

Kentucky Association for Gifted Education (KAGE)

2027 Annual Conference – Call for Proposals

The Road to Greatness Begins Here

February 22–23, 2027

Knically Conference Center | Bowling Green, Kentucky

The Kentucky Association for Gifted Education (KAGE) invites educators, administrators, counselors, coordinators, researchers, university faculty, and advocates to submit proposals for the 2027 KAGE Annual Conference.

This year's theme, *The Road to Greatness Begins Here*, celebrates the journey of nurturing talent, inspiring curiosity, and creating meaningful learning experiences for gifted and advanced learners. We are seeking engaging, research-informed, and practical sessions that inspire educators and provide strategies they can immediately implement.

We're excited to welcome Andi McNair as our keynote speaker. A former classroom teacher and gifted education consultant, Andi is known for helping educators design learning experiences that foster student ownership, creativity, and deeper thinking through meaningful, authentic learning.

Presentation Topics

We welcome proposals on topics such as:

- Gifted education best practices
- Identification and equitable access
- Differentiation and advanced curriculum
- Creativity, inquiry, and innovation
- Social-emotional needs of gifted learners
- Twice-exceptional (2e) learners
- STEM/STEAM and emerging technologies
- Artificial intelligence in education
- Leadership, advocacy, and programming
- Research and evidence-based practices

Session Format

- 45-Minute Concurrent Sessions
- Interactive sessions with practical takeaways are encouraged.

Proposal Information

Please include:

- Session title
- Presenter(s) and affiliation
- Session description (100–200 words)
- Three learning outcomes
- Intended audience
- Brief presenter biography

Submit Your Proposal

Ready to share your expertise? Please complete the KAGE 2027 Conference Proposal Submission Form using the link below.

- Proposal Submission Form: [LINK HERE](#)
- Submission Deadline: September 30, 2026

We look forward to learning with you as we travel The Road to Greatness Begins Here.