Arkansas' Teacher Pipeline:
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Heifer International Educational Facilities
1 World Ave.  Little Rock, Arkansas
April 24, 2018 8:30am – 3pm

7:45 am  Onsite Registration
8:30 am  Opening Plenary Session
  • Keith Look, Superintendent, Danville KY  Main Room
9:15 am  BREAK
9:30 am  Breakout Session 1
  • Success and Opportunity in Talent Management. District leadership panel moderated by OEP  Main Room
  • Supporting the Teacher Pipeline: Leadership Support Systems. ADE Educator Effectiveness Team  Conference A
  • The Arkansas Academy for Educational Equity: Boosting the Effectiveness of Early Career Teachers in High-Poverty Schools. Gary Ritter, OEP Faculty Director  Conference C
10:30 am  BREAK
10:45 am  Breakout Session 2
  • Who Needs Teachers? An Exploration of Supply and Demand in Arkansas Districts. Leesa Foreman, OEP Research Assistant  Main Room
  • Enhancing the Teacher Pipeline through Teacher Leadership. ADE Educator Effectiveness Team  Conference A
  • The Role of Teacher Leadership in Recruitment and Retention. Courtney Cochran, Arkansas Teacher of the Year  Conference C
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11:45 am  Lunch and Keynote
- Saroja Warner, Director of Educator Preparation Initiatives, Chief Council of State School Officers
  Main Room

12:45 pm  Breakout Session 3
- Arkansas Teacher Corps: Meeting the Need. Shelley Aschliman, ATC Executive Director.  Main Room
- Increasing the Teacher Pipeline: The Teacher Cadet Model. Student panel moderated by ADE Educator Effectiveness Team  Conference A
- “Grow Your Own” Programs: Conra Guist, Assistant Professor of Childhood Education, University of Arkansas and Diana Gonzales Worthen, Director, Project REACH  Conference C

1:45 pm  BREAK

2:00 pm  Breakout Session 4
- What’s Up in Higher Ed?. Higher Education Faculty Panel moderated by OEP  Main Room
- Ensuring Access to Effective Educators: Equity Labs. ADE Educator Effectiveness Team  Conference A
- Quitting Your Day Job: An Analysis of Teacher Retention in Arkansas. Dillon Fuchsmann, OEP Research Assistant and Katherine Hill, Teacher, Bentonville Public Schools  Conference C

3:00 pm  Closing