

## MISIC Spring Conference:

# *Focus on Inquiry*

**Thursday, April 12, 2018**

**FFA Enrichment Center – Ankeny**

**Registration 8:00-8:30am**

**Conference 8:30-3:00pm**

### **Morning General Session: *Inquiry in Action***

Professionals from various fields share how inquiry is embedded in their careers and personal lives.

**Featuring:** Jill Alt, Iowa State Daily; Erin Rosacker, ISU University Relations; Paul Beers, Scrum Master (IT) & Erik Brincks, NewLink Genetics

### **Lunch Keynote Session Featuring:**

Katrina "Rena" Sletten, an award winner of a Brooke Owens Fellowship for women in aerospace fields, will share her personal journey as an advocate for learning science.

#### **20+ Breakout Sessions featuring:**

- Jill Alt, Iowa State Daily
- Erik Brincks, NewLink Genetics
- DE Science Consultant, Kris Kilibarda
- 2017 Teacher of the Year, Shelly Vroegh
- MISIC Member Districts
- the MISIC team and More!



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#### **Sessions Include:**

- Coaching for Inquiry
- Media Consumer Crash Course
- What Makes Learning Stick With Our Generation Z Learners?
- Questioning to Support Growth in Teacher Efficacy
- Rebooting Your PLC with an Inquiry Focus
- Let's Get Our Inquiry On in Middle School Math
- Math Modeling Overview K-12
- Number Sense K-5
- Bringing Inquiry to Life in Your Science and Social Studies Classroom
- Science Curriculum Review: Selecting Well Designed Materials to Support Inquiry
- Teaching and Learning Through Inquiry
- Using Text Sets to Promote Inquiry
- Socratic Seminar: Questioning from the Ground Up
- Should there be Zoos? Inquiry in the Language Arts Classroom (Grades 3-8)
- Explore Social Studies Through the Lens of Compelling Questions and Intentional Unit & Lesson Design
- Project Based Learning, Inquiry & Social Studies
- Inquiring Minds Want to Know: High Quality Sources of Information in Social Studies
- Using MISIC Resources to Support Teachers in Teaching Inquiry
- Using Curriculum Manager to Ensure that Students are Taught the Inquiry (and other) Standards

***Each participant will be able to choose 4 sessions to attend during the conference.***

**Cost: \$100 MISIC Members/\$195 Non-Members\*\*\***

Register four people from your district and the 5<sup>th</sup> person is free!

\*\*\*Note: Non-Member registration costs of \$95 will be credited to districts that join MISIC within the fiscal year 2017-2018.