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Re: **Curriculum In-Service -- State and National Instructional Initiatives in Agricultural Education**

New directions for Agricultural Education include dynamic changes that will challenge students and create career pathways to success. It is therefore critical that we develop an understanding of these initiatives and concepts in order to incorporate these instructional activities into our agricultural programs.

- You are invited to attend a one-day in-service on **Tuesday, December 5, 2017** at the **Kellogg Lodge and Conference Center** on the campus of California State Polytechnic University, Pomona starting at 8:30 AM and ending by 2:00 PM. This in-service is designed to provide the participant with the opportunity to become familiar with integrating state-of-art instructional strategies into your agricultural program.

There will be a registration fee of **\$50.00 per person**.

These workshops are sponsored by the California Department of Education, the College of Agriculture - California State Polytechnic University, Pomona, and the California Agricultural Teachers Association.

To register, go online to the Event Registration on calaged. Register for all three of the 2017-2018 Region In-service activities on calaged. Then print the invoice and turn it in for payment. Make the check payable to: Southern Region CATA. If you choose to pay for just this in-service; school checks, personal checks, or cash only will be accepted. **No Purchase orders for individual in-services will be accepted.** Return the registration to me no later than **November 17, 2017**.

We look forward to seeing you at this exciting educational activity.