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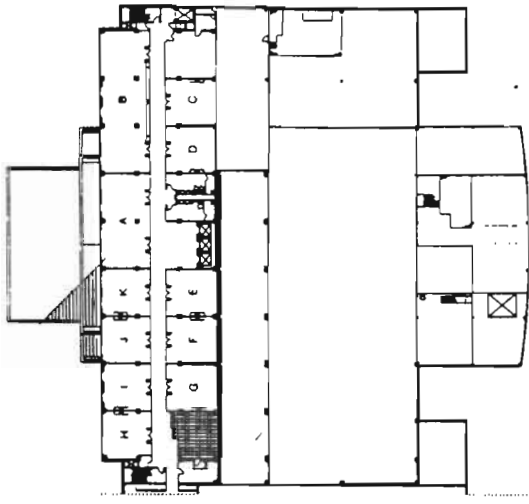


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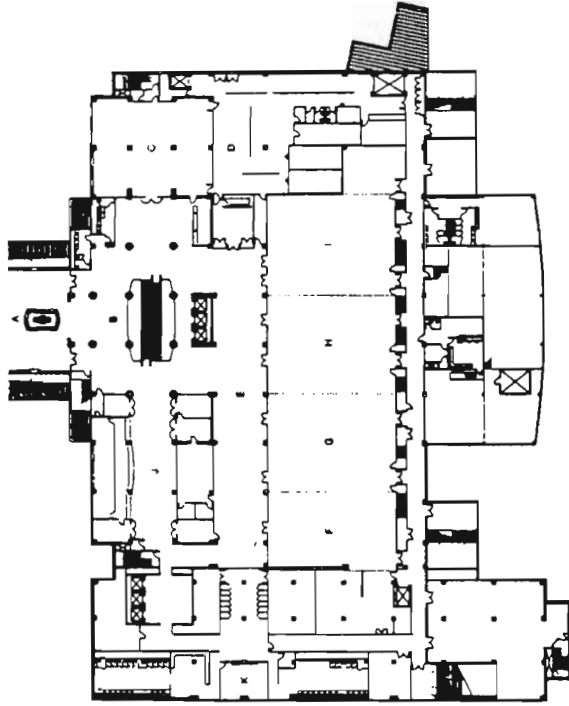
CONFERENCE LEVEL

Crowne Plaza Hotel Springfield, IL
10,250 square feet

Room Name	Square feet	Theater style	Classroom 30" tables
Raynor Boardroom	1400	165	85
Illinois Conference Room	2100	240	120
Sangamon Conference Room	750	90	45
Springfield Conference Room	750	90	45
Capital I Meeting Room	750	90	45
Capital II Meeting Room			
Capital III Meeting Room			
Capital IV Meeting Room			
Capital V Meeting Room			
Capital VI Meeting Room			
Capital VII Meeting Room			
Capital VIII Meeting Room			

Legend:

- A Raynor Boardroom
- B Illinois Conference Room
- C Sangamon Conference Room
- D Springfield Conference Room
- E Capital I Meeting Room
- F Capital II Meeting Room
- G Capital III Meeting Room
- H Capital IV Meeting Room
- I Capital V Meeting Room
- J Capital VI Meeting Room
- K Capital VII Meeting Room



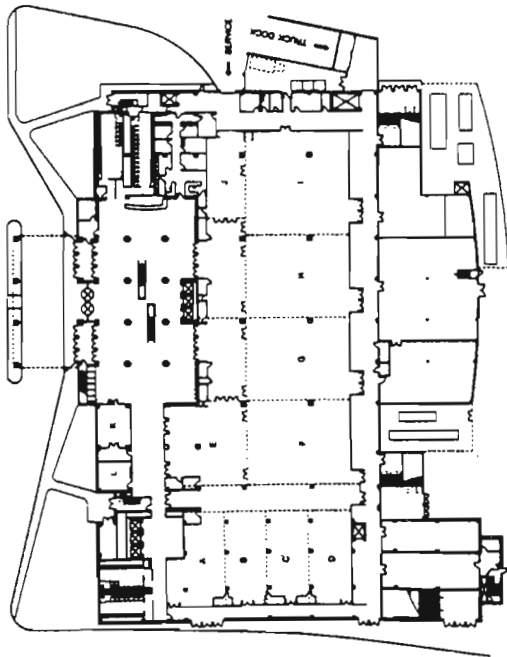
BALLROOM LEVEL

The Crown Ballroom, Crowne Plaza Hotel Springfield, IL
15,000 square feet 1200 dinner seating 1800 theater seating

Room Name	Square feet	Theater style	Classroom 30" tables	Reunds 72"/10 people
Ruby	2800	325	160	225
Emerald	3700	435	220	300
Diamond	3700	435	220	300
Sapphire	3800	450	225	310

Legend:

- A Lounge
- B Lobby
- C Restaurant
- D Banquet Kitchen
- E Pre-function Area
- F Ruby Ballroom Area
- G Emerald Ballroom Area
- H Diamond Ballroom Area
- I Sapphire Ballroom Area
- J Registration
- K Coat



PLAZA LEVEL

Plaza Convention Center, Crowne Plaza Hotel Springfield, IL
30,000 square feet 2500 dinner seating 3500 theater seating

Room Name	Square feet	Theater style	Classroom 30" tables	Reunds 72"/10 people
Plaza A	1800	210	105	150
Plaza B	1600	185	95	130
Plaza C	1500	175	90	120
Plaza D	1600	185	95	130
Plaza E	2600	300	150	210
Plaza F	3600	425	210	290
Plaza G	3600	425	210	290
Plaza H	3600	425	210	290
Plaza I	4500	525	265	360
Plaza J	1400	165	85	110

Legend:

- A Plaza A
- B Plaza B
- C Plaza C
- D Plaza D
- E Plaza E
- F Plaza F
- G Plaza G
- H Plaza H
- I Plaza I
- J Plaza J
- K Gift shop/Business center
- L Convention services



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Connections '97 Conferences

Featured Speakers:

Glen Hiemstra

*Hiemstra International
Redmond, Washington*

*June 12, 1997 - Opening Keynote Speaker & Concurrent Sessions
- Beyond 2001: Thinking In the Future Tense*

Wayne Zako

*Human Options
Rapid City, South Dakota*


Concurrent Sessions:

- Contextual & Integrated Learning*
- Proactive Leadership*
- Cooperative Learning*
- Teaching Thinking Skills for the Workplace*

Mary Fisher

*Five Star Speakers
Overland Park, KS*

*June 13, 1997 - Closing Keynote Speaker & Concurrent Session
- Humor In The Workplace*





Glen Hiemstra

Hiemstra International

Opening Keynote Speaker

Glen Hiemstra, from Redmond, Washington, is the co-author of *Strategic Leadership: Achieving Your Preferred Future*. A small businessperson and consultant since 1981, Glen works with business, government and communities primarily on preferred future planning. One of the most respected futurists in the United States, Glen has worked for enterprises in aerospace, energy, telecommunications, computers, transportation, financial services, human services, and health care, as well as in government and community planning. Past clients include Boeing Computer Services, Boeing Commercial Airplanes, Washington State Employees Credit Union, Whidbey General Hospital, Burlington Northern, Weyerhaeuser, Northern Telecom, Rayonier, Lease Insurance, Regional Transit Authority, Cities of Seattle, Bellevue, Kirkland, Issaquah and Longview, Washington, and Atlanta Vision 2020.


In his early career as an educator, Glen was selected Most Influential Professor at Whitworth College in 1980, the youngest person to ever win that award. In 1989 Glen served as the Washington State Centennial Futurist, and has worked with more than a dozen states looking to create their preferred future in the areas of education, transportation, economic development and the environment.

In addition to his consulting business, Glen also publishes the newsletter, *Thinking in the Future Tense*. In 1994 he co-produced *Leadership Library 1.0*, an interactive computerized leadership manual available for the PC. He is the "Online Futurist" for PriceCostco, on their worldwide web site at www.pricecostco.com.

Glen is past chair of the Smart Cities Task Force, a private-public partnership in the greater Seattle area which worked to speed the introduction of world-class information systems in the region, and a past Director of Worldesign, a virtual reality design company.

Glen lives in Redmond, Washington with his wife Tracie and their three children.

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Wayne Zako

Human Options


Featured Speaker

Wayne Zako travels throughout the U.S. and Canada training teachers and administrators in how to make the classroom experience more rewarding for the students and teachers alike. He has trained over 12,000 teachers. Wayne provides extensive training in how people learn and what teachers can do to create a more "natural" learning environment.

He also conducts training in the areas of critical thinking, cooperative learning, developing proactive leadership, integrating the SCANS skills into the curriculum, and team building using the Myers-Briggs Type Indicator®.

Wayne has his Masters of Education in Curriculum and Instruction from South Dakota State University. Wayne is a member of the part-time staff at Western Dakota Technical Institute in Rapid City, South Dakota and is President of Human Options, an educational consulting company committed to individual success. Human Options is built on the premise that "Everyone deserves to be successful at school, work, and in relationships. Miracles happen when people feel successful and worthy."

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Mary Fisher
Five Star Speakers
Closing Keynote Speaker

Mary Fisher is a highly sought-after speaker and trainer who is meriting recognition on the speaker circuit all over North America. She is a rising star who consistently received 4.8 and 4.9 on a 5 point scale on participant evaluations.

She has the respected reputation as a dynamic and unique personality who provides solid content with hilarious examples.

Mary's background from front-line to executive-level positions in sales, marketing, government, and training provides her with organizational insight. She has held the position of national training manager for a well-known cosmetic company and was a public relations professional for a major U.S. retailer. These experiences, as well as writing and speaking abilities, have prepared her well for her role as a professional speaker.

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Connections '97 Conferences

Agenda:

**Thursday,
June 12, 1997**

8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	Registration & Continental Breakfast
9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.	Opening Keynote with Glen Hiemstra
10:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.	Breakout Sessions Showcasing Education-to-Careers Innovations
11:45 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	Luncheon in the Ballroom
1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	Breakout Sessions Showcasing Education-to-Careers Innovations
4:30 p.m.	Networking Social in the Ballroom

**Friday,
June 13, 1997**

7:30 a.m. - 8:15 a.m.	Continental Breakfast
8:15 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	Breakout Sessions Showcasing Education-to-Careers Innovations
12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.	Lunch & Closing Keynote Presentation with Mary Fisher

Networking Social!!

Share your experiences with your colleagues!

**Thursday, June 12, 1997 - 4:45 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. - Crowne Ballroom
Complimentary Hors D'Oeuvres, Cash Bar and D.J. Mike Greer**

- Fresh vegetables, dip & cheese buffett
- Old Bay deviled eggs
- salami coronets stuffed with cream cheese
- cherry tomatoes stuffed with herbed cream cheese
- strawberry and cream cheese canapies
- cold smoked atlantic salmon, bagels, sliced red onions and capers
- roast tenderloin of beef with bearnaise sauce and cracked black pepper
- smoked breast of turkey with mango nutmet and honey mustard
- Chinese egg rolls with sweet & sour sauce
- Crab rangoon with curried honey mustard
- Spanikapita, phyllo pastry stuffed with cream cheese and spinach
- Fried chicken tenders with BBQ sauce
- Miniature pizza bagels
- Assorted sweet bites
- Regular, decaf & flavored coffee and teas with special toppings including whipped cream, chocolate shavings, orange zest, and sugar cubes





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For Your Information

- For each session attended, please fill out an evaluation form and return to the presenter.
- Also, at the closing luncheon, a Connections '97 overall conference evaluation will be placed at the tables. Please complete the form and leave it on the table after the luncheon.
- If you have not received a receipt for your registration payment, please contact the Illinois State University's Conferencing Unit at 309-438-2160. They will not be provided at the registration tables.
- After the conference, instead of throwing your name badge and program booklet away, we urge you to recycle them at the registration tables in the boxes marked recycle.





Connections '97 Conferences

Presentation Codes:


Topic Areas:

A	-	Agriculture	H	-	Health
AG	-	Agencies not-for-profit, public	HSS	-	History/Social Studies
AR	-	Art	II	-	Improved Instruction
B	-	Business	LA	-	Language Arts
CD	-	Career Development	M	-	Math
CI	-	Curriculum Integration	PD	-	Program Development
CON	-	Connecting Activities	S	-	Science
CT	-	Computer Tech	SP	-	Special Needs
ETC	-	Education-to-Careers	T	-	Technology Education
FCS	-	Family & Consumer Sciences	WBL	-	Workbased Learning

Audiences:

ADM	-	Administrator
B/I	-	Business Industry
CG	-	Career Guidance
P	-	Parents
T	-	Teachers

Levels:

B/I	-	Business Industry
E	-	Elementary
M	-	Middle/Junior High School
P	-	Postsecondary
S	-	Secondary
	-	Award Winner

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June 12, 1997 Sessions

Room:	9:00- 10:30	10:45 am - 11:45 am	11:45- 1:00	1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	2:15 pm - 3:15 pm	3:30 pm - 4:30 pm		
Capital 5 T-60		Beaver Cleaver is Gone: Serving the At Risk Population - Oregon High School - Sherer, Janicke C5-1	Luncheon in the Ballroom			Eight Weeks of Frustration Pays Off in the End - Jefferson Middle School - Ahlden, Sutton C5-2	Eight Weeks of Frustration Pays Off in the End - Jefferson Middle School - Ahlden, Sutton C5-3	Panther Pathways - Pathway to the Positives - Delavan High School - Dare, Schroeder C5-4
Governor T-60	Glen	I.P.A.S.S.: Improving Personal Affective and Social Skills, Preparation for Life and Work - Las Casas Occupational High School - Negovan, Reimer G-1	Luncheon in the Ballroom			L3 (Learning, Labs and Laughter) - Joliet Township High School District 204 - Otis, Goetzelman G-2	Extended Learning - Ewing Northern Grade School - Hart, Ferguson G-3	Prairie Central H.A.W.K. Class: Healthy Attitudes Worth Keeping - Prairie Central High School - Quinn, Hahn G-4
Illinois T-90 C-55	Hlemstra	Forum on the Issues - Discussing those Things That We Can Never Deal With Because We're Always Down There in The Trenches - Richland Community College - Shepherd I-1	Luncheon in the Ballroom			Try a Special Need On for Size - Livingston Area Education for Employment - Peterson, Wood I-2	Try a Special Need On for Size - Livingston Area Education for Employment - Peterson, Wood I-3	Focusing Flashlights, Satellite Dishes and Hanging Chains: Applied Academics-Mathematics from Context - Western Illinois University - White I-4
Plaza A T-90 C-55	Keynote	Youth Apprenticeship: Employer Return on Investment and Legal Issues - DEVRO-TEEPAK - Smith PA-1	Luncheon in the Ballroom			Tech Prep: Return on Investment for Employers - DEVRO-TEEPAK - Smith PA-2	Futuristic Educational Focus on Careers - Lincoln Community High School - Rohlf, Olmstead PA-3	Nestle-Illinois School for the Deaf Partnership - Entrepreneurial Program - Illinois School for the Deaf - Ketter, Goretzke PA-4
Plaza B T-90 C-55	Speaker	Sophomore Block: Career Preparation for Every Student - Coal City High School - Elledge, Painter, Smith PB-1	Luncheon in the Ballroom			Cooperative Learning in a Workplace Environment - Fieldcrest High School Hood, McNamara PB-2	Parents + Students + Tech Prep = Success - Joliet Central High School Tech Prep - Gaddis, Gaddis, Rainey, Garcia PB-3	Tech Prep for Beginners: A Small School Approach - Central Community High School District #71 - Groff, Rittenhouse, Slevers, Schonhoff PB-4
Plaza C T-90 C-55	In The	The Classics and Beyond: Business Themes in Literature - Illinois Central College - Jordan PC-1	Luncheon in the Ballroom			Thumbs Up for Project REACH - Vermilion Association for Special Education - Martin, McConnell PC-2	Academic and Occupational Integration in Illinois Community Colleges - Illinois Community College Board - McGrath, Boyd PC-3	Building New Partnerships ... Governments, Schools, and Businesses - Champaign County Regional Planning Commission - Herr PC-4
Plaza D T-90 C-55	Ballroom	The Zumstein Gas Generator - Tremont High School - Zumstein, King PD-1	Luncheon in the Ballroom			Engineering Explorations - Secondary Options - Lyons Township High School - Bond, Garton PD-2	Development Assessment - Implementation of the U.S. & State of IL Science Standards - Foreman High School - Tower PD-3	The ABC's of Science (Applied Biology & Chemistry) - Chester High School - Franklin, Johnson PD-4

Plaza E T-225 C-90	Is Block 8 in Your Future? - New Berlin High School - Kornnick, Koltun, Stinebaker PE-1	CAD to Desktop Publishing / Why Mix Ingredients - Triad High School - Tucker, Gire PE-2	Illinois Education-to-Careers: What Is It? Where Are We? Where Are We Going - Illinois State Board of Education - Ohare, Burger PE-3	CAD to Desktop Publishing / Why Mix Ingredients - Triad High School - Tucker, Gire PE-4
Plaza F T-300 C-120	Contextual and Integrated Learning...Creating Classrooms that Connect to the World - Human Options - Wayne Zako PF-1	Proactive Leadership... Creating a Vision for the Future - Human Options - Wayne Zako PF-2	Beyond 2001: Thinking in the Future Tense - A Discussion Session - Hiemstra PF-3	Beyond 2001: Thinking in the Future Tense - A Discussion Session - Hiemstra PF-4
Plaza G T-300 C-120		Opportunities Knock - Blue Ridge High School, Unit District #18 - Drake, Beine PG-2	Improved Career Decision Making (ICDM) Means I Can Do More (with Data) - Illinois Occupational Information - Lucas PG-3	Maximizing Partnerships for Work-Based Learning - Southeastern Illinois College - Hamilton, Hering PG-4
Plaza H T-450 C-200				
Plaza I T-325 C-120	Authentic Learning: Publishing Our Link to the World Wide Web. - Egyptian High School - Leatherman PH-1	Authentic Learning: Publishing Our Link to the World Wide Web. - Egyptian High School - Leatherman PH-2	Computer MultiMedia - Lyons Township High School - Bond, Garton PH-3	Computer MultiMedia - Lyons Township High School - Bond, Garton PH-4
Plaza J T-100 C-55	The Grapevine - Workbased Learning with a New Twist - Vermilion Vocational Education Delivery System - Carter, Blackmon PJ-1	Junior Job Shadowing - A Day of Exploration - East Peoria Community High School - Zaiser, Swicke PJ-2	To Walk in My Shoes - MacArthur High School - Barr, Mattias PJ-3	Try a Special Need On for Size - Livingston Area Education for Employment - Peterson, Wood PJ-4
Sangamon T-60	Integrated Curriculum at Putnam County High School - Putnam County CUSD #535 - Johnson SA-1	Hands on Learning: Integrating Your Curriculum to a New Level - Southwestern High School - Schmidt, Elliott, Hutchins, Chism, Wrigley, Buscher, Siemer, Sinclair, Mank, Coffman, Davidson SA-2	Team Nutrition Food Fair - A Bite for a Buck - Williamsfield District 210 - LaFollette, LaFollette SA-3	Successful Strategies from Academics to Internships (Instructors Share Their Best Practices) - Salem Community High School - Long, Stephenson, Nix, Lively SA-4

June 13, 1997 Sessions

Room:	8:15 am - 9:15 am	9:30 am - 10:30 am	10:45 am - 11:45 am	12:00- 2:00
Capital 5 T-60	Drafting - Applied Math Curriculum - Kaskaskia College - Walsh, Rittenhouse C-5-5	Child and Day Care Services Internship - Roxana High School - Goodson C-5-6		
Governor T-60	Career Mentor Alumni Program (Career MAP) - Belleville Area College - Nelson, Burke, Heuer G-5	A Way to Better Pay - Unit District #9 - Kolbe G-6	Tech Prep Work Site Experience - Midwest Central High School - Cihlar G-7	
Illinois T-90 C-55	The Ultimate Partnership: Universal Cooperation Project - John A. Logan College - Rivers, Parks, Gayer I-5	Marion Pepsi/John A. Logan College Partnership - John A. Logan College - White, Searcy I-6	Marion Pepsi/John A. Logan College Partnership - John A. Logan College - White, Searcy I-7	
Plaza A T-90 C-55	Standards, Standards Everywhere!!! How Do They Fit Together - Illinois State Board of Education - Schalljo, Lafferty PA-5	Tech Prep in the Communication Classroom - Heyworth High School - Link, Morgan PA-6	Webster Health Science Partnership Academy - Panel Presentation - What We Would Do Different - Springfield School District #186 - Leming, McHenry, Kempiners, Burge PA-7	
Plaza B T-90 C-55	Let Us Show You a Real Tech Prep Project... A Bridge Designed and Built by Students - Ridgeview Jr.-Sr. High School - Winn, Drab, McKittrick, Crane, Rathke PB-5	Five Point Apprenticeship Plan - Danville Area Community College - Mills PB-6		
Plaza C T-90 C-55	Integration Projects - Elements of Success - Western Illinois University - Carter, Ashinger, Headly, Baggett PC-5	The Embarrass River Project - Villa Grove High School - Shadwick, White, Krejci PC-6	From the Ground Up - Litchfield High School - Shelton, Johnson PC-7	
Plaza D T-90 C-55	Get Your Hands on SCANS: An ETC Focus - Career Development Systems - Waters, Hofstrand PD-5	Get Your Hands on SCANS: An ETC Focus - Career Development Systems - Waters, Hofstrand PD-6		
				Mary Fisher Keynote Speaker & Luncheon In The Ballroom

Plaza E T-225 C-90	Health Vocational Skills for Patient-Centered Care - Illinois Central College, Health & Public Services Building - Kinsinger PE-5	How to Start a Business - Illinois Central College - Heartsfield, Rhodes PE-6	Jamaica High School's Community Service Project - Jamaica High School - Rinehart, Yeazel PE-7
Plaza F T-300 C-120	Cooperative Learning...Beyond forming Groups in the Classroom - Human Options - Wayne Zako PF-5	Teaching Thinking Skills for the Workplace...A Necessary Skill - Human Options - Wayne Zako PF-6	The Survivor Syndrome: A Humorous Look At a New Beginning - Five Star Speakers - Mary Fisher PF-7
Plaza G T-300 C-120	The Secret Life of Walter Mitty and Other Tech-Prep Lesson Plans - Oakwood High School - Kimbro, Lee PG-5	4 Block, Presentation - Divermon CUSD #13 - Zimmermann, Spaid PG-6	Helping Youth Learn How to Learn - Northern Illinois University - Roth PG-7
Plaza H T-450 C-200	PH- 5 & 6 ←-----Carousel Sessions (see page V for listing of programs)----->		
Plaza I T-325 C-120	I Want My HTML!!! - Virtual "Education-to-Careers" on the Internet - Illinois State Board of Education - Berkman, Ohare PI-5	Welcome to Your Future-Technology - Brimfield High School - Nelson, Blane, Miller, Freamer PI-6	Welcome to Your Future-Technology - Brimfield High School - Nelson, Blane, Miller, Freamer PI-7
Plaza J T-100 C-55	Jobs for America's Graduates - A National Program Model with Results - Southern Illinois University - Ashline, Rotherham, Springer PJ-5	Jobs for America's Graduates - A National Program Model with Results - Southern Illinois University - Ashline, Rotherham, Springer PJ-6	Preparing Foodservice Managers for the Future Workplace - Illinois Restaurant Association - Block, Kuester, Michel, Warren PJ-7
Sangamon T-60	Preparing Students for Self-Directed Work - Northern Illinois University - Bailey SA-5	Preparing Students for Self-Directed Work - Northern Illinois University - Bailey SA-6	Partnerships That Work - Marion High School - Grant, Harland SA-7

June 13, 1997, Carousel listing, 8:15am - 10:30am

	Title of Pres	Organization	Presenters		
Car-1	Tech Preparty: A Version of TV's Jeopardy	Belleville Area College	Barber	Benesh	
Car-2	Business & School Partnerships : The Driving Challenge (Serving the Needs of at Risk Students)	Bloomington Jr. High School	Huntman	Owen	Burke
Car-3	Healthy Foods/Healthy Kids (HFHK)	Lincoln Land Community College	Kitterman	Fargo	
Car-4	The Choice is Yours: Teen Parents Educate Peers	Lewis & Clark Community College	Johnson	Warnecke	
Car-5	Career Interest Survey Video	Pekin Community High School	Spialek	Teal	
Car-6	Tera U	Terasys	Geater	Cash	McFarland
Car-7	Career Awareness Project	Vermilion Vocational Education Delivery System	Brewer		
Car-8	Education to Careers / Professions (ECP)	c/o Champaign County Chamber	Taube		
Car-9	Brainchild: Portable Learning Labs	Southeastern Illinois College	King		
Car-11	Youth in Industry Day Livingston County Style	Livingston Area Education for Employment System	Peterson	Minnaert	
Car-12	BIE Partnership Day	Litchfield High School	Eison	Hall	Cassity
			Hott		

The carousel is a round table session held in the large ballroom. The block for the carousel is two hours from 8:30am - 10:40am. During this session, presentations will be presented 4 times, 20 minutes each with a 10 minute break in between.