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MEMORANDUM

TO: Directors, Exceptional Children Programs
Lead Administrators, Charter Schools
Directors, State Operated Programs

FROM: Sherry H. Thomas, Director *SHT*

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CALL FOR GENERAL CONFERENCE SESSION PROPOSALS FOR THE 3rd VIRTUAL ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY EXPO.

The NCDPI Exceptional Children Division is pleased to announce it will host the 3rd Virtual Assistive Technology Expo (AT Expo). This event has been a success because of the professionals across the state willing to share ideas and success stories. The Call for Session Proposals for the AT Expo is now open through May 13, 2022. Accepted proposals will be notified by May 20, 2022.

The AT Expo will be held August 2, 2022, from 9:00 AM until 5:00 PM. Each year hundreds of special education teachers, administrators, related service providers, community partners, and families of students with disabilities attend the AT Expo to further their knowledge towards Assistive Technology.

INSTRUCTIONAL SESSIONS: The Division is seeking proposals for 60-minute instructional sessions on a wide variety of topics pertaining to the education of assistive technology. These sessions will be held virtually throughout the course of the day with a keynote speaker. [Proposals](#) are now being accepted virtually. The proposal form may also be accessed using http://bit.ly/AT_Expo22

Please share this information with staff in your district, as the AT Expo is building a rich tradition of local presentations from throughout North Carolina. Questions related to instructional session proposals may be directed to Matthew Martinez, matthew.martinez@dpi.nc.gov.

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