Minneapolis Special Events

THURSDAY, MARCH 26

7:00–9:00pm
Opening Night pARTy!
Kick off the Convention with a visual arts education celebration! Mix and mingle with art educators from around the globe while you enjoy an interactive DJ, photo booth, hands-on activities, prizes, and more! You don't want to miss this annual event!
**Ticket Price: $10**
{Tickets are available only to registered attendees and their registered guest}

FRIDAY, MARCH 27

12:00–1:50pm
Getting the Gig: Mock Interviews (Speed Date Style)
Join the Preservice and Supervision Division in a round of mock interviews and receive insightful feedback to develop your skills and ensure you get the gig! Preservice members will have practice answering interview questions in one-on-one mock interviews with Supervision Division members and receive feedback on their interview. The purpose of the mock interview is to better prepare the Preservice member for interviews with supervisors and principals in their home districts. Each Preservice member will be expected to come prepared as if this was a real interview: dressed to impress, resumes printed, and portfolio (digital or printed) ready to be shown. This workshop provides a great professional development opportunity for Preservice participants to learn from Supervision Division professionals who will provide valuable feedback on how to develop and improve their interview skills. Open only to NAEA Members who are Preservice or First Year Professional. Located in the Convention Center.
**Ticket Price: No charge**
**Maximum Number of Participants: 30**

SATURDAY, MARCH 28

10:30–11:50am
NAEF Fundraising Event
Annual fundraising event for the National Art Education Foundation (NAEF). Speakers will be Phyllis Root and Betsy Bowen. Root is the author of more than 40 children’s books and Bowen has written and illustrated numerous children’s books. Located in the Convention Center.
**Ticket Price: $50 ($40 is tax deductible)**
**Maximum Number of Participants: 80**