

GEORGIA ASSOCIATION OF TEACHER EDUCATORS  
GEORGIA ASSOCIATION OF COLLEGES FOR TEACHER EDUCATION  
GEORGIA ASSOCIATION OF INDEPENDENT COLLEGES OF TEACHER EDUCATION

CALL FOR PROPOSALS  
2009 ANNUAL CONFERENCE  
OCTOBER 7 - 9, 2009

**TEACHER PREPARATION  
IN CHANGING TIMES:**

**TAKING ACTION WITH  
AN INCLUSIVE**

**VISION**

PLEASE SHARE COPIES WITH YOUR COLLEAGUES  
FOR CONFERENCE REGISTRATION INFORMATION.

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# *Georgia Association of Teacher Educators*

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## **The Jekyll Island Club Hotel**

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Reservations must be made by **September 7, 2009** to receive the conference rate.

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*The theme for the 2009 Annual GATE/GACTE/GAICTE Conference asks us to explore how all stakeholders prepare and mentor new educators in these changing times. Our professional organizations are committed to being proactive, visionary, and inclusive.*

***Proposals are requested which address the following strands:***

*Advocacy*  
*Inclusion*  
*Collaboration*  
*Change Agents*  
*Diversity*  
*Open Theme*

*Individuals are invited to submit proposals for the presentation of a paper, a panel discussion, or a workshop. Participatory formats are especially encouraged. All sessions will be 50 minutes in length. Please submit a cover page and a 200-300 word abstract that describes how the presentation is aligned to the conference theme and strand as well as practical applications. Do not send complete papers.*

***See the attached call for proposals guidelines. Electronic submissions are encouraged!***

**All presenters and co-presenters must register for the conference by September 7, 2009**

**Proposal materials are to be received NO LATER THAN August 1, 2009.**

A committee comprised of members of GATE will review the proposals. Send or e-mail proposals to:

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**For our K-12 colleagues, one PLU credit will be available for conference attendance. Details will be posted on the GATE web site - [www.gaate.org](http://www.gaate.org).**

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ABSTRACT OF PROPOSALS FOR PAPER PRESENTATIONS, PANEL DISCUSSIONS, OR WORKSHOPS MUST INCLUDE:

1. **Cover page:** Use the form below as the cover page for submission of the abstract. Include the title of the paper to be listed in the conference program; the full name, address, organizational affiliation, telephone/fax numbers and e-mail of all authors; and a one paragraph description (30 words or less) of the presentation for the conference program.
2. **Two copies of the proposal:** Send two (2) copies of the proposal for the presentation. The proposal may not be longer than two (2) pages (200-300 words) and the document should include only the full title of the paper , panel discussion, or workshop and the proposal.

Proposals must be received NO LATER THAN August 1, 2009 for the conference committee to review. Send or e-mail the proposal to:

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Session title: \_\_\_\_\_

Presenter/contact person: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

List co-presenters and their institutions and mailing address:

Summary for the conference program (30 words or less):

All presenters must pre-register for the conference by September 7, 2009 to be included in printed program. GATE will provide an overhead projector if you request one. Please plan to bring other equipment needed for your presentation with you.

I will \_\_\_\_\_ or will not \_\_\_\_\_ need an overhead projector (Please check one).

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_