

TSM 2002 Conference Schedule

Thursday, April 25

- 11:30 am to 1:00 pm **Registration**, Snack provided
- 1:00 to 2:00 pm **Opening Session**
- Vision of the Initiative*
 Dr. Gary Brockway, Provost
- Development of a Program in Telecommunications*
 Dr. Phillip Sparks, CTSM, Integrating a Center into the Program
 Dr. Danny Claiborne, CSET, Curriculum and Facilities Development
 Dr. James McCoy, CBPA, Faculty Recruitment and Staff Development
- 2:00 to 2:30 pm *Connect Kentucky: An Infrastructure Model For A State New Economy Plan*
 Dr. Linda Johnson, Kentucky Commission for the New Economy
- 2:30 to 3:00 pm *Program Administration: Starting a Telecommunications Accreditation Organization*
 Dr. Roger Clery, Roosevelt University
- 3:00 to 3:15 pm Break
- 3:15 to 4:30 pm **Concurrent Sessions**
- 1. Teaching Innovations/Academic Research**
- eXroads.com, The Electronic Crossroads*
 Michael Ramage, Murray State University
- Introducing a Computer-Based Manufacturing Technology Course for I&E Tech Students*
 Djassemi Manocher, Murray State University
- State of Wireless and Unification Services*
 Steve Creason, Accenture
- 2. Student Projects**
- Impact and Future of Educational Technology on Teachers and Students*
 Spencer Anderson, Texas A&M University
- Competitive Local Exchange Carriers (CLECs), The Telecommunications Act of 1996—5 Years Later*
 Adam Mabrouk, Waseem Akram, Arthur Cripps, Ed Donner,
 Donna Keller, and Bruce Watkins, Murray State University
- The AOL-Time Warner Merger*
 Ed Herdon, Sara Karuchit, Fredrik Lanner, Sugit Sumethasorn,
 Varintra Vajrathon, and Shelley Yates, Murray State University
- 4:30 to 5:30 pm **Tour of Murray State University's TSM Facilities**
- 5:30 to 6:30 pm **Dinner**
- 6:30 to 7:30 pm **Keynote Address**
- Current State and Future of Wireless Technology*
 Michael Hegeman, Director of Wireless, Electronic Data Systems, Plano, Texas

Friday, April 26

8:00 to 9:00 am

Late Registration

8:00 to 9:00 am

Continental Breakfast

9:00 to 10:30 am

Concurrent Sessions

1. Teaching Innovations/Academic Research

The Next Generation of Networks
Steve Creason, Accenture

*Incorporating Networking and Systems Administration
into the Computer Science Curriculum*
Dr. Ted Mims, University of Illinois-Springfield

*Introducing Satellite Communications in an Engineering
Technology Program*
Dr. Albert Lozano-Nieto, Penn State University at Wilkes-Barre

2. Student Projects

*On-line Community and a New Revenue-Generating Paradigm: The
Socio-Spatial Anchoring of Yahoo! Clubs*
Johnathan Sabella, David Williams, and Sorin Matei, University of Kentucky

"24-7 Network Solutions"
Yuhong Chen, Murray State University

Desktop Clock
Sharaf Alkibsi, Murray State University

10:30 to 10:45

Break

10:45 am to 12:15 pm

Concurrent Sessions

1. Teaching Innovations/Academic Research

*A Multi-Institutional Interdisciplinary Distance Controls Experiment:
Bringing Engineering and Engineering Technology Students Together*
Jim Benson, Murray State University

Using a Weblog to Teach E-Commerce Marketing
Dr. Tim Johnston, University of Tennessee-Martin

NetTool: A Utility for the Collection of Ping and Traceroute Data
Christopher Everett, Mississippi State University

*Creating and Using PBX SMDR/CDR Data for Student Projects
in Telecommunications Analysis Classes*
Dr. Roger Clery, Roosevelt University

12:15 to 12:30 pm

Closing Remarks

12:30 to 1:30 pm

Departure or Lunch on Your Own

1:30 to 5:30 pm

Golf Outing at Murray State University's Miller Golf Course