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Summit For Leadership

Building What's Next *Together*



Hilton Cincinnati Netherland Plaza Hotel
Cincinnati, Ohio
September 11–13, 2026

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FRIDAY

7:00–7:30 P.M.	**Registration**	**Pavillion Ballroom**
7:00–7:30 P.M.	**Welcome Reception**	
7:30–7:45 P.M.	**Welcome and Introductions** ■ Kevin Chance, NCTM, MTNA President ■ Brian Shepard, MTNA CEO **MTNA: A 150-Year Legacy of Service** ■ Gary L. Ingle, MTNA CEO Emeritus	
8:00–8:30 P.M.	**States-by-Size Discussions**	
8:30–9:00 P.M.	**Virtual Local Association Meetup** ■ Victoria Fischer Faw, NCTM, Southern Division	

SATURDAY

8:30–9:00 A.M.	**Coffee and Conversation**	**Pavillion Ballroom**
9:00–9:30 A.M.	**Building What's Next—Together** ■ Kevin Chance, NCTM, MTNA President ■ Brian Shepard, MTNA CEO Find out how MTNA's new strategic plan impacts your state affiliate and how you and your members can be an active part of the future direction of the profession.	
9:30–10:00 A.M.	**Keep the Music Playing: Sustaining Energy and Joy in Leadership** ■ Kevin Chance, NCTM, MTNA President ■ Brian Shepard, MTNA CEO	
10:00–10:30 A.M.	**Coffee and Conversation** Use this informal time to grab more coffee and network with your colleagues.	
10:30–11:15 A.M.	**MTNA Leadership Toolkit: Practical Strategies for MTNA Affiliates** ■ Kevin Chance, NCTM, MTNA President ■ Brian Shepard, MTNA CEO ■ Caitlin Carter, MTNA Communications and Marketing Manager	
11:15 A.M.–12:00 NOON	**Stewardship & Sustainability: Understanding MTNA's Financial Framework** ■ Jeffery Kleinsorge, NCTM, MTNA Secretary-Treasurer ■ Chris Flaig, MTNA Auditor Clark Schaefer Hackett ■ Rebecca Gramke, MTNA Auditor, Clark Schaefer Hackett ■ Brian Shepard, MTNA CEO	
12:00 NOON–2:00 P.M.	**Lunch on Your Own and Headquarters Open House**	
12:15 –1:45 P.M.	**Membership Committee Lunch Meeting**	**Salon A**

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2:00–3:30 P.M. **States-by-Size Meetings: Directors-elect**
(membership as of June 30, 2026)

More than 670 members: CA, FL, IL, TX, WA **Salon A**
- Lori Rhoden, NCTM, East Central Division Director-elect

495–669 members: CO, GA, MI, MN, OR, UT, VA **Salon B**
- Brandon Bascom, NCTM, Southwest Division Director-elect

325–494 members: AZ, MD, NC, NJ, OH, PA, WI **Salon C**
- Catharine Lysinger, NCTM, South Central Division Director-elect

260–324 members: AL, IA, MO, NY, OK, TN **Salon D**
- Junko Takahashi, Eastern Division Director-elect

160–259 members: IN, KS, LA, MA, NE, NV, SC **Salon E**
- Amanda Montgomery, NCTM, Southern Division Director-elect

90–159 members: AR, CT, DC, HI, ID, KY, MS, MT, ND, NM, SD **Salon F**
- Andrew Cooperstock, NCTM, West Central Division Director-elect

Fewer than 89 members: AK, DE, ME, NM, NH, RI, VT, WV, WY **Salon G**
- Lynda Lybeck-Robinson, NCTM, Northwest Division Director-elect

3:30–3:45 P.M. **Break**

3:45–5:00 P.M. **Division Meetings: Directors**

East Central Division **Salon B**
- Yeeseon Kwon, NCTM, East Central Division Director

Eastern Division **Salon G**
- Hendry Wijaya, NCTM, Eastern Division Director

Northwest Division **Salon E**
- Theresa Bogard, NCTM, Northwest Division Director

South Central Division **Salon D**
- Michael Dean, NCTM, South Central Division Director

Southern Division **Salon C**
- Victoria Fischer Faw, Southern Division Director

Southwest Division **Salon A**
- Paula Manwaring, NCTM, Southwest Division Director

West Central Division **Salon F**
- Jason Sifford, NCTM, West Central Division Director

6:30–7:00 P.M. **150th Anniversary Reception** **Pavillion Ballroom**

7:00–9:00 P.M. **150th Anniversary Banquet and Recital**
- Paul Houghtaling, Bass-Baritone
- Kevin Chance, NCTM, Piano

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8:30–9:00 A.M.	**Coffee and Conversation**	**Pavillion Ballroom**
9:00–9:30 A.M.	**Meet Us in St. Louis: A 2027 Conference Overview** ■ Kevin Chance, NCTM, MTNA President ■ Caitlin Carter, MTNA Communications and Marketing Manager	
9:30–10:15 A.M.	**Practical Tips to Invigorate Your Membership Marketing Efforts** ■ Noreen Wenjen, NCTM, MTNA Vice President for Membership ■ Ryan Greene, MTNA Director of Membership Development ■ Caitlin Carter, MTNA Communications and Marketing Manager	
10:15–10:30 A.M.	**Break**	
10:30–10:45 A.M.	**Serving Members, Strengthening Affiliates** ■ Ryan Greene, MTNA Director of Membership Development	
10:45–11:30 A.M.	**State Presidents Advisory Council Meeting** ■ Tonya Kirk, NCTM, North Carolina MTA ■ Kevin Chance, NCTM, MTNA President ■ Terri Hlubek, NCTM, MTNA Director of Competitions ■ Brian Shepard, MTNA CEO	
11:30 A.M.–12:00 NOON	**Q&A and Closing** ■ Kevin Chance, NCTM, MTNA President ■ Brian Shepard, MTNA CEO	

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