~ OCTAE Update ~

NASDCTEc Fall Meeting
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Topics

- WIOA and Perkins: Intersections and Opportunities
- National Activities
- “AUA”
WIOA and Perkins

• Career pathways mentioned 21 times!

• Intersections and opportunities:
  – State and local boards
  – Combined state plans
  – “Career services”

• “Flipped classroom” on PCRN – http://cte.ed.gov
National Activities

- Career pathways systems
- Employability skills
- Information dissemination
- Challenges, simulations, and innovations
Why Challenges?

• Allows for rapid product development
• Brings multiple innovative solutions to the CTE community
• Provides incentives for developers to partner with CTE
• Increases awareness of CTE
• Positions CTE as a leader in innovation
Upcoming Challenges

• Career Counseling App Challenge

• Educational Simulations (EdSim) Challenge
Career Counseling App Challenge

• Increase the capacity career counselors
• Prize competition
• Mobile app
• Career information and exploration
• Personalized
• Customizable
EdSim Challenge

• Build the capacity of CTE programs
• Increase access to CTE programs
• Spur the development of open-design immersive simulations
• Encourage connectivity of simulations
• Anywhere, Any Device, Anytime
Stay tuned!

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