

CTE SUMMIT 2024

*Career and Technical Education Across The Sea:
Celebrating CTE in the Western Pacific*

Panel Discussion on Workforce Development and the Future of Career and Technical Education

University of Guam Lecture Hall

February 16, 2024, Friday,

5:00pm - 7:00pm



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Our economy is dependent on the planning, building and sustaining of our human resource capital. Businesses continually report their concerns about the quantity and quality of their workforce, needed to effectively run their operations. In the meanwhile, efforts continue to help students find their direction and pathway to rewarding jobs or careers that provide life-sustaining wages. The CTE Summit Panel Discussion aims to spark the important discussion, as Guam and the region work toward economic sustainability.

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