



Guam ACTE

careers through education

3rd Annual Guam Association for Career & Technical Education (GuACTE)

CTE Summit : Teachers' Professional Development Segment

The professional development workshop activities are designed for Guam's educators—middle school, high school, and postsecondary educators—who play a critical role in preparing students for college, careers, and an evolving workforce. The sessions offered on Saturday, February 21, 2026, will focus on strengthening instructional practice, deepening industry and workforce awareness, and equipping teachers with practical strategies that can be immediately applied in the classroom.

The **professional development strands** highlight key areas impacting education today, including workforce development, cybersecurity awareness, digital safety, emerging technologies, and industry-informed teaching practices. Our presenters bring both educational and industry perspectives, offering insights that bridge classroom instruction with real-world expectations and career pathways.

We encourage you to register as soon as possible, as seats are limited. This is your opportunity to engage actively in the sessions, reflect on how the ideas shared connect to your own teaching context, and collaborate with colleagues across disciplines and grade levels. Your participation in professional learning strengthens not only individual practice, but the collective capacity of Guam's education community.

Thank you for your commitment to continuous growth and excellence in teaching. We hope this professional development experience is both meaningful and impactful.

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Professional Development Schedule at a Glance

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Schedule Overview

7:30 - 8:00 AM Registration

8:00 -9:00 AM Morning Plenary Session (All Participants)

9:00 - 1:00 PM Concurrent Professional Development Workshops

Concurrent Workshops

	STRAND 1 — AI for Teaching, Learning, and Workforce Readiness	STRAND 2 — Cybersecurity Awareness & Digital Safety for Educators	STRAND 3 — Innovations in Manufacturing, Skilled Trades, Maritime, and Industry 4.0	STRAND 4 — High-Impact Pedagogy for Future-Ready CTE Programs in the Islands	NETWORKING Room
SAMPLE SCHEDULED SESSIONS:	Classroom to Career: Ways to Prepare Students for An AI-Driven Workforce	Cyber Hygiene as a Life Skill: Teaching Digital Resilience in the Classroom and Paving Pathways to Careers in Technology.	:Futures: Architecture As A STEM-STEAM & Workforce Pathway for Guam	From Planning to Practice: A Hands-on Project-Based Learning Design Workshop	Open Networking With Industry Representatives
	Incorporating Financial Literacy The Easy way	Safe by Design: Integrating Data Privacy in the Modern Classroom	The Incredible Maritime world and the high demand career opportunities for students	Career Readiness Begins in Early Childhood	
	More to come...	More to come...	More to come...	More to come...	

Participant Notes

- Participants may move freely between strands.
- Session details and descriptions are available on individual presenter pages.
- The Networking Room is available throughout the morning for informal discussion and professional connection.