Q3 Highlights

The third quarter of 2014 has been an exciting and busy time for NCCEE. We have partnered with multiple school systems and organizations to provide 1639 contact hours of high quality professional development for 331 teachers focusing on economics and personal finance education. Additionally, NCCEE entered into new partnerships with NCCAT, Girl Scouts Hornet's Nest of Charlotte, and the New Hanover County Public Library. The NCCAT partnership will provide professional development for up to 114 classroom teachers. The Girl Scouts partnership will provide an investor education program, sponsored by Carroll Financial, for 200 low income girls and expose them to career opportunities. Our work with the New Hanover County Public Library's Smart Investing at Your Public Library program provided a full day of professional development for 20 New Hanover County teachers and will allow 700 New Hanover County students to participate in the SMG program this fall in a county-wide competition of the Stock Market Game program. And speaking of the Stock Market Game program, the year-long and fall sessions of trading are underway. It is not too late to register your teams. Current SMG sponsors include Ally and TIAA-CREF.
Need some ideas for teaching math, economics and personal finance that are perfect for students in grades 4-8? Want high-quality resources at no cost? Attend **Math Behind the Market**, a workshop being presented in partnership with NCCAT designed to help you engage your students with Stock Market Game program.

- October 19-22 NCCAT Cullowhee Learn more and Register
- October 26-29 MS and HS Teachers Full-Waitlist Registration
- November 23-26 Elementary and MS Full-Waitlist

NCCEE is offering a number of webinars to familiarize teachers with the popular **Stock Market Game** program that is known to improve understanding of economics, personal finance and math concepts. Check our website for webinar dates that work with your schedule.

**Virtual Economics 4.0 Workshops:**
- October 15--Offered for Guilford County Middle and High School Social Studies Teachers. Learn more.
- October 24--Offered for Johnston County Middle School Teachers. Learn more.
- October 29--Western NC. Email Sandy Wheat for more.

VE4.0 workshops and the accompanying materials are made possible by generous funding from State Farm and the Council for Economic Education.

**El Futuro en Tus Manos/Hands On Banking**

Need some ideas for teaching economics and personal finance that are perfect for elementary age students whose first language is Spanish? Lessons for school-aged children are aligned with national and state educational standards for economics, personal finance, mathematics and language arts making it easy to integrate the web-based Hands on Banking/ElFuturo en Tus Manos program into the classroom. The workshop will be hosted by the United Way of the Greater Triangle on November 7, 8:30-3:30. Priority will be given to teachers serving in Title 1 schools. Learn More

This workshop was made possible through the generous funding of the Wells Fargo Foundation.
Gen i Revolution is a Free Online Personal Finance Game

Gen i Revolution, developed for high school students, provides your students the chance to learn important personal finance skills in an engaging way. Students are challenged to complete a series of 15 missions, playing and competing against fellow classmates while going head-to-head with the "Murk tide," a network of double agents spreading false information about finance across the country. Register your students today.

Learn More about the CEE National Educator Conference
Learn More About the Jump$tart National Conference
Attendance Scholarships Available Courtesy of Experian

The NC Jump$tart Coalition will sponsor attendance for 1 NC Teacher.
Apply Now.

Service Learning Opportunity
State Farm Youth Advisory Board

Applications are now available for new board members for the State Farm Youth Advisory Board (YAB). This is an incredible opportunity for a young person to grow as a leader, help out their communities, and network with a diverse group of 28 youth, ages 17-20, from across the U.S! The YAB board is responsible for granting $5 million dollars in service-learning and community impact grants that seek to solve important domestic issues. As a member of the YAB, students will be provided an amazing personal developmental opportunity, as well as being able to make a long-lasting impact in communities they care about and provide solutions to today's pertinent issues. Students can apply now by visiting http://sfyab.com/apply/the-board/. The application deadline is Oct. 3, 2014 at 5 PM (CST).
We All Benefit!
NCCEE is Receiving IT Upgrades!

NCCEE has been a most appreciative beneficiary of an ongoing partnership between Fidelity Investments and Common Impact. Through their combined efforts, a team of IT professionals from Fidelity Investments has been onsite with NCCEE staff analyzing our IT infrastructure, making recommendations and providing IT upgrades. As a result of this project, NCCEE staff will be better positioned to provide more efficient delivery of our economics and financial literacy programs throughout North Carolina. While this is an ongoing effort, we are already seeing the benefits of their involvement with us. We extend our heartfelt thanks to this knowledgeable and professional team of dedicated volunteers!

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