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## ACADEMICS

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### STUDENT ACTIVITIES CONFERENCE 2020 Virtual Edition - October 1<sup>st</sup>

***The following pre-recorded sessions will be available starting October 1. They may be accessed from the UIL Conferences YouTube Channel. Links will be posted on this schedule for each session on the release date.***

**View Recordings** <http://bit.ly/SAC2020Recordings>

**Handouts** <http://bit.ly/SAC2020Handouts>

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#### ACADEMIC COORDINATORS

- **Academic Coordinator: Planning and Organizing for a Great Year.** David Stevens, director of academics. (Capital Conference Recording) <https://youtu.be/EVDusGkfEog>

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#### ACCOUNTING

- **Basics of the Contest.** A PowerPoint handout for first-time accounting students and coaches and a refresher for veterans. LaVerne Funderburk, state contest director. <http://bit.ly/SAC2020Handouts>
- **Coaching Strategies.** How to prepare for competition through various accounting concepts and test-taking strategies. Susan Mathews, state meet assistant. (Capital Conference Recording) <https://youtu.be/jj6kAf4bdHk>

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#### COMPUTER APPLICATIONS

- **Getting Started.** Linda Tarrant and Beth Mader. (Capital Conference Recording) <https://youtu.be/xJQH6-LmuQM>

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#### CURRENT ISSUES AND EVENTS

- **Preparing for the Essay Portion of the CIE and Social Studies Contest.** Dr. Bradley Wilson and Andy Bates, state contest directors. (Capital Conference Recording) <https://youtu.be/jV1aplq7yBA>

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#### JOURNALISM

- **Full News Writing for UIL News Writing Contest.** Jeanne Acton, director of journalism. [https://youtu.be/13MrIDK\\_IFc](https://youtu.be/13MrIDK_IFc)
- **Journalism News Writing Part I- The Lead.** Jeanne Acton, director of journalism. <https://youtu.be/2NM1UH8drHg>
- **Journalism News Writing Part II- Direct Quotes and Transitions.** Jeanne Acton, director of journalism. <https://youtu.be/MgtjGrwpJ0Q>
- **Journalism News Writing Part III- Putting it All Together** Jeanne Acton, director of journalism. <https://youtu.be/7vqO93z-vxQ>

- **Journalism. Full UIL Feature Writing Video.** This is the entire presentation of Feature Writing. Jeanne Acton, director of journalism. [https://youtu.be/OO\\_SohTKkRY](https://youtu.be/OO_SohTKkRY)
- **Journalism Part I- Feature Leads.** This video talks ONLY about feature leads. Jeanne Acton, director of journalism. <https://youtu.be/F-seZ76jbe4>
- **Journalism Part II- Feature Leads.** This video talks ONLY about feature leads. Jeanne Acton, director of journalism. <https://youtu.be/LJ8JztWcfeQ>

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## LITERARY CRITICISM

- **Literary Criticism for Beginners.** Mark Bernier, state contest director. (Capital Conference Recording) <https://youtu.be/o0izhkpsUmU>
- **Poetry Explication for the Contest.** Mark Bernier, state contest director. (Capital Conference Recording) <https://youtu.be/EZLVnHbHpGM>

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## READY WRITING

- **Basics Approach Using Rhetoric, Reading and Writing.** This session is especially appropriate for new Ready Writing coaches. Ruben Rodriguez, state contest director. (Capital Conference Recording) <https://youtu.be/WSH3x1v9YXA>

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## SOCIAL STUDIES

- **Preparing for the Essay Portion of the CIE and Social Studies Contest.** Bradley Wilson and Andy Bates, state contest directors. (Capital Conference Recording) <https://youtu.be/jV1aplg7yBA>

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## SPELLING AND VOCABULARY

- **Strategies for Becoming a Spellebrity.** Linda Berrey, state contest director. (Capital Conference Recording) <https://youtu.be/-KtUPd1JfAl>

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# STEM

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## CALCULATOR APPLICATIONS

- **Contest Basics for Beginners.** David Bourell, state contest director. <https://youtu.be/XJX6zU3oWnA>

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## MATH AND NUMBER SENSE

- **Mathematics- A Curriculum Driven Contest.** Larry White, state contest director. (Capital Conference Recording) <https://youtu.be/9TOaxrBK9k8>
- **Number Sense- A Mental Math Contest.** Larry White, state contest director. (Capital Conference Recording) <https://youtu.be/W4ZYH-oBGVU>
- **This Year in Math and Number Sense- News, Updates and Hot Update.** Larry White, state contest director. <https://youtu.be/GhKGdOnxeoo>

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## SCIENCE

- **Science Contest Overview.** Dr. Michelle McGehee, Dr. Brian Anderson, and Dr. David Bixler, state contest directors. (Capital Conference Recording) <https://youtu.be/Qy-s5KELfA0>

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## ROBOTICS

- **Introduction to Robotics.** David Trussell, state STEM director. (Capital Conference Recording) <https://youtu.be/Rw4in8NuHVE>

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## *SPEECH*

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### CONGRESS

- **Congress 101.** Rhonda Smith, retired, Plano West HS. (Capital Conference Recording) <https://youtu.be/8WP1LKz4zg0>
- **Breakdown of Congress Speech.** Jay Stubbs, Bellaire HS. <https://youtu.be/N3GU3-MxrPI>
- **How to Write a Congress Outline.** Jay Stubbs, Bellaire HS. <https://youtu.be/G4ahC5WVn4M>
- **How a Congress Round Works.** Jay Stubbs, Bellaire HS. <https://youtu.be/2uKBbsBoRk4>
- **How to Present Evidence & Analysis.** Jay Stubbs, Bellaire HS. [https://youtu.be/z-CUdye0\\_bk](https://youtu.be/z-CUdye0_bk)
- **How to Speak Effectively in a Congress.** Jay Stubbs, Bellaire HS. <https://youtu.be/5IpbNm3IRxE>
- **How to Answer Questions in Congress.** Jay Stubbs, Bellaire HS. <https://youtu.be/qDErlgcMxFI>

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## *THEATRE*

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### ONE-ACT PLAY

- **How to OAP! A Session for the New(ish) Director.** Paula Rodriguez, director of theatre. <https://youtu.be/oufr4ePMb9k>
- **The Most Often-Given Notes During My Thirty Years Adjudicating.** Rod Caspers, Caspers Production and UT Austin, retired. <https://youtu.be/hvUdQVYryQY>

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### THEATRICAL DESIGN

- **Theatrical Design Scenic Design.** Rachael Gomez, state contest director. (Capital Conference Recording) <https://youtu.be/RKqO1pye0ql>
- **Theatrical Design Part I- Which Element is Best for Me?.** Kim Fryman, Mount Enterprise HS. <https://youtu.be/BNY-ODnnW7E>
- **Introducing Theatrical Design Tutorial.** Kim Fryman, Mount Enterprise HS. <https://youtu.be/BNY-ODnnW7E>
- **Theatrical Design Self-Evaluations Part II.** Kim Fryman, Mount Enterprise HS. <https://youtu.be/4kBEbR6bG8g>
- **Theatrical Design Set Design Category Part III.** Kim Fryman, Mount Enterprise HS. <https://youtu.be/N-fr-fulgk4>
- **Theatrical Design Costume Category Part IV.** Kim Fryman, Mount Enterprise HS. <https://youtu.be/VWQt3XuKdrw>
- **Theatrical Design Marketing Design Category Part V.** Kim Fryman, Mount Enterprise HS. [https://youtu.be/Rht6RHe\\_RuY](https://youtu.be/Rht6RHe_RuY)
- **Theatrical Design Hair and Makeup Design Category Part VI.** Kim Fryman, Mount Enterprise HS. <https://youtu.be/5hDEnfCCTqs>

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**FILM**

- **Film Contest Narrative Category.** Marco Gonzalez, Nixon HS, Laredo. (Capital Conference Recording)  
[https://youtu.be/ly0oEBO\\_HUI](https://youtu.be/ly0oEBO_HUI)

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**A+ COORDINATOR**

- **A+ Fundamentals for Coordinators.** Lisa Parker, A+ assistant director. (Capital Conference Recording)  
[https://youtu.be/GaJlIZIV\\_Cw](https://youtu.be/GaJlIZIV_Cw)

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**MATH AND NUMBER SENSE**

- **Math and Number Sense for Coaches.** Andy Zapata, A+ Consultant. (Capital Conference Recording)  
<https://youtu.be/R9y4MYXEolw>

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**SOCIAL STUDIES**

- **Social Studies for Students.** Carolyn Long, A+ Social Studies Consultant.  
[https://youtu.be/TkC1EzS\\_zDM](https://youtu.be/TkC1EzS_zDM)