

## Embracing Technology – Intermediate Conference – Now Accepting Workshop Submissions

To: Presidents and All Members

From: Harvey Bischof, President

## **For Action**

Once again, OSSTF/FEESO has been provided with funding to support a professional development conference to enhance Technology in Education. This funding is being specifically offered to support OSSTF/FEESO members working in district school boards.

The Educational Services Department of OSSTF/FEESO is planning *Embracing Technology - Intermediate* in Toronto on May 30, 2018. The conference will be offered in English. We are inviting submissions from OSSTF/FEESO members who are willing to share their knowledge and experiences with the use of technology. OSSTF/FEESO members are encouraged to submit possible workshop topics that will provide information on how technology can be used to enhance education.

Submissions are welcome from OSSTF/FEESO members employed by a district school board in any job class that involves the use of technology. All approved workshop presenters will be invited to attend the entire conference with expenses related to time release, transportation, accommodation, and meals covered as per the 2017-2018 Federation Allowable Expenditure Guidelines.

Interested OSSTF/FEESO members are encouraged to submit their name and current role in education along with the title of the workshop and a brief description for a 90-minute presentation. **Submissions must be received no later than March 23, 2018**. Those selected to participate at the conference will be notified the week of April 3, 2018.

Please send your submissions to Cathy Renfrew either by email (<u>cathy.renfrew@osstf.ca</u>), fax (416-751-7079), or mail to the attention of Cathy Renfrew at the provincial office.

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