



2017 MAEA Fall Conference

Cobo Center

Westin Book Cadillac Hotel

November 2-5, 2017

Conference Theme: Retro in the Metro
Reconnect, Reimagine, Redesign

Join your friends and colleagues for a weekend filled with opportunities to re-CONNECT, re-DESIGN and re-IMAGINE what being an art teacher is all about in the re-VITALIZED heart of Detroit.

Co-Chairs: Lani Warner-Yuen, Adrienne DeMilner and Tanya Lockwood

Studies consistently show that art education not only nurtures creativity and innovation but also significantly impacts the cognitive, social and emotional development of children and youth. While students who have access to art education develop technical and expressive capacity in the arts, they also develop critical thinking and problem-solving skills and realize other cognitive, personal and social outcomes that contribute to the development of human potential.

More than 500 art educators, teaching in pk-12 schools, as well as teaching artists, researchers, scholars, administrators, and museum educators will take part in the MAEA Fall Conference. The Conference is geared specifically towards visual art educators in Pre-K through Higher Education. Presentation topics will cover National Standards, Technology, STEAM, Design Thinking, PLC time, hands-on workshops, new materials and technique workshops, etc. (the topics are not limited to the provided list). Main speakers or highlighted speakers: Endia Bael, photographer from NC, and NAEA President, Pat Franklin have committed... more in the works.

Registration costs:

- active / renewing member is: \$165
- retiree is: \$85
- spouse is: \$100
- *Children must also register for conf / meals*
- full-time student is: \$90

Hotel room cost: \$155, all rooms the block



