

## 2018 CABE/CAPSS Convention

# Connecticut's Future: Transforming Schools, Transforming Lives

*The CABE/CAPSS Convention provides Connecticut board of education members and superintendents the opportunity to acquire knowledge through general sessions and workshops that can help them prepare students to be successful in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century. Attend the Convention and experience a day-and-a-half focused on student growth. Hear from top-level education thought leaders on the latest educational initiatives, celebrate Connecticut's talented students, network with school leaders from throughout the State, and be energized by student performers on Friday and Saturday mornings and the student display on Friday. Experience the innovation of vendors in the Exhibit Hall on Friday!*

### Be Inspired! Choose From More Than 30 Dynamic Sessions - A Sampling:

- Designing Our Districts with the End in Mind: Leveraging a Portrait of the Graduate
- Moving the Race Conversation Forward
- Getting Community Partnerships Right!
- Mindfulness and Purpose: Bringing a Focus on the Whole Child to Life
- The Five Questions School Boards Should Ask
- Unsocial Media: Cyberbullying, Sexting, and How to Regulate Communications in the Digital Age
- Simple Strategies for Improving Your School Public Relations

### General Session Speakers

#### Friday Morning - Marc Brackett

*Founding Director of the Yale Center for Emotional Intelligence and Professor in the Child Study Center, Yale University.*

Watch your email and the CABE website for additional speaker announcements.

**Get the latest information on the CABE/CAPSS Convention at [www.cabe.org/page.cfm?p=1145](http://www.cabe.org/page.cfm?p=1145).**

### Benefits of Attending

- Ensure you understand the skills that will enable students to be successful in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century by attending a variety of thought-provoking workshops, clinics and general sessions delivered by local and national experts.
- Potentially save your district money and enable staff to be more efficient by speaking with vendors in the Exhibit Hall.
- Connect with other members of Connecticut's educational leadership community to find invaluable support by sharing experiences and solutions with others.

### Hotel Reservations

Mystic Marriott Hotel  
625 North Road, Route 117, Groton, CT 06340

Those attending the annual CABE/CAPSS Convention have been guaranteed a room rate of \$153.

This rate of \$153 is guaranteed only until **4:00 pm on October 17, 2018**. After this date, reservations for Convention participants are based on availability and are offered at the prevailing rate.

You may make reservations with the Mystic Marriott online through [www.cabe.org/page.cfm?p=1145](http://www.cabe.org/page.cfm?p=1145). The negotiated rate code is already entered in the appropriate field, allowing you to quickly make your room reservation. You may also call the hotel's reservation department at 877-901-6632. Purchase orders are NOT accepted; however, credit cards are accepted.

## Register Early and Save Money

Follow the simple instructions on the early pre-registration form.

Only 2018-2019 CABE member districts and CAPSS member superintendents are eligible to take advantage of early registration for the 2018 Convention.

# Convention At A Glance (6/14/18)

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### Friday, November 16, 2018

7:30 - 8:30 AM	<b>Registration Begins</b> .....	Mystic Ballroom
	<b>Networking and Continental Breakfast   Exhibit Area Opens</b> .....	Mystic Ballroom
8:30 - 10:45 AM	<b>Welcome</b> Marriott Ballroom	
	<b>Student Performance   Remarks   CAPSS Superintendent of the Year</b>	
	<b>Keynote Address - <i>Marc Brackett</i></b>	
9:00 AM - 4:00 PM	<b>Talented Student Showcase</b> .....	Marriott Ballroom Lobby
10:45 AM - 12:05 PM	<b>Session A Workshops</b>	
	A1 Policy (HPBAS, I, DEE, SGWB)	
	A2 Designing Our Districts with the End in Mind: Leveraging a Portrait of the Graduate (HPBAS, I, DEE, SGWB)	
	A3 Workshop presented by General Session speaker Marc Brackett (SGWB)	
	A4 Increase Capacity through a Design Thinking and LEAN Approach (HPBAS, I, DEE)	
	A5 Revisiting School Safety: Renewed Cooperation for Safer Schools (SGWB)	
	A6 Moving the Race Conversation Forward (DEE)	
	A7 Understanding Connecticut's Freedom of Information Act (HPBAS)	
	A8 Meeting with the State Board of Education (HPBAS, I, DEE, SGWB)	
12:05 - 12:35 PM	<b>Networking, Reception, Exhibits</b> .....	Mystic Ballroom
12:35 - 1:35 PM	<b>Luncheon   Acknowledgment of Guests   Networking</b> .....	Marriott Ballroom
1:35 - 2:05 PM	<b>Dessert/Networking in Exhibit Area</b> .....	Mystic Ballroom
2:05 - 3:20 PM	<b>Session B Workshops</b>	
	B1 Roles and Responsibilities of Board Members and Superintendents (HPBAS, I, DEE, SGWB)	
	B2 Legislative Issues (HPBAS, I, DEE, SGWB)	
	B3 Unlearning: Bias and Building Community (DEE, SGWB)	
	B4 Collaborative Governance and Community Engagement – Powerful Strategies for School District Reform – Case Study: The Hartford Public Schools 2017-2018 (HPBAS)	
	B5 The PreK-3rd Grade Continuum: Leaders Matter to Ensure Successful Pathways to High School Graduation (HPBAS, I, DEE, SGWB)	
2:05 - 4:05 PM	<b>Session C Clinics</b>	
	C1 33 <sup>rd</sup> Annual Meeting of the Nutmeg Board (HPBAS, I, DEE, SGWB)	
	C2 Increasing Job and Career Readiness for High School Students through a Manufacturing Internship Program (I)	
3:25 - 5:00 PM	<b>Session D Workshops</b>	
	D1 Collective Bargaining: Trends and Strategies to Reduce Costs (HPBAS)	
	D2 Mindfulness and Purpose: Bringing a Focus on the Whole Child to Life (I, SGWB)	
	D3 The Role of Boards of Education and Superintendents in Increasing the Racial and Ethnic Diversity of Connecticut's Educator Workforce (DEE)	
	D4 Real Case Studies in Crisis Communication (HPBAS)	
	D5 Executive Coaching for Superintendents: Support for Meeting the Challenges of the 21 <sup>st</sup> Century (HPBAS)	
	D6 District Coherence and the Strategies for Continuous Improvement (HPBAS)	
5:00 - 5:45 PM	<b>Reception</b> .....	Mystic Ballroom
5:45 - 8:15 PM	<b>Dinner</b> .....	Marriott Ballroom
	<b>Election Results   President's Remarks   Teacher of the Year</b>	
	<b>Evening Program</b>	
8:15 - 11:00 PM	<b>Evening Reception</b> .....	Mystic Ballroom ABC

### Saturday, November 17, 2018

7:30 - 8:30 AM	<b>Registration Begins – Networking and Continental Breakfast</b>	
8:30 - 9:30 AM	<b>General Session</b> .....	Marriott Ballroom
	<b>Welcome   Student Performance</b>	
9:35 - 10:45 AM	<b>Student Session</b>	
9:35 - 10:45 AM	<b>Session E Workshops</b>	
	E1 The Five Questions School Boards Should Ask (HPBAS, SGWB)	
	E2 Alone We Can Do So Little; Together We Can Do So Much (HPBAS, I)	
	E3 Responding to Hate and Bias Incidents: Lessons from the Field (I, DEE)	
	E4 Unsocial Media: Cyberbullying, Sexting, and How to Regulate Communications in the Digital Age (HPBAS, I, SGWB)	
	E5 Top 12 Innovative Practices at Greenwich Public Schools (I, SBWB)	
	E6 Frameworks for Innovation: Putting ISTE Student, Educator and Leader Standards into Practice (I, DEE, SGWB)	
9:35 - 11:35 AM	<b>Session F Clinics</b>	
	F1 Implicit Bias: How It Impacts Your Work (DEE)	
	F2 Research into Practice: Connecticut's Story (DEE)	
	F3 Are We Really Educating the Whole Child? The Missing Link: Improving Academic Outcomes by Aligning SEL and Culturally Responsive Practices (DEE, SGWB)	
10:50 AM - 12:00 PM	<b>Session G Workshops</b>	
	G1 Needs vs. Wants: Supporting the Social-Emotional Needs of Our Learners (SGWB)	
	G2 Simple Strategies for Improving Your School Public Relations (HPBAS, I)	
	G3 Equity and Excellence: Middletown Public Schools (HPBAS, I, DEE, SGWB)	
	G4 Getting Community Partnerships Right! (I, SGWB)	
	G5 Grading Practices: Trials, Tribulations, and Successes (I, SGWB)	
11:30 AM - 12:00 PM	<b>Networking and Reception</b> .....	Marriott Ballroom Lobby
12:05 - 1:35 PM	<b>Luncheon   Adjourn</b>	

**EASY  
REGISTRATION  
PROCESS**

You only need to complete and return the registration form one time.

Follow the four easy steps below to register:

1. Review the Conference at a Glance.
2. Complete the registration form, include your workshop choices and any special requirements you may have.
3. Save a copy for your records.
4. Return completed form to CABE.

Form **MUST** be accompanied by check or purchase order to be processed.

Submit a separate form for each registrant.

Substitutions are accepted at any time. All substitutions and cancellations **MUST** be in writing.

This form must be received by October 19 to avoid a late fee.

Online:  
[www.cabe.org](http://www.cabe.org)



Mail to:  
CABE/CAPSS  
Convention  
Registrations  
81 Wolcott Hill Rd.  
Wethersfield, CT 06109



Fax to:  
860-571-7452



Questions:  
860-571-7446

**2018 CABE/CAPSS Convention Registration Form**  
November 16-17, 2018 • Mystic Marriott Hotel, Groton

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

School District/Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Fax Number \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Name for Badge \_\_\_\_\_ Guest Name for Badge \_\_\_\_\_

**CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(ES):**

- Board Member  
 Superintendent  
 Assistant Superintendent  
 Business Manager  
 Presenter  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

This is my first CABE/CAPSS Conference - I would like a mentor

**REGISTRATION TYPE:** CHECK Package, Friday or Saturday and CIRCLE corresponding fee.

	2018/2019 CABE Member Districts and CAPSS MEMBERS ONLY		Registration Received on or before 10/19/18		Late/On Site Reg. Received on or after 10/20/18	
	Early Registration Received on or before 8/27/18	Member	Member / Non-Member	Member / Non-Member	Member / Non-Member	Member / Non-Member
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Package Registration</b> Meals are included in registration fee and are non-refundable.	\$385	\$430	\$660	\$480	\$710	
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Friday Only Registration</b> Meals are included in registration fee and are non-refundable.	\$305	\$320	\$550	\$370	\$600	
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Saturday Only Registration</b> Meals are included in registration fee and are non-refundable.	\$265	\$275	\$505	\$325	\$555	

**GUEST MEAL(S):**  Friday Luncheon - \$35  Friday Banquet - \$64  Saturday Luncheon - \$35

**Registrant is responsible for guest fees. (Payment for guest MUST accompany registration form.)**

**TOTAL AMOUNT DUE \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

In order to prevent wastage of food, please select all meal functions that you will be attending. (This will NOT change your registration fee.)

- Friday Luncheon  Friday Banquet  Saturday Luncheon

Do you have special dietary needs? If so, explain \_\_\_\_\_

**Payment** - If completed registration form is faxed or mailed, there are two easy ways to pay: Check or purchase order. Registration will **NOT** be processed without a P.O. or check.

Check payable to CABE enclosed.  P.O. # \_\_\_\_\_

Credit cards can only be accepted online.

To register online, please go to [www.cabe.org/page.cfm?p=1141](http://www.cabe.org/page.cfm?p=1141)

**WORKSHOP CHOICES: CIRCLE** which workshops you plan to attend:

Friday	A1	A2	A3	A4	A5	A6	A7	A8
	B1	B2	B3	B4	B5	B6		
	C1	C2						
	D1	D2	D3	D4	D5	D6		
Saturday	E1	E2	E3	E4	E5	E6		
	F1	F2	F3					
	G1	G2	G3	G4	G5	G6		

Substitutions are accepted in writing at any time. Between October 29 and November 1, a \$100 fee will be charged for each cancelled Convention registration because meals have been guaranteed. Beginning November 2 there is **NO REFUND** of the registration fee. No shows will be charged full fee.

