

Hi, NAGT-TED members!

Stay safe and healthy this Labor Day weekend and beyond! Our hearts go out to those affected by severe weather events, illness, or personal loss. Best luck to those returning to the classroom in September.

GSA-Portland is in-person and online (10-13 Oct): https://community.geosociety.org/gsa2021/home

- Early registration deadline is 8 Sept: https://community.geosociety.org/gsa2021/registration
- NAGT-sponsored sessions: https://nagt.org/nagt/profdev/GSA/2021.html#topical

NAGT Advocacy Committee would like your feedback on 2 proposed position statements:

- Teaching Climate Change: https://nagt.org/nagt/policy/proposed_changes_2021_teaching.html
 - Please submit feedback by 19 Sept: https://nagt.org/nagt/policy/climatestatement_revision2021.html
- K-12 Earth Sciences Education (early draft):
 - https://docs.google.com/document/d/1o46OujpVLtvJFGVmxSoKccyaPa07yGrs/edit
 - Please direct any questions to me about either document at <u>suzanne.metlay@wgu.edu</u>

Journal of Geoscience Education (https://nagt.org/nagt/jge/index.html) is looking for new Associate Editors to serve a 3-year term beginning 1 Jan 2022. Applications are due 1 Oct: https://nagt.org/nagt/jge/apply_AE.html

TED Business Meeting is Sunday 10 October at 5:15pm PT/6:15pm MT/7:15pm CT/8:15pm ET:

https://nagt.org/nagt/profdev/GSA/2021.html#meetings

- Zoom room link will be provided soon. Those who meet in person during GSA should join us online for this
 event, which is also the next full meeting of the TED Executive Committee.
- This meeting is open to all members! Get to know other TED members and consider committee work. Serve the Earth sciences education community, boost your networking, and add to your CV through active membership in TED and NAGT.

TED Newsletter during 2021 will remain in the form of these short monthly updates - Please get me your news, photos, etc. **Post time-critical info on our Facebook page**: https://www.facebook.com/NAGTTED/

Eager to learn your good news, Suzanne

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