



**MAHPERD Leadership Development Conference**  
**“Stronger Together!”**  
**March 23, 2023**

**8:15-8:30am** *Welcome!*

**8:30am-10:00am** *Adapted Physical Education~* The nuts and bolts of identifying students; assessments to utilize; the IEP process and how to work with paraprofessionals.

**Presenter:** Tim Davis, Ph.D., CAPE- Associate Professor & Adapted Physical Education National Standards (APENS) Chair

Timothy D. Davis, Ph.D., CAPE has earned his bachelors and masters degrees in Physical Education/Adapted Physical Education from California State University at Chico and a PhD in Adapted Physical Education from the University of Virginia. He has been teaching in the field of Adapted Physical Education for over twenty years. He teaches a variety of undergraduate and graduate courses at State University of Cortland located in Upstate NY. These courses include Adapted Physical Activity and Sport, Motor Development, Instructional Strategies in APE, Inclusive Outdoor Education and Positive Behavior Management and Discipline.

Tim is the national chair of the Adapted Physical Education National Standards (APENS) Program and oversees the national standards and certification process in Adapted Physical Education sponsored by the National Consortium on Physical Education and Recreation for Individuals with Disabilities (NCPERID).

Tim received the Rozanne Brooks Distinguished Teaching Professor Award and was awarded the William A. Hillman Distinguished Service award through the National Consortium on Physical Education and Recreation for Individuals with Disabilities.

He is the director of the SUNY Cortland CHAMP/I Can Do It afterschool peer mentorship program, the Sensory Integration/Motor Sensory (SIMS) Movement Center, and creator of Project DREAM – a service learning program established to address the needs of transition age students with disabilities. Tim started Project LEAPE (Leadership in Education and Adapted Physical Education) – a leadership course that involves undergraduate students in service learning community projects that address the needs of children and adults with disabilities.

**10:00-10:15am** *Break*

**10:15-11:45am** *Round Table Discussions*

- Social Media Best Practices
- Grading Practices and Assessments
- Engaging Apprehensive Students in Health and PE
- Running Meaning Professional Development and Department Meetings

**11:45am-12:30pm** *Lunch*

**12:30-1:45pm** *Human Growth & Development and Human Sexuality Curriculum through an Equity Lens*

**Presenter:** Julie Fenn, Assistant Director of PE, Health and Wellness- Lexington Public Schools

Julie is a Licensed Independent Clinical Social Worker, Health Educator and school administrator with over 30 years experience working with children, adolescents and families. Julie worked for a private non-profit counseling agency on the South Shore for many years before working in the Lexington public schools as the school's K-12 Prevention Specialist and K-12 Health Educator. She became the Assistant Director of PE, Health and Wellness for Lexington in 2017. Julie has been a strong advocate for comprehensive sexual health education that is LGBTQ inclusive. She was featured in the CBSnews.com original, "Drinking culture and American kids".

**1:45-1:55pm** *Break*

**1:55pm-2:45pm** *Best Practices for Administrators*

Presenters: Katie Simes & Melonie Bennett, MAHPERD CTAHPE Chairs

**2:45pm** *Closing*

Evaluations & PDP's