



AATE's National Conference: Theatre and Education: Learning with the American Alliance for Theatre and Education and the Nation *Credit Overview*

Conference participants can receive **one graduate credit** for AATE's National Conference.

Please see instructions below for graduate credit.

Graduate Credit

1. Who can receive graduate credit?

Conference participants who fulfill the following requirements:

- **Attendance at 12 hours of Conference sessions.**
- **Completed the Hours Certification Sheet**
- **Completed and Submitted Assignment by Friday, August 11, 2017**

Graduate credit can be used towards **recertification points** and **salary increments**, but not for degree purposes.

2. How do I apply for graduate credit?

To apply for graduate credit, participants must complete the Trinity University application for graduate credit. The application will be included in your conference folder.

Along with the application, participants applying for graduate credit must submit **a check to AATE, made out to Trinity University for \$125.** AATE staff will mail the check, along with the application, to the university.

***Applications for graduate credit, the Hours Certification Sheet, and the check made payable to Trinity University must be received at the conference by August 6, 2017. Applications may be submitted at the AATE Conference to Alexis Truitt.**

3. Once I've applied for graduate credit, what do I need to do to receive the credit?

The participant will complete and submit the assignment (see below) to AATE by **Friday, August 11, 2017.** To submit the assignment by mail send it to: **718 7th St NW Washington, DC 20001** or email to: **alexis@aate.com.**

4. What **assignment** do I complete to receive graduate credit?

Write a reflection journal (**5 pages in length, 12 point font, and double spaced**) that speaks to the insights/reflections learned during the conference and how you will use any new ideas in your classroom or school.

- **Use the following questions to guide your journaling:**
 - Did you learn anything new? What new ideas are you taking away from the conference? Elaborate on them.
 - What aspects of the conference reinforce your current beliefs?
 - Please comment on any particular presenters whose work will influence your work. Please include the title of the session they led.
 - Are there any non session aspects of the conference that you feel will influence your work?

For further information about graduate credit, please contact Alexis Truitt at 202-909-1194 or alexis@aate.com.