Dear Colleagues,

In just a few days we will be welcoming you to the Fall 2012 Joint Fall Conference of the Teacher Education Council of State Colleges and Universities (TECSCU) and The Renaissance Group (TRG). We sincerely hope you find and create opportunities to network with colleagues from across the country. We encourage you to:

- Sit with new acquaintances at the Sunday Opening Session.
- Introduce yourself to someone you don’t know at the Sunday Reception.
- Repeat during the Monday Strand Sessions and Luncheon.
- Organize a group from around the country to ride the Circulator or Metro or a Cab together to the Capitol Visitors’ Center on Monday; dine together on your way back to the hotel.
- Tour the Monuments by Night with a group of new colleagues or catch up with old friends.
- Make one more new colleague at the Tuesday morning sessions.
- Don’t say goodbye; share business cards, private line phone numbers, and depart saying “See you in February in Orlando.”

If your university/college is searching leadership positions, please bring position descriptions with you and a sign up sheet to leave at the Conference Registration Table; follow-up with individual conversations with interested parties.

Tell our conference staff what a great job they are doing for all of us.

See you in a week,

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