

Central Plains Region



Johnson County Community College Overland Park, Kansas



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Keynote Speakers: Mahmoud Yousef (University of Central Missouri), Perla Weaver (Johnson County Community College), Scott Sigman (Drury University)

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Papers: Charles Riedesel (University of Nebraska-Lincoln), Judy Mullins (Retired), Ron McCleary (Retired)

Panels/Tutorials/Workshops: Ron McCleary (Retired), Judy Mullins (Retired), Mohammad Rawashdeh (University of Central Missouri)

Nifty Assignments: Michael P. Rogers (University of Wisconsin- Oshkosh), Brian Hare (University of Missouri-Kansas City), Bill Siever (Washington University in St. Louis), Ron McCleary (Retired), Judy Mullins (Retired)

Lightning Talks: Joseph Kendall-Morwick (Washburn University), Bill Siever (Washington University in St. Louis),

K-12 Outreach: Belinda Copus (University of Central Missouri), Diana Linville (Northwest Missouri State University)

K-12 Nifty Assignments & Lightning Talks: Bill Siever (Washington University in St. Louis), Belinda Copus (University of Central Missouri), Mohammad Rawashdeh (University of Central Missouri)

Student Paper Session: Scott Sigman (Drury University), Wen-Jung Hsin (Park University)

Student Poster Contest: Joseph Kendall-Morwick (Washburn University), Ron McCleary (Retired)

Student Hack-a-thon: Scott Sigman (Drury University), Chris Branton (Drury University), Suzanne Smith (Johnson County Community College), Bill Siever (Washington University in St. Louis), Michael P. Rogers (University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh), Charles Riedesel (University of Nebraska-Lincoln)

Two-Year College Outreach: Suzanne Smith (Johnson County Community College), Trisch Price (Johnson County Community College)

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FRIDAY, APRIL 21

9 a.mnoon	Pre-conference Workshop Teaching Cybersecurity: Introducing the Security Mindset Ms. Buffie Holley, Albemarle High School, Charlottesville and Dr. Maritza Johnson, University of San Diego, California	RC 157
1–2 p.m.	Keynote: The Engineering Generalist is [probably] a Computer Scientist Mr. Perry Copus, Garmin Labs	Hudson Auditorium NMOCA 217
	CONCURRENT SESSIONS #1	
2:15–3:15 p.m.	Moderator: Mohammed Rawashdeh Paper: Influencing Technical Features of Using Podcast in E-learning Cindy Zhiling Tu and Gary Yu Zhao Paper: Effect of Teaching a Course with a Remote Instructor Nathan W. Elose, Charles Hoot and Chandra M Kotteti	RC 101
2:15-3:15 p.m.	Moderator: Jacob Kier Workshop (Part I): Dash: An Easy-to-Use Framework for Building Web Applications and Dashboards Eric Manley	RC 157
2:15–3:15 p.m.	Moderator: Mahmoud Yousef Nifty Assignment: Mathematics Appreciation: Golden Ratio Wen-Jung Hsin Nifty Assignment: Online Networking and Security Project Wen-Jung Hsin	RC 155
3:15–4 p.m.	Break & Vendors	TBD

FRIDAY, APRIL 21

	CONCURRENT SESSIONS #2	
4–5 p.m.	Moderator: Perla Weaver Paper: Examining the Computational Thinking Knowledge and Interest of Undergraduate Students in Two Teacher Education Courses Mohammad Azhar, Jillian Powers and Ann Musgrove Paper: Learning Analytics Finds a Shared Course May Improve Technology Students Retention Chunbo Chu and Jiang Li	RC 155
4–5 p.m.	Moderator: Diana Linville Workshop (Part II): Dash: An Easy-to-Use Framework for Building Web Applications and Dashboards Eric Manley	RC 157
4–5 p.m.	Reserved for other events	TBD
5–5:30 p.m	Meet & Greet	TBD
5:45–7:45 p.m.	Banquet Speaker: Erin Christensen Chief Operating Officer, KC Tech Council	RC 101

CONFERENCE MAPS & LOCATIONS

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JCCC Campus Map







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9-9:30 a.m.	Poster Contest Set-up	RC 157
	CONCURRENT SESSIONS #1	
9:30-10:30 a.m.	Student Papers	RC 157
9:30–10:30 a.m.	Poster Contest	RC 101
9:30–10:30 a.m.	Hack-a-thon Presentations	Hudson Auditorium NMOCA 217
9:30–10:30 a.m.	Job Fair	Atrium
10:30–11 a.m.	Break, Poster Viewing & Vendors	TBD
	CONCURRENT SESSIONS #2	
	Paper: Implementation and Evaluation of a Virtual Hack-a-thon in an Urban HSI Community College During COVID-19 Mohammad Azhar, Ada Haynes, Marisa Day, and Elizabeth Wissinger Nifty Assignment: Learning Lists and Dictionaries by Building Web Dashboards with Live Data Eric Manley	
11 a.mnoon	Moderator: Suzanne Smith Paper: Exploration of Introduction to Virtual Reality Systems for Undergraduates Students: A Pandemic Version Tania Roy Paper: Trustworthiness of Artificial Intelligence: Teaching Factors that Influence AI-supported Decision Making Sambit Bhattacharya and Bogdan Czejdo	RC 155
11 a.mnoon	Hack-a-thon Presentations	Hudson Auditorium NMOCA 217
11 a.m.–noon	Job Fair	Atrium
12:15–1:45 p.m.	CCSC-CP Business Meeting / Luncheon	RC 101

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As a proud member of the Consortium for Computing Sciences in Colleges, **CCSC: Central Plains** holds an annual regional conference for faculty to learn, network, get energized about teaching and explore new developments in the computing disciplines.

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