

***Announcing the first annual  
Emerging Leaders Conference for Ohio Mathematics Educators***

Sponsored by the Ohio Council of Teachers of Mathematics



**Saturday, April 18, 2009**

9:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Columbus, OH – Ohio Dominican University

Who is invited to participate:

Teachers with five years of experience or less

Pre-service teachers

- Attendees will participate in leadership development activities with leading Ohio mathematics educators, including OCTM officers, and will become familiar with mathematics professional activities and opportunities in Ohio.
- Sessions will also include opportunities to discuss local issues and strategies for promoting quality mathematics teaching and learning in classrooms, schools, and districts.

Each participant will receive leadership materials, an OCTM gift, and a certificate of attendance for 5.5 contact hours.

Interested persons should submit the included form by **March 31, 2009**.

Registrants are encouraged to register in teams of two from the same institution or OCTM affiliate, but this is not required.

Registrations will be accepted in the order in which they are received.

Registration cost (for refreshments and lunch):

**OCTM members:** \$10

**Non-members** (includes a year membership) –

Pre-service teachers: \$15; Teachers: \$35

(Checks and purchase orders should be written to OCTM.)

Please include payment with registration.

E-mail Kim Yoak ([kjyoak@gmail.com](mailto:kjyoak@gmail.com)) with any questions.

**We hope you will join us for this exciting opportunity!**

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**\*\*\* Detailed agenda announced! \*\*\***

- 9:30 Registration (starting at 9:00), networking and refreshments  
9:45 Introductions/Setting a course  
9:55 How does **OCTM** serve teachers?  
(presentation by Kim Yoak, OCTM president; table discussions\*)  
10:25 Thoughts on leadership (part I) – OCTM board members  
10:35 How does the **Ohio Department of Education** serve teachers?  
(presentation by Vicky Kirschner, mathematics consultant, ODE;  
table discussions\*)  
11:05 Break  
11:15 Thoughts on leadership (part II) – OCTM board members  
11:25 How can **college students** become involved in the profession?  
(presentation by Marissa Blewitt, OUCTM president; table discussions\*)  
11:50 Sharing out from morning table discussions  
12:10 Lunch and networking  
12:50 How does the **Ohio Mathematics and Science Coalition** use partnerships  
to align mathematics education efforts across the state? (presentation by  
George Viebranz, Executive Director, OMSC; table discussions\*)  
1:20 Thoughts on leadership (part III) – OCTM board members  
1:30 How does the **Ohio Resource Center** serve teachers?  
(presentation by Mike Mikusa, Mathematics Review Board Chair, ORC;  
table discussions\*)  
2:00 Break  
2:10 Sharing out from afternoon table discussions  
2:30 Thoughts on leadership (part IV) – OCTM board members  
2:40 Goalsetting and wrap up (evaluations and door prizes)  
3:00 Adjournment

\*During table discussions, participants will be asked to discuss how each organization can better serve Ohio teachers and how new teachers can become involved.

We are pleased to announce that **Sheridan Worldwide** will be exhibiting and selling classroom items throughout the day, and participants will be able to shop before and after the conference, as well as during lunch and breaks! Visit their website at <http://www.classroomgoodies.com>!

Door prizes will also be provided by  
Randy Miller with **Texas Instruments** and Elizabeth Boring with **Pearson Education**!  
Visit <http://education.ti.com> and <http://www.pearsonschool.com>!

Registration form  
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Applicant's name \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number \_\_\_\_\_ Check one: Home \_\_\_\_\_ Work \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Pre-service teacher in my \_\_\_\_\_ year of college  (Complete the appropriate line)

Practicing teacher with \_\_\_\_\_ years of experience (this year included)

Grade band of interest: PK-2 \_\_\_\_\_ 3-5 \_\_\_\_\_ 6-8 \_\_\_\_\_ 9-12 \_\_\_\_\_

Institution or OCTM affiliate represented \_\_\_\_\_

Nominated by \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Tell us a little about yourself – what are your special interests in mathematics education?  
What questions do you have about mathematics education in Ohio? Have you had any opportunities to serve as a leader?

*Please return this form to Caroline Borrow at 21149 Sydenham Road; Shaker Heights, OH 44122 by **March 31, 2009 (with payment)**. Participants will receive confirmation when this form is received.*