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**CEC 2025 Teacher Slam Call**

**Baltimore, MD**

**March 12-15, 2025**

**Submission Deadline**

**October 16, 2024 (5:00 PM EST)**

**2025 Teacher Slam Submission Guidelines**

Submissions are welcomed for **Teacher Slam** presentations for the Teacher Slam Call**:**

To be considered for the 2025 Program, all participants of each submission must consent to and comply with the following CEC Teacher Slam Guidelines:

* *Teacher Slam*: The intent of the Teacher Slam is to allow an opportunity for teachers to share their effective strategies with others. It is a fast-paced, dynamic session, with up to 7 speakers. Each presenter has 8 minutes to cover 8 slides on a single topic. Attendees will gain practical ideas for immediate use.
* All Teacher Slam session submissions will be reviewed by Program Chairs and grouped by topic to fill each one-hour session.
* A presenter may submit two (2) submissions in this Teacher Slam Call. A presenter may only present on up to four (4) sessions, including those that have been previously accepted during the Spring Call.
* A presenter does not have to be a CEC member to present but must be a current practitioner working with individuals 0-21.
* All presenters must pay registration to present. Any presenters accepted through this Call must register by December 11, 2024, to remain on the program.

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| Submit your Teacher Slam proposal here: <https://councilforexceptionalchildren.submittable.com/submit/306707/cec-2025-teacher-slam-call-for-proposals> |

#### Important Notes:

Please be sure to review all the information and instructions regarding proposal submission before completing the online proposal form. It is helpful to develop your proposal description and review it carefully before beginning the online form.

Proposals that promote commercially available products, services, or programs will not be accepted. The venue for commercially available products is an Exhibitor Showcase Session. Please visit our [Exhibitors & Sponsors page](https://cecconvention.org/partner) for information on exhibitor showcase sessions.

**Information Needed for Teacher Slam Presentation Submissions**

Use this form to gather all the necessary information for submitting a Teacher Slam Presentation submission for consideration for the CEC 2024 Convention and Expo. We recommend collecting the information below before the submission portal opens to avoid delays in completing your submission. Submissions will be accepted through October 16, 2024, by 5:00pm EST.

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|  | Lead presenter’s name (First & Last)\*  *If your proposal is accepted, you will be able to add a short bio and upload a headshot to the program platform before the convention.* |  |
|  | Lead presenter’s email \* |  |
|  | Lead presenter’s organization\* *Please list organization, city and state (ABC Middle School, Arlington, VA)* |  |
|  | Title of Presentation\* *(limit to 10 words)* |  |
|  | Presentation Abstract\* *(Limit to 300 words)*  *Within this description, please include:*   * A brief description of the selected teaching topic. * The rationale and relevance of your proposed session to educators and their students. |  |
|  | Evidence of the Effectiveness of the Practice or Content\* *(limit to 250 words) Describe the literature base, the evidence-base, or the informed-practice supporting the presentation.* |  |
|  | Participant Outcome\* *(limit to 25 words)*  *Provide ONE (1) participant outcome that precisely describes the skills, knowledge, and/or behaviors that participants will know or be able to demonstrate.* |  |
|  | Topic Area\*  *Selection of the topic area is extremely important to ensure that your proposal is considered by the program in compiling accepted presentations into a cohesive Teacher Slam session.* | Choose one:   * Teaching Tips * Ideas for Collaboration * Engagement/Classroom Management Strategies * Instructional Strategies * Assessment * Behavioral Interventions/Social-Emotional Learning * Technology Tips |

**Additional Information**

Availability to Present

CEC reserves the right to assign the day and time that accepted proposals will be scheduled. The date and time of your presentation will be described in your notification email sent in November.

* I am available to present in-person at the convention sometime between March 12-15, 2025.
* Submission Limit Policy
* Presenters understand that they may submit up to two (2) Teacher Slam proposals in this Call.
* Presenters understand that additionally, they may be a part of no more than four (4) presentations of any kind, including those accepted during the first Call. Should any submitter be found noncompliant with this policy, all associated submissions may be disqualified.
* Program Content Policies
* Presenters understand and agree that their proposal does not promote commercially available products, services, or programs. The venue for commercially available products is an [Exhibitors & Sponsors page](https://cecconvention.org/partner).
* Presenters understand and agree that professional program content (online, mobile app, or promotional material) may contain their session title and abstract as edited by CEC staff.
* Registration Policies
* All presenters for proposals accepted in this Call agree to register and pay for the convention by December 11, 2024.
* Any presenter who fails to register by this date will have their information removed from all convention programming.
* Audiovisual Policies
* I understand that CEC will provide an LCD projector and screen for Teacher Slam sessions.

Are you prepared to finalize and officially submit your proposal? Please make sure to take a few minutes to review your proposal prior to completing your submission by October 16, 2024, by 5:00pm EST.

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You’ll need to create a Submittable account or log in to your existing account to begin the submission process. You can save your submission and return to it later by using the "Save Draft" button at the bottom of the form. You must log in to your Submittable account again to view your saved drafts.

Be sure to hit the "Submit" button before October 16 by 5pm EST!