof.Dev. Budget + .5 ITRT = a creative in-house training program). (Smith)

Buck Mountain AB

A Classroom without Walls: Using Web 2.0 Tools to Become 21st Century Global Citizens - Learn to connect your students to professionals and other classrooms, as they work on projects that aid the curriculum. (Popa, Stubbs)

Harrison/Tyler

The GoogleSpatial World: Building Students' Critical (and Spatial) Thinking Skills Across the Curriculum. (Kolvoord, Keranen)

Mill Mountain

Using 21st Century Skills to Explore History and Democracy - Combine authentic scenarios, both historic and current, with an innovative web tool to help kids explore and experience how different perspectives and collaboration work in a democracy. (Wozniak)

Pocahontas AB

Pioneering SmartPhones for Students in School - See how a SmartPhone deployment initiative has been pioneered - from AUP to lesson plans. (Sylvester)

Roanoke H

Learn What They Know, Teach What They Need - Discovery Education Assessment contains the tools you need to quickly and accurately measure knowledge, identify weaknesses, remediate, and predict student performance with accuracy! (Smith)

Washington Lecture Hall

VSTE First Timer's Session for Pioneer Types - New to the Conference? Be sure to get your first timer's orientation, addressing the conference events, facility, activities, and background information. (Harazin)

3:00 pm – 5:15 pm

BYOL/MODEL CLASSROOM EXTENDED SESSIONS

Monroe

Join the Pod - Come whaling with us for this interactive beginner podcasting session. Learn to develop your own podcast and strategies for release. (Waller, Liggan)

Wilson

Design for the Non-Designer - Apply a few basic principles of graphic design that will take everything you do to the next level. (Gerstner)

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3:00 pm – 4:00 pm

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

Appalachian

[Educational Technology Leadership Institute Selection](#) - Being a Pioneer. How embedding digital courses and educational technology on a school-wide basis is shaping the future of my school and district. (Eichorn)

Shenandoah A

[Educational Technology Leadership Institute Selection](#) - The Promise of Universal Design for Learning for the Classroom of the Future: Assuring Access and Success for All Students - Learn the central tenets of UDL, accessible classrooms, and best practices/resources in the field. (Landeros-Dugourd)

Crystal A

[ITRT Mini-Conference Selection](#) - Digital Movie Making in the Web 2.0 World - Explore media creation with digital storytelling, using Discovery Education streaming and Web 2.0 applications. (Monjan)

Crystal C

[ITRT Mini-Conference Selection](#) - How to get around your school's internet security: if the kids know, so should you. (Fabian)

Brush Mountain

Stock Market, Mortgages, and Credit Cards! Do YOUR Students Understand the Current Financial Crisis? - Teach financial literacy to students of all ages, with a variety of online tools and resources. (Stubbs, Popa)

Harrison/Tyler

Promethean Flipchart Bootcamp - Educators show off innovative ideas for creating, engaging, interactive flipcharts using ActivInspire software by Promethean. (Cantor, Hendron)

Mill Mountain

Pioneering the Classroom Frontier: Mapping Instruction by Making Data-Driven Decisions using Google Forms. (Carter, Hatcher)

Pocahontas AB

Digital Storytelling Cookbook: A Recipe for Enhancing Literacy. (Kelly, Sutton)

Roanoke H

The Digital Scientist - Incorporating Digital Labs, Interactive Videos, and Formative Assessment into our Classroom. (Smith)

Tinker Mountain

AIM-VA: Providing Alternate Formats of Texts for Students with IEPs. (Smith)



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4:15 pm – 4:30 pm	EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE CLOSING SESSION Shenandoah B
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4:15 pm – 4:30 pm	CONCURRENT SESSIONS Bent Mountain Shortcuts for Success with CPS Clickers, ExamView Learning Series, and the Inter-write Mobi! (Agee, Williams) Brush Mountain Laptops & Netbooks! Education Good. Support Nightmare - Look at strategies for a successful deployment. (Dillon, Gilbert) Harrison/Tyler SCRATCH Fever: Science and Math in Scratch Programming - Engage and motivate your students by incorporating the Scratch programming language into your math or science classroom. (Kelleher) Mill Mountain “EZ Does It!”: Using Technology to Support Diverse Learners -Shaping the future of education relies on our abilities to differentiate learning that is relevant and challenging for students. Learn “EZ” ways to support learning. (Tracy, Morrissette) Pocahontas AB Global Rock Stars--Building a Community of Learners - Celebrate community building through the integration of science, music, and collaborative technologies. (Gagliolo) Roanoke H Discover the Possibilities with Discovery Education Digital Services - Discovery Education hosts an entire suite of products. Explore Discovery Education’s Science and Health, Language Pack and Streaming Plus. (Smith) Tinker Mountain Explore Broadcast Media and Become a Television Technology Trailblazer! - A new frontier in broadcasting awaits those brave enough to take the first step toward creative and engaging student media. (Rhudy) Washington Lecture Hall PowerPoint as a Multimedia Platform - Join us as we explore the necessary (and not-so-scary) steps for building an engaging multimedia presentation. (Monjan)
5:00 pm	REGISTRATION CLOSÉS
6:00 pm	EXHIBIT HALL CLOSÉS
8:30 pm – 11:00 pm	MONDAY PIONEERS (ATTENDEES AND GUESTS) Explore Web 2.0 with Pioneer Movie (Washington Lecture Hall) VSTE Board Game Night (Crystal A) Second Life Pioneering New Frontiers (Roanoke FG) Wii for the Future (Crystal B) VSTE Pioneers of Rock Fest! (Crystal C)

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7:00 am – 4:00 pm	REGISTRATION OPENS
7:00 am – 9:00 am	CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST (INCLUDED WITH REGISTRATION)
8:00 am – 9:30 am	CONFERENCE GENERAL SESSION AND KEYNOTE PRESENTATION Crystal Ballroom ABCD <i>CONSUMERS TO CREATORS: THE CONTENT CREATING CLASSROOM - WITH MATT MONJAN</i>
9:00 am – 4:00 pm	EXHIBIT HALL OPEN Roanoke Ballroom ABCD
9:00 am – 4:00 pm	CONTINUOUS BREAK
9:00 am – 4:00 pm	VSTE CYBER CAFE OPEN
9:45 am – 12:00 pm	BYOL/MODEL CLASSROOM EXTENDED SESSIONS

TUESDAY

Monroe

Using Cell Phones as Instructional Tools - Learn to use the calculator to create engaging 21st century lessons. Bring a fully charged cell phone! (Rogers, Tupponce)

Roanoke F

Gathering Supplies - Pioneers Get Started in Second Life! (Harrison)

Shenandoah B

Virginia's ITRTs: Are they Making an Impact? How Can we Tell? - ITRTs share four years of progress in measuring the impact of our staff development team.. (Streich, Team)

Wilson

Shaping Future Scientists Using Google Apps - Discover a new way to help your students experience the collaborative nature of scientific investigations. (Raileanu, Jackowicz)

9:45 am – 10:45 am	CONCURRENT SESSIONS
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Appalachian

Fairfax County Public Schools – Keeping 30,000 Daily Wireless Users Connected - Learn about the successful migration from a stand-alone wireless access point to a centralized Lightweight Access Point Protocol. (Shelton)

Bent Mountain

Engaging the Learner In-Class or Online - with SoftChalk - Learn how easily you can deliver these interactive online lessons - through learning management systems, in a computer lab, on file servers or interactive white boards! (Saltzberg)

Brush Mountain

Searching for VSTE Pioneers to Help Shape the Future - Come find out all the different areas you can get involved with VSTE, starting TODAY! Your participation is only limited by your available time. Check it out. (Gorham)



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CONFERENCE OVERVIEW

9:45 am – 10:45 am

CONCURRENT SESSIONS (CONTINUED)

Buck Mountain AB

Engagement Is Not Optional - Interactive classroom tools and access to media can combine to transform the traditional classroom into an audience participation event. (Scott)

Harrison/Tyler

The Team. Approach to Technology Integration - Hear what teachers have to say about podcasting on the second day of school, creating claymation movies, blogging current topics, and much more! (Aldrich, Bean)

Mill Mountain

There's an App for That: 60 iPhone Apps in 60 Minutes - Find out what apps have the potential to change your classrooms and see them all in action. (Owens, Owens)

Roanoke E

Promethean and Beyond - If you have never experienced the Promethean's 21st Century Classroom, come and explore our software and hardware along with what makes it uniquely interactive to students and teachers. (Ropp)

Roanoke H

Discover the Possibilities with Discovery Education Digital Services - Discovery Education hosts an entire suite of products. Explore Discovery Education's Science and Health, Language Pack and Streaming Plus. (Smith)

Shenandoah A

COPYRIGHT CONCERNS? YOU'VE GOT QUESTIONS; WE'VE GOT ANSWERS - Get an update on current copyright issues impacting schools in general. Then bring your individual copyright questions and concerns so we can all share our wisdom. (Johnston)

11:00 pm - NOON

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

Appalachian

Pioneer on the Trail of Personal Finances/Economics using Google Docs - Personal Finance/Economics is now a requirement so why not find an authentic way of using Google Docs to make your students learning experience unforgettable. (Osborne, Harris)

Bent Mountain

Expert Space: Pioneering A Digital Curriculum for the 21st Century - The future of science and social studies is online where students can access content anytime, anywhere and with any level of support. (Danylchak)

Buck Mountain AB

Using FOG (Free Open-Source Ghost): A Free Computer Cloning Solution - See how to set up a fog server and ways to automate your imaging processes. (Beemer)

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11:00 am – NOON

CONCURRENT SESSIONS (CONTINUED)

Crystal AB

Learning Hacks - Learn how 21st century skills and constructionist learning theory combine to support the focus on 21st century skills in your school or district using technology and sound pedagogy. (Hendron, Cantor)

Harrison/Tyler

Listen for Perfection: Using Digital Voice Recorders in Foreign Language Class - Come see how foreign language department teachers and the ITRT offered students an exciting way to improve their language fluency. (Bellido, Beckner)

Roanoke E

Exploring Resources - Use these gems to make your life easier and jazz up your flip charts at the same time! (Izquierdo)

Roanoke H

Learn What They Know, Teach What They Need - Discovery Education Assessment contains the tools you need to quickly and accurately measure knowledge, identify weaknesses, remediate, and predict student performance with accuracy! (Smith)

Shenandoah A

Wagon Masters Exploring Through Middle School Math Instruction Utilizing Technology. (Ulsh)

Tinker Mountain

Bringing Career and Technical Education into the 21st Century - See how to use technology to enhance your teaching while providing students with portable skills they can use in college or the workforce. (Gannon)

Washington Lecture Hall

Bend it, Break it, Bust it Loose - 10 Ways Discovery Education Streaming Can Change the "Established" Model. (Monjan)

NOON – 2:00 pm

LUNCH (WITH REGISTRATION)

NOON – 2:00 pm

EXHIBIT HALL EXPLORATION

1:30 pm – 3:45 pm

BYOL/MODEL CLASSROOM EXTENDED SESSIONS

Monroe

Pioneering into the Future with Children's Engineering - Come see how easy it is to differentiate and incorporate 21st Century skills, such as problem solving and critical thinking to create a classroom full of engineers! (Kautz-Scanavy, Riley)

Roanoke F

Westward Ho - Pioneers Hit the Trail in Second Life! - Discover where to go for help, places for free clothes, hair, shoes, and objects. Plus learn about groups that ALL educators should join. (Alconcel)



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1:30 pm – 3:45 pm

BYOL/MODEL CLASSROOM EXTENDED SESSIONS (CONTINUED)

Wilson

Scratch Workshop - Learn the basics of creating dynamic projects using this powerful but free software application and website. (Hendron)

1:30 pm – 2:30 pm

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

Bent Mountain

ExamView integration. (Agee, Williams)

Brush Mountain

VSTE Annual Meeting: What's Happening? - Help shape future initiatives, get involved with upcoming efforts, and catch the excitement of being an active VSTE member. (Gorham)

Buck Mountain AB

Shaking up Your Centers: A Web Showcase - Looking for sites, programs, and tools for students to use during your center rotation? (Stephenson)

Crystal AB

Technology Treasures on your Desktop - New found uses for familiar software programs that you already own or that can be downloaded for free. Don't let tight budgets bind your technological creativity. (Kelly, Adams)

Crystal E

ShareFair - ITRT + Library Media Specialists + ART= A Winning Combination! - Mix technology and art tools to create some amazing projects! See how to integrate your curriculum using everything from empty wine bottles to free online programs! (Phillips, Siegel)

Crystal E

ShareFair - Students Touching the Future of ELL Students - See how gifted students used podcasting and iPod Touches to help ELL students learn English. (Lintecum, Eden)

Crystal E

ShareFair - Engaging Students Through Active Technology Integrators and Projects - Receive a packet of ideas exploring a variety of collaborative projects ranging from pre-K to grade 12. (Morton, Ashley)

Crystal E

ShareFair - Seahawks...Take a Look at Our Future! Let's Make a Change! (Howard, Driscoll)

Harrison/Tyler

Repersonalizing the Future: Using Audio Files to Respond to Student Writing - Want to let your students know you value their work, even when you're not together? (Johnston)

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CONFERENCE OVERVIEW

1:30 pm – 2:30 pm

CONCURRENT SESSIONS (CONTINUED)

Mill Mountain

Real World Math: Using Technology to Build Context - Building real world context in the mathematics classroom can be difficult, but with some creative uses of technology it can be a snap! (Blanton)

Roanoke E

New Self-Paced Expressions - Students have the opportunity to work at their own pace and explore lessons at all levels; as teachers monitor the progress! (Talaiver)

Roanoke H

The Digital Scientist - Incorporating Digital Labs, Interactive Videos, and Formative Assessment into your Classroom. (Smith)

Shenandoah A

Internet Safety for "Teachers": Be A PIONEER of Social Networking - With Facebook, Twitter and Skype, teachers can connect and stay up-to-date with our ever-changing society. (Wallace, Bowen)

Washington Lecture Hall

Avoiding the Demise of the Dinosaur, Part II: Promoting Disruptive Innovation in the Educational Community - See a demonstration of how technology can facilitate increased relevant and rigorous learning for students. (Moran)

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2:45 pm – 3:45 pm

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

Bent Mountain

Interwrite SchoolPad's Award-winning Big Brother and his new Award-winning Collaborative Whiteboard software. (Agee)

Buck Mountain AB

Google Earth as a Tool for Portfolio Based World Geography Instruction - 400 years after Columbus dropped the flat earth theory, you too can move to a three-dimensional model. (Scott, Allen)

Crystal AB

All Roads Lead From Richmond: Exploring Virtual Tours at the Virginia State Capitol - Learn how to use blogs and screencasts, and to integrate video, interactive maps, audio, text, and still images into your curriculum. (Carsillo)

Harrison/Tyler

Math the SMART Way - Do you want to shape your math lessons to make them futuristic, fantastic and fun? See how free math websites can be integrated into your curriculum through the use of the SMART Board. (Rosenthal)

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2:45 pm – 3:45 pm

CONCURRENT SESSIONS (CONTINUED)

Mill Mountain

Research in the Age of Wikipedia - What does it mean to do research when resources like Wikipedia claim our attention? Come find out how to be research pioneers in this brave new world of information? (Richardson)

Pocahontas AB

Digital Movie Making in the Web 2.0 World - Explore the elements of storytelling. Learn how to combine Discovery Education streaming with Web 2.0 applications. (Monjan)

Roanoke E

Games Pioneering the Future - GAMES! Students love them and they are perfect for differentiation. Come and see how easy and fun Promethean has made it for teachers and students! (Izquierdo)

Roanoke H

Discover the Possibilities with Discovery Education Digital Services - Discovery Education hosts an entire suite of products. Explore Discovery Education's Science and Health, Language Pack and Streaming Plus. (Smith)

Tinker Mountain

You Don't Have Too Much Information. You're Using the Wrong Tools - If you keep information in bookmarks, and dozens of documents and folders, STOP! You're wasting time and losing stuff. (Stahmer)

4:00 pm – 5:00 pm

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

Appalachian

Mission Possible: Embracing and excelling ESLs - Your mission should you choose to accept it, discover tips and projects that work with ESL students. (Toole, Jr.)

Brush Mountain

Advocating for Technology in Education from Your Classroom to the Universe - Explore ways to combine your passion for technology in education with some simple yet effective strategies to become a true advocate. (Blanton)

Buck Mountain AB

Using Google Reader and RSS for Personal Professional Development - Find out how to use Google reader to capture information from RSS feeds and add another tool to your Personal Learning Network. (Stephenson)

Crystal E

ShareFair - Satellite Imagery, Global Positional Systems (GPS) and Geographic Information Systems (GIS) Technologies: Tools for the Classroom - See examples that range from very simple to complex and that represent several curriculum areas. (Hoffman, McCray)

Crystal E

ShareFair - Strategies That Work - Getting Technology in the Classroom - Hampton ITRTs share the real-life stories of strategies that have led to technology integration and collaboration in the classroom. (Harper-Neeley, Jones)

TUESDAY

CONFERENCE OVERVIEW

4:00 pm – 5:00 pm

CONCURRENT SESSIONS (CONTINUED)

Crystal E

ShareFair - City-Wide Technology Exposition - Tech Expo! - Find out how to get teachers and staff from your district to show up to learn about technology. (Lambert, Jones)

Crystal E

ShareFair - Pioneer Projects - Explore innovative, student-centered, projects which you can integrate into your instruction. (Comisford)

Harrison/Tyler

Using Academic Software to Standardize Gifted Curriculum in a Large Metropolitan School District - See how we are using technology as a resource for teachers in planning lessons that meet state, local, and gifted education standards. (Schoenly)

Mill Mountain

Pioneering IT Service Management through ITIL - Learn about ITIL, a set of industry best practices for IT Service Management, and how one school division is seeing success in adopting it. (Smith)

Roanoke E

Pioneering an Engaging Flipchart - Come experience how to make your dull flipcharts more interactive and engaging for your students, by adding actions, containers, restrictors, sound and media. (Ropp)

Roanoke F

Blazing the Trail - Harnessing the Power of Second Life for Professional Development - Walk away with content resources, a list of high-interest places to explore and information about the groups all educators should join in Second Life. (Booz)

Roanoke H

The Digital Scientist - Incorporating Digital Labs, Interactive Videos, and Formative Assessment into your Classroom. (Smith)

Buck Mountain AB

Google Earth as a Tool for Portfolio Based World Geography Instruction - 400 years after Columbus dropped the flat earth theory, you too can move to a three-dimensional model. (Scott, Allen)

Shenandoah A

Pioneers in Podcasting and Vodcasting: Creating Real-World Experiences for 21st Century Learners - Teachers share a project in which students create informative news broadcasts involving natural disasters and weather related events. (Lancaster, Dyson)

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7:00 am – 9:00 am

CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST (INCLUDED WITH REGISTRATION)

7:00 am – 11:00 am

VSTE CYBER CAFE OPEN

7:30 am – 9:45 am

BYOL/MODEL CLASSROOM EXTENDED SESSIONS

Roanoke F

Breaking Ground: Pioneers Getting Settled in Second Life! - Create your Second Life personal learning network and discover educational places to explore. (Doss)

Wilson

Building Tours in Google Earth - Build rich multimedia tours for learning using Google Earth. (Stahmer)

7:30 am – 8:30 am

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

Brush Mountain

Pioneer Technology Innovations 2009 - Where innovators come together alongside the VSTE Innovations Committee to share best practices on the leading edge. (Hendron, Allen)

Harrison/Tyler

Team-Based Movie Making for Constructing Scientific Knowledge in the Middle School Classroom - Examine the effect of digital movie making on students' understanding of science concepts. (Purcell, Wilcox)

Mill Mountain

Rewriting the Secondary English Classroom for the Digital Age Student - Bring Secondary English classrooms into the digital age using Web 2.0 tools. (Mulholland, Pixley)

Roanoke E

Promethean "What's New?" - Take a sneak peek at some of Promethean's upcoming new features such as the Activ-Arena. (Talaiver)

Roanoke H

Discover the Possibilities with Discovery Education Digital Services - Discovery Education hosts an entire suite of products. Explore Discovery Education's Science and Health, Language Pack and Streaming Plus. (Smith)

Tinker Mountain

UBOnline Initiative: TRIO Pioneers Reshaping Future Teaching and Learning Experiences for First Generation College Students - Discover how TRIO provides socio-economically disadvantaged students opportunities to shape their future. (Cobb Jr, Rhodes)

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CONCURRENT SESSIONS

Appalachian

Going the Distance: Virtual Learning for Every Classroom - Using interactive videoconferencing and Web 2.0 tools, the MathScience Innovation Center is teaching advanced science and math to classrooms across our consortia. (Marshall, Kelleher)

Brush Mountain

Trailblazing With Technology: How to Design, Develop, and Deliver Dynamic Digital Lessons - Digital lessons and dynamic teaching can keep boredom and bandits at bay! Achieve SOL success with all your pioneers! (Miller)

Buck Mountain AB

Google Apps for Education, Part 1: The Process - Thinking about a Google Apps Education Account for your faculty and students? Hear how we made the move. (Dixon, Beemer)

Crystal AB

Building a Bigger Builder - Your Guide to the DE Streaming Tools - Incorporate Web 2.0 tools with DE streaming builders. (Monjan)

Harrison/Tyler

Questers Blazing a Trail into the Future - Blaze a new trail experience with 3D multi-user ga.m.es to immerse elementary students in educational tasks. (Davis, Carpenter)

Mill Mountain

Twitter Me This: Tools to Create Your Personal Learning Network - Explore Web 2.0 tools to create your network. (Blanton)

Roanoke E

Encore Session: Pioneering and Engaging Flipcharts - Come experience how to make your dull flipcharts more interactive and engaging for your students, by adding actions, containers, restrictors, sound and media. (Ropp)

Roanoke H

Learn What They Know, Teach What They Need - Discovery Education Assessment contains the tools you need to quickly and accurately measure knowledge, identify weaknesses, remediate, and predict student performance with accuracy! (Smith)

Shenandoah A

Discovering Uncharted Territories with the iPod Touch - Explore ideas and ways to incorporate iPod touch into any curriculum. (Byrd, Evans)

9:00 am – 11:30 am

CONTINUOUS BREAK



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10:00 am – 11:00 am

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

Appalachian

Project iRead: iPods Shaping the Future of Fluency Instruction - Learn how to use iPods to deliver proven reading interventions. (Walsh)

Buck Mountain AB

Google Apps for School Divisions - Part 2, Collaboration - How-to's and tips for Google Apps. (Dixon, Beemer)

Crystal AB

Bend it, Break it, Bust it Loose - 10 Ways DE Streaming Can Change the "Established" Model - New and exciting ways to incorporate media and technology into the classroom. (Monjan)

Mill Mountain

Take the High Road - Discover free and minimal cost resources for assistive technology use. (Koch, Liggan)

Roanoke E

Promethean Q & A and Work Session - Hands-on time with Promethean Products. (Learning Consultants)

Roanoke F

Corporate Training gets "MUVE"d - Second Life goes into the board room to deliver instruction. (Dannenberg)

Roanoke H

The Digital Scientist - Incorporating Digital Labs, Interactive Videos, and Formative Assessment into your Classroom. (Smith)

Shenandoah A

Think Outside the Ban! Do Cell Phones have a Place in 21st Century Learning? - Bring your phone and see how to expand the walls of your classroom! (Speidel)

Tinker Mountain

The Paperless Classroom - Hear how a traditional classroom went paperless. (Boger)

11:30 am – 12:15 pm

CLOSING SPOTLIGHT SESSION

Roanoke ABCD

A DOSE OF TWITTER FOR EVERY DAY OF THE YEAR - WITH KATHY SCHROCK

12:15 pm – 1:00 pm

LUNCH (INCLUDED WITH REGISTRATION)

Roanoke ABCD

1:00 pm – 1:45 pm

DOOR PRIZES

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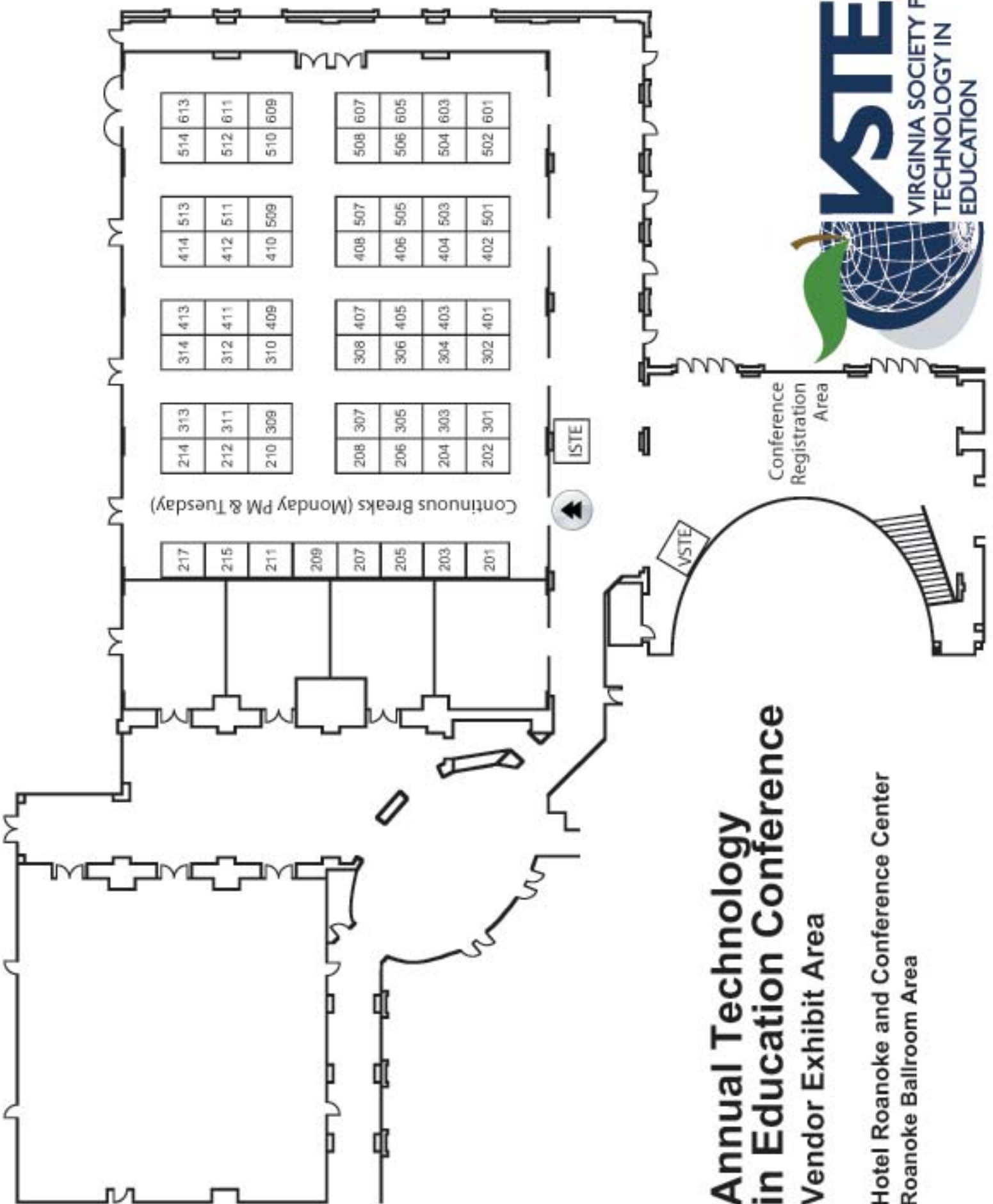
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