

OPERATIONS MANUAL



MISSION SUCCESS:
**REACHING
S.T.A.R.
POWER**

**STRATEGIC
TEACHING WITH
ACCOUNTABLE
RESULTS**

ALGIERS CHARTER EDUCATIONAL SYMPOSIUM

JULY 26, 2017 | 8:00 A.M. – 3:00 P.M.

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RENÉ LEWIS-CARTER, CEO

WELCOME

Dear Algiers Charter Family,

Welcome to the 2017 Algiers Charter Educational Symposium where we are reaching our S.T.A.R. Power through Strategic Teaching with Accountable Results. Our charge as educators is to grow our students through educational excellence. Algiers Charter firmly believes in the ability of our teachers to teach, and we also believe that all of our students have the ability to learn and achieve at high levels.



We value every one of our employees and their commitment to our mission. We acknowledge you for your hard work. We applaud you for your efforts to do what is best for children...always.

At Algiers Charter our mission is SUCCESS! And if we continue to put children first, we will have a better future!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "René Lewis-Carter".

René Lewis-Carter
Chief Executive Officer

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ACADEMIC GOALS

How Will Algiers Charter Reach **STAR POWER?**

HIGH IMPACT LEARNING: Algiers Charter will increase student performance at every grade level through explicit and systematic instruction, differentiated instruction, and the TAP System for Teacher and Student Advancement.

STRATEGIC STAFF SUPPORT: Leadership capacity will be increased through effective data analysis and professional development opportunities across the association.

PARENT & COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS: Parents and community members will engage in meaningful, reflective communication to enhance learning opportunities for all AC students.

SCHEDULE

8:00 AM – 8:30 AM	Registration
8:30 AM – 9:00 AM	Opening Address: Mission Success
9:00 AM – 10:15 AM	Phase I Session
10:15 AM – 10:30 AM	Transition
10:30 AM – 11:45 AM	Phase II Session
11:45 AM – 1:00 PM	Launch to Lunch
1:00 PM – 2:30 PM	Keynote Address: To the Stars and Beyond
2:30 PM – 3:00 PM	Blast-off to the New Year

KEYNOTE SPEAKER



Dr. Derek Greenfield is a visionary speaker, consultant, and thought leader dedicated to inclusive excellence and positive change.

With his dynamic and interactive approach, creative ideas, track record of success, and sense of humor, Dr. Greenfield has become a highly requested presenter across the globe. His powerful keynotes and workshops on issues such as diversity and inclusion, motivation, team building, student development, innovative pedagogy, and hip-hop culture have been

featured at a wide range of conferences, companies, and colleges – including the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, the McDonald's Corporation, and NCAA, just to name a few.

Prior to his full-time speaking career, Dr. Greenfield spent over 20 years as a college professor and administrator. He most recently served as Chief Diversity Officer at Alcorn State University. He has earned a bachelor's and master's degree in Sociology from Northwestern University as well as two doctorates – a Ph.D. from the University of Washington and an Ed.D. from University of Technology in South Africa.

Dr. Greenfield is a Kellogg Fellow and a proud Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity member. He also serves on the Board of Directors for several non-profit organizations dedicated to youth development efforts in South Africa.

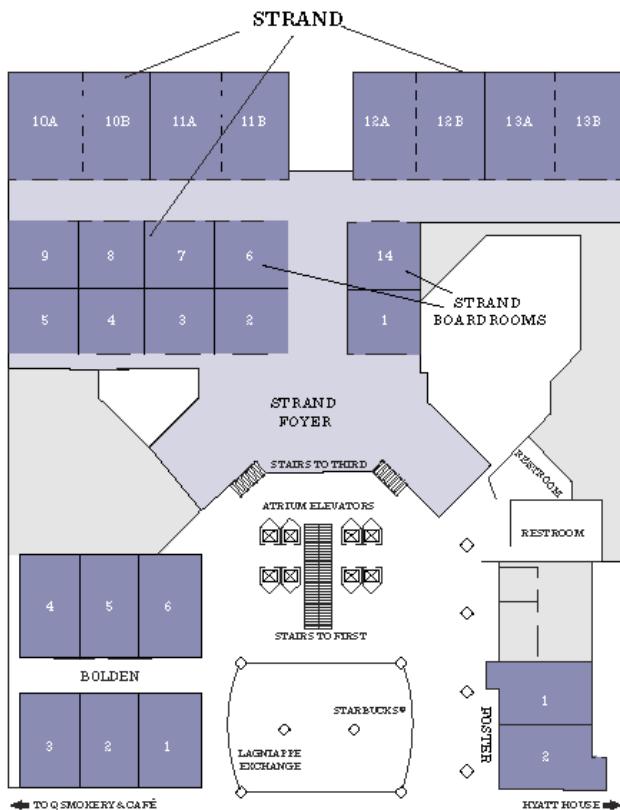
PHASE I SESSIONS (9AM – 10:15AM)

Foster 2	To the Universe and Beyond: Accommodations & Modifications for Learners	Melinda Luna
Strand 1	Launching Jump Start: Understanding Career & Technical Education	Landry-Walker Staff
Strand 4	Mission Possible: LEAP 360 for Elementary Educators	Melissa Chauvin & Andre Duvoisin
Strand 7	Act Now! Emerging Legal Issues in Education	Adams & Reese
Strand 8	Responsible Acts: Understanding and Preventing Bullying	Chief Kenny Harris
Strand 9	Twinkle, Twinkle Little Stars: CLASS and GOLD for Pre-K Stars & Agenda for Children	Carlette Ragas
Strand 10A	Supporting Our Shining Stars with Response to Intervention	Dahme Bolden
Strand 11A	The Three Pillars of the Jedi for Reflective Teaching	Ellen Foundas, Muriel Lewis, Yolanda Bentley, & Jason Bullard
Strand 11B	ESSA: Understanding Louisiana's Accountability System	Jill Zimmerman
Strand 12A	Project Math: Teaching Math Through Music in Early Childhood	Christopher Sheard & Young Audiences
Strand 12B	Achieving Stellar Health Outcomes for Nursing Rock Stars	Daphne Walker

PHASE II SESSIONS (10:30AM – 11:45AM)

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Strand 11A	Perfect Partners: Learning to Lead with LOSFA	Robin Carney
Strand 11B	ESSA: Understanding Louisiana's Accountability System	Jill Zimmerman
Foster 2	5-Star Functional Behavior Assessments & Behavior Intervention Plans	Edna Metcalf & Rachel Mitchem
Strand 13A & 13B	Refueling New Millennials: The Final Frontier	Dr. Derek Greenfield
Strand 10A	A Star is Born! Developing Instruction with Arts Integration	Zeb Hollins, III
Strand 10B	The Big Bang Theory: Illuminating Customer Service	Jeff Southerland
Strand 7	Act Now! Emerging Legal Issues in Education	Adams & Reese
Strand 8	Choose to Diffuse: Conflict Resolution and You	Chief Kenny Harris
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Strand 12A	Quantum Leap: Visual Art Projects for ELA Instruction	Todd Shaffer & Young Audiences



We are grateful for your commitment and are looking forward to a school year that will help shape today's students into tomorrow's leaders.



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