**Educational Technology** **Cooperative Annual Meeting**

***Access and Affordability***

September 13-15, 2016~ Renaissance Arts New Orleans

New Orleans, Louisiana

**Tuesday, Sept. 13**

Noon Lunch Blue Dog

*Higher Education Representatives*

*Joint Sessions for Electronic Campus and Educational Technology Cooperative Higher Education*

1 p.m. SECRRA to SARA Updates Patrons I

Mary Larson, Director, Student Access Programs and Services

What’s Happening in State Authoricaiton at the National Level

John Lopez, Deputy Director, National Council State Authorization

Reciprocity Agreement (NC-SARA)

Update on Federal Regulations and WCET/SAN Activities

Russ Poulin, Director of Policy and Analysis, WICHE Cooperative for

Educational Technologies (WCET)

*Educational Technology Cooperative K-12 Representatives*

1 p.m. Breaking Down Silos and Building Bridges Patrons II

Tracy Gray, Center on Technology and Disability

2 p.m. Break

2:15 Assistive Technology and Accessibility – What You Need to Know and Why

Tracy Gray, Center on Technology and Disability

Devon Wellington, Center on Technology and Disability

3:15 Roundtable discussions (Accessibility and other K-12 Issues)

**Tuesday, Sept. 13** *Electronic Campus and Educational Technology Cooperative*

6 p.m. Reception Patrons Foyer III/IV

6:30 Dinner Blue Dog

**Wednesday, Sept. 14**

7 a.m. Breakfast Blue Dog

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8 a.m. Meeting Begins Patrons I

***Welcome***

Wanda Barker, Director, Educational Technology Cooperative

SREB Update

Joan Lord,Vice President, Education Data, Policy Research and Programs

***Affordability***

8:30 Keynote:

***Open Education: The Moral, Business and Policy Case for OER***

Cable Green, Director of Open Education

Creative Commons

9:50 Break

10 a.m. **Finding OER, Barriers and Proper Marking**

Cable Green, Director of Open Education

Creative Commons

11:00 a.m. **Affordability/OER Panel**

Moderator: Cable Green, Creative Commons

Panel Members: John Opper, Florida Virtual Campus

Jeff Gallant, Affordable Learning Georgia

Whitney Whealdon, Louisiana Department of Education

12:00 Lunch Blue Dog

12:45 **Data Access** Patrons I

Melinda Maddox – Alabama State Department of Education

Susan Lounsbury – SREB Data Exchange

2 p.m. **10 Issues Work Session**

4 p.m. **State Reports – Flip or Flop**

Best Success and Biggest Flop of FY15-16

6 p.m. Dinner Calcasieu Rooms

Meet in hotel lobby

**Thursday, Sept. 15**

***Access***

7 a.m. Breakfast Blue Dog

8 a.m. **Intrastate Networking Visits** Patrons I

8:30 a.m. Keynote:

***Getting a Jump on Accessibility and Compliance***

Tracy Gray, Managing Director

Center on Technology and Disability

10 a.m. Break for hotel check-out

10:30 a.m. **Veteran Access and Affordability**

Robert Keown, Georgia Technical College System

Wanda Barker, Educational Technology Cooperative

11:30 Meeting Recap and Adjourn