

CLEVELAND TEACHING FELLOWSHIP PRESENTS

OFS SPRING CONFERENCE 2025

FINAL YEAR INTERNS

Wednesday
February 12, 2025
9:00am - 4:00pm
East Professional Center, Cleveland

Welcome to the

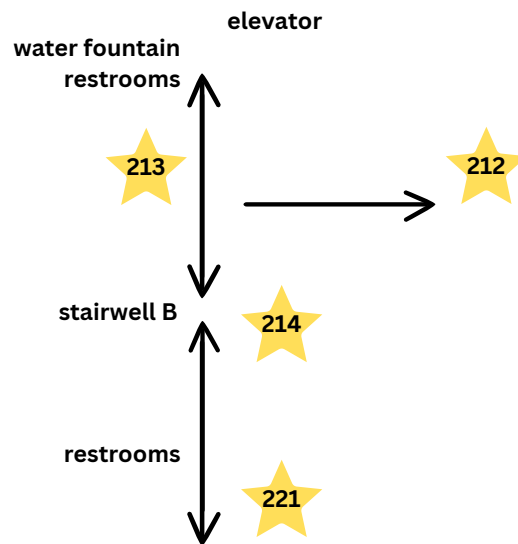
OFS SPRING CONFERENCE

All About Your Preparation

Thank you for joining us for this day of learning, networking and fun!

Today is an opportunity for you to interact with District Administrators who are invested in your success. Take notes, ask questions, and engage in discussions. Use this as PRACTICE for the Career Fair on February 26th and your future interviews.

2ND FLOOR MAP



Sessions are located in rooms 213, 213, 214, and 221.
ONLY use stairwell B or the Elevator, other stairwells require badge access.

Please complete your [Conference Survey](#) that will be emailed to you,
by **February 19th** to be eligible to win a \$50 gift card.

SCHEDULE

February 12, 2025

- 8:30-9:00AM** **REGISTRATION AND COFFEE**
Room 214
- 9:00-9:25AM** **WELCOME**
Room 214
- 9:25-9:30AM** **BREAK**
- 9:30-10:10AM** **WORKSHOP #1**
Room 221: All About the Job Search **P-5**
Room 213: All About the Resume **MCE/AYA/WL/MUSIC**
Room 212: All About the Interview **SPED/SLP/DREAM**
- 10:10-10:15AM** **BREAK**
- 10:15-10:55AM** **WORKSHOP #2**
Room 221: All About the Job Search **MCE/AYA/WL/MUSIC**
Room 213: All About the Resume **SPED/SLP/DREAM**
Room 212: All About the Interview **P-5**
- 10:55-11:00AM** **BREAK**
- 11:00-11:40AM** **WORKSHOP #3**
Room 221: All About the Job Search **SPED/SLP/DREAM**
Room 213: All About the Resume **P-5**
Room 212: All About the Interview **MCE/AYA/WL/MUSIC**
- 11:45-12:40PM** **PANEL**
Room 214
- 12:45-1:45PM** **LUNCH & DISTRICT TABLES**
Room 221 - Sponsored by Cleveland Teaching Fellowship
- 1:45-2:00PM** **BREAK**
- 2:00-3:45PM** **AFTERNOON PRACTICE**
Cafeteria: Mock Interviews
#1 2:10-2:25pm
#2 2:30-2:45pm
#3 2:50-3:05pm
#4 3:10-3:25pm
Room 231: Support Center
2:00-3:30pm - drop in anytime
- 3:45-4:00PM** **CLOSING**
Room 214 **must be present to win raffle*

WELCOME 9:00-9:25AM

Room 214

Title: **Welcome** to the OFS Spring Conference. Today is *All About Your Preparation.*

Presenters: Courtney Nudell, Recruitment and Retention; Dr. Joanne Goodell, Director, School of Education and Counseling, Cleveland State University; CAMERA Organization

SPONSORS

Cleveland Metropolitan School District (CMSD)

The Cleveland Metropolitan School District (CMSD) is the second-largest public school system in Ohio, serving more than 36,000 students. Under The Cleveland Plan, a groundbreaking reform plan created by the community and written into state law, CMSD strives to ensure that every child receives a high-quality education, regardless of the provider. To that end, CMSD lets families choose which District schools their children attend, with options that include STEM, the arts, single-gender education, International Baccalaureate, Montessori and early college.

Cleveland Area Multicultural Educators Recruitment Association (CAMERA)

CAMERA exists to identify, recruit and support multicultural education professionals. We will achieve this through the development of coordinated recruitment and retention efforts that will provide a more diverse faculty for each of our member districts.

Cleveland Teaching Fellowship (CTF)

CTF is a partnership between the Cleveland Foundation, Cleveland State University, and the Cleveland Metropolitan School District (CMSD). This national award winning grant funded program engages highly qualified teacher candidates in paid practicum and student teaching experiences in select CMSD schools. With a national teacher shortage, CTF is creating a pipeline of strong teacher candidates committed to urban education, who will be considered for hire the following year. In the past 8 years, CTF has supported over 300 Fellows.



MORNING WORKSHOPS

9:30-10:10AM, 10:15-10:55AM, & 11:00-11:40AM

Each timeslot will have three concurrent workshops. Please follow your LICENSURE area

	AYA (7-12th) Middle Childhood World Language Music	P-5	Special Education DREAM SLP
Workshop #1 9:30-10:10am	All about the Resume Room 213	All about the Interview Room 212	All about the Job Room 221
Workshop #2 10:15-10:55am	All about the Job Room 221	All about the Resume Room 213	All about the Interview Room 212
Workshop #3 11:00-11:40am	All about the Interview Room 212	All about the Job Room 221	All about the Resume Room 213

Title: [All About the Job](#)

Description: You have decided that you want a job in education. Now what? Join our school partners as they discuss the teacher application process. When, where, and how to apply. Then engage in an opportunity to work on questions that may be on your application.

Title: [All About the Resume](#)

Description: Is your resume ready to share? Bring your current resume to detail why you are the best candidate. Highlight what you are doing inside and outside of the classroom to get noticed for the interview!

Title: [All About the Interview](#)

Description: Learn how to present your best self in person! Join our school partners as they discuss the Dos and Don'ts of educational interviews. Work on your answers to commonly asked questions as you prepare for the afternoon mock interview session.

PANEL

11:45-12:40PM

Room 214

Title: [Teaching in Northeast Ohio](#)

Description: Join our teacher panel from the greater Cleveland area as they discuss what makes their schools unique, what they are looking for in first year teachers, and how to prepare for your first teaching position. *Facilitators may use this time to set up District tables in Room 221.*

LUNCH 12:45-1:45PM

Room 221

Lunch & Tables

Take this opportunity to get to know other Interns! Grab your lunch from the Chipotle buffet and relax. Walk around and talk to our District partners. Learn about their schools, what positions they may have open, and network.

AFTERNOON PRACTICE 2:00-3:30PM

Room: 212

Title: Mock Interviews

Presenters:

Description: Join your fellow interns in a 15-minute mock group interview to practice what you've learned. Take a 5 minute break and visit a new table. Interns should plan to complete at least 3 interviews. We will keep track of time as you are asked common interview questions and receive immediate verbal feedback.

Room 213

Title: Support Center

Description: Stop by the Support Center to ask questions regarding lesson planning, edTPA, time management, resumes, interview follow-up, and more.

CONCLUSION 3:30-4:00PM

Room 214

Title: State Updates

Description: Join us as we wrap up the day. Hear about exciting updates and changes from the State. Raffle winners will be chosen. Must be present to win.

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NETWORK**
with partner districts
HERE

CSU SPRING 2025 CAREER FAIR

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Register **HERE**

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26th
10 AM to 2 PM

Student Center 1st Floor, 2nd Floor, 3rd Floor
2121 Euclid Ave, Cleveland, OH 44115

Open to Cleveland State students and alumni.



Thank You

Interns for spending your time with us,
Facilitators for your time and expertise,
Cleveland Teaching Fellowship for your meal sponsorship,
and **CSU & CMSD** Staff for hosting this Conference!

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