



North Central Missouri College  
September 30, 2010

FINAL AGENDA 9/29/10

- 8:00 – 8:30 a.m.      **Continental Breakfast and Registration** – Cross Hall commons
- 8:30 a.m.              **Welcome and Introductions** – Cross Hall 208, *Dr. Neil Nuttall, NCMC President*
- 8:45 – 9:15 a.m.      **Keynote address – “North Missouri Career Opportunities” - Mary Bruton, Missouri Economic Research and Information Center, Cross Hall 208**
- 9:15 – 9:30 a.m.      Break - refreshments - Cross Hall commons
- 9:30 – 10:10 a.m.      Concurrent breakout sessions - Cross Hall
- The “New” Missouri Connections – *Tom Schlimpert, DESE, Cross 208*
  - A Positive Connection: Your STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Math) Classes and the World of Work – *Charlene Piel, DESE Career Education Coordinator, Cross 207*
  - Keynote follow-up session – *Mary Bruton, MERIC, Cross 206*
- 10:15 – 10:55 a.m.      Concurrent breakout sessions - Cross Hall
- Timely topics from DESE Guidance and Placement – *Tom Schlimpert, DESE, Cross 208*
  - Career Clusters/Pathways/Personal Plans of Study - *Charlene Piel, DESE Career Education Coordinator, Cross 207*
  - State Financial Aid Programs – *Kim Foley & Kelli Reed, Missouri Department of Higher Education, Cross 206*
- 11:00 – 11:45 a.m.      Concurrent breakout sessions - Cross Hall
- The “New” Missouri Connections – *Tom Schlimpert, DESE, Cross 208*
  - Check & Connect – Successes a year later – *Jennee Barnes, Northwest Regional Professional Development Center, Cross 209A*
  - State Financial Aid Programs – *Kim Foley & Kelli Reed, Missouri Department of Higher Education, Cross 205*
- Noon – 12:45 p.m.      **Lunch and speaker** – Sugg Conference Room, Ketcham Community Center  
*Student panel; Marian Goodin, facilitator*
- 1:00 – 2:30 p.m.      **Roundtable sessions**
- Counselors – *Sugg Conference Room, KCC*
  - Tech Prep Consortium – *Cross Hall 206*
  - A+ coordinators – *Cross Hall 209A*
- 2:30 p.m.              **Adjourn** (*Tours will be available for the new Allied Health building - Cross Hall; meet in commons*)