### ATEC HIGHLIGHTS

The 2015 Athletic Training Educators’ Conference offers five plenary and 12 breakout sessions. Additional highlights include a welcome reception, peer-to-peer presentations, poster presentations, a model practice showcase featuring quick presentations on future directions in athletic training, and the Distinguished Athletic Training Educator Luncheon.

### ATEC SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

#### REGISTRATION & CHECK-IN
- **FRIDAY 1-8 p.m.**
- **SATURDAY 6:30-10:00 a.m.**

#### ATEC PROGRAMMING

**FRIDAY** **FEBRUARY 27**
- **7:10 p.m.** | Grand Ballroom Welcome
  - NATA President-Elect Scott Sailor, EdD, ATC
- **7:10-7:20 p.m.** | Grand Ballroom Executive Committee for Education Update
  - Russ Richardson, EdD, ATC
- **7:20-8:00 p.m.** | Grand Ballroom
  - Where is Your Athletic Training Program Housed?
  - Presented by the Executive Committee for Education
  - Russ Richardson, EdD, ATC
- **8:00-8:30 p.m.** | Grand Ballroom Instructor Expertise vs. Competency and Student Learning: Impact and Strategies
  - Paula Sammarone Turco, EdD, LAT, ATC
- **8:30-9:00 p.m.** | Grand Ballroom Model Practices (3)

**SATURDAY** **FEBRUARY 28**
- **9-10:00 a.m.** | Grand Ballroom
  - Seeking Greater Relevance for Athletic Training Education Within American Higher Education and the Healthcare Professions
  - David Perrin, PhD, ATC
- **10:10-15 a.m.** | Grand Ballroom Professional Education Committee Update
  - Jolene Henning, EdD, ATC

**PEER-TO-PEER DISCUSSIONS**
- **10:30-11:30 a.m.** | Stemmons Ballroom A
  - Hi! I’m New Here: Strategies to Educate the Young Professional as a Preceptor
  - Laura Kunikel, MS, ATC and Michael Baum, MA, ATC, PES
- **10:30-11:30 a.m.** | Stemmons Ballroom B
  - Transitioning Newly Certified Athletic Trainers Into Clinical Practice: Beyond Academic Preparation
  - Stacy Walker, PhD, ATC and Ashley Thrasher, MS, ATC, CSCS
- **10:30-11:30 a.m.** | Stemmons Ballroom C
  - Best Practices in Graduate Level Professional Programs
  - Valerie W. Herzog, EdD, LAT, ATC and Linda Stark Bobo, PhD, ATC, CES
- **10:30-11:30 a.m.** | Batik
  - Mentor Programming for New Faculty
  - Christopher Nightingale, EdD, ATC and Deena Albert-Parks, MS, ATC

**BREAKOUT SESSIONS**
- **1:45-2:30 p.m.** | Cardinal
  - Facilitating Mentorship within Athletic Training Clinical Education
  - Sara Nottingham, EdD, ATC and Stephanie Mazerolle, PhD, ATC
- **10:30-11:30 a.m.** | Fleur-de-lis
  - What Objective Measures Determine Success for Professional Education in Athletic Training?
  - Kirk Armstrong, EdD, ATC and Gail Sandperli, EdD, ATC
- **12-1:30 p.m.** | Grand Ballroom
  - Robert S. Behnke Keynote Addresses & Distinguished Athletic Training Educator Luncheon

**SUNDAY** **MARCH 1**
- **8:45 a.m.** | Grand Ballroom
  - Eric Sauers, PhD, ATC, FNATA
- **8:45-9:15 a.m.** | Grand Ballroom
  - Integrating Applied Research Experiences in Professional Athletic Training Programs.
  - Anh-Dung Nguyen, PhD, ATC and David Bazette-Jones, PhD, ATC, CSCS
- **9:15-9:30 a.m.** | Break
- **9:30-10:30 a.m.** | Grand Ballroom Model Practices (7)
- **10:30-11:15 a.m.** | Grand Ballroom CAATE-BOC-CEC Open Forum

**PEER-TO-PEER DISCUSSIONS**
- **11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.** | Stemmons Ballroom A
  - Hi! I’m New Here: Strategies to Educate the Young Professional as a Preceptor
  - Laura Kunikel, MS, ATC and Michael Baum, MA, ATC, PES

### ELECTIVE WORKSHOPS

**FRIDAY** **FEBRUARY 27**
- **3:30-5:30 p.m.** | Grand Ballroom CAAE Update and Open Forum (2 CEUs)
  - Presented by CAATE President R. Mark Laursen, MS, ATC, and members of the CAATE

**SATURDAY** **FEBRUARY 28**
- **7-8:45 a.m.** | Stemmons Ballroom A
  - Writing High Quality Exam Questions (1.75 CEUs)
  - Presented by the Board of Certification, Inc.
  - Jill Dale, MS, ATC and Kristi White, PhD, ATC
- **7-8:45 a.m.** | Stemmons Ballroom B
  - Teaching Critical Appraisal and Application of Research Findings (1.75 CEUs)
  - Presented by the Journal of Athletic Training
  - Craig Denegar, PhD, PT, ATC, FNATA and Jay Hertel, PhD, ATC, FNATA
- **7-8:45 a.m.** | Stemmons Ballroom C
  - New Directions in Athletic Training Education Publishing: Strengthening our Future through Our Research (1.75 CEUs)
  - Kimberly S. Peer, EdD, ATC, FNATA
  - Presented by the Athletic Training Education Journal
- **7-8:45 a.m.** | Batik
  - Resources for Educators, Clinical Faculty/Preceptors – How Evidence Supports our Professional Growth (1.75 CEUs)
  - Patricia M. Tripp, PhD, LAT, ATC, CSCS and Valerie R. Moody, PhD, ATC, LAT, CSCS, WEMT-B
  - Presented by the NATA Research and Education Foundation
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