

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS



ALL WASHINGTON ACADEMIC CEREMONY  
SOUTH PUGET SOUND CC  
**MARCH 20, 2008**

TACTC NEW TRUSTEE ORIENTATION  
STATE BOARD OFFICE, OLYMPIA  
**TENTATIVE — MARCH 19, 2008**

TACTC BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND  
LEGISLATIVE STEERING COMMITTEE JOINT  
MEETING  
**APRIL 4, 2008**

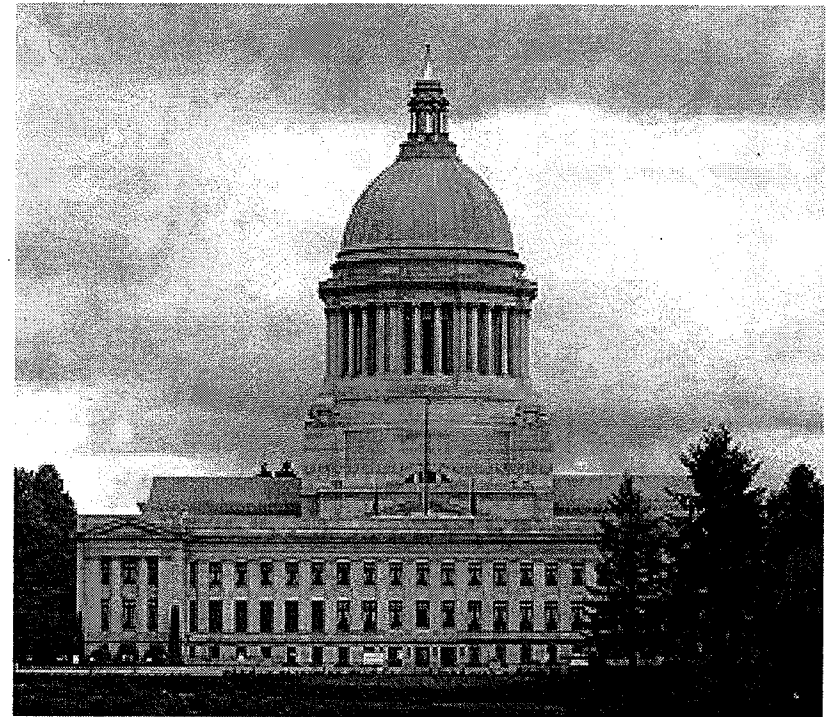
TACTC SPRING CONVENTION  
THE HOTEL MURANO, TACOMA  
**MAY 15-17, 2008**

TACTC LEGISLATIVE PLENARY SESSION  
EMBASSY SUITES HOTEL, TUKWILA  
**SEPTEMBER 2008 (TBD)**

ACCT ANNUAL CONGRESS  
NEW YORK CITY, NY  
**OCTOBER 29-NOVEMBER 1, 2008**

## THE STATE OF WASHINGTON

### TRUSTEES ASSOCIATION OF COMMUNITY AND TECHNICAL



## LEGISLATIVE CONTACT CONFERENCE

**JANUARY 22, 2008:**  
**GRAND HOLIDAY BALLROOM**  
**1522 4TH AVE. E. • OLYMPIA, WA**

**JANUARY 23, 2008:**  
**PHOENIX INN**  
**415 CAPITOL WAY N. • OLYMPIA, WA**



**TACTC LEGISLATIVE CONTACT  
CONFERENCE  
JANUARY 22—23, 2008**

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 22, 2008**

9:00 a.m. Registration  
Grand Holiday Ballroom  
1522 4th Ave. E  
Olympia, WA  
[www.grandholidayballroom.com](http://www.grandholidayballroom.com)

- 10:00 a.m. Opening remarks  
**Gene Chase**, TACTC President
- 10:15 a.m. The policy focus of trustees  
**Gary Livingston**, Chancellor, Community Colleges of Spokane
- 10:30 a.m. Keynote address: *America's Perfect Storm*  
Irwin Kirsch, co-author of  
[http://www.ets.org/Media/Education\\_Topics/pdf/AmericasPerfectStorm.pdf](http://www.ets.org/Media/Education_Topics/pdf/AmericasPerfectStorm.pdf)
- 11:45 a.m. Lunch—Legislative Speaker  
**Representative Fred Jarrett**
- 1:15 p.m. **Governor Christine Gregoire**
- 2:00 p.m. Break
- 2:15 p.m. Analysis of the HECB Master Plan  
**Charlie Earl**, Executive Director, State Board for Community & Technical Colleges (SBCTC)
- 2:45 p.m. System Direction (Three Goals)  
**Erin Mundinger**, Chair, SBCTC
- 3:15 p.m. Legislative Update and Messages/themes for discussion with legislators  
**Lyle Lovingfoss**, Trustee, Lower Columbia;  
Vice-Chair, TACTC Legislative Steering Committee  
**Chris Reykdal**, Director of Administrative Services, SBCTC  
**Suzy Ames**, Director, Communications, SBCTC  
**Cindy Hough**, TACTC Admin. & Legis. Liaison, SBCTC
- 4:45 p.m. Adjourn



- 5:30 p.m. Dinners On Your Own With Legislators
- 8:00 p.m. President's Reception (Phoenix Inn — Room 325)

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 23, 2008**

- 7:30 a.m. Registration  
Foyer  
Phoenix Inn  
415 Capitol Way N.
- 8:00 a.m. Breakfast with Special Guest  
Phoenix Room  
**Senator Derek Kilmer**
- 9:00 a.m. Governor's P-20 Council and the State Board's Involvement  
**Erin Mundinger**, Chair, SBCTC
- 9:15 a.m. Technology Task Force Report  
**Reuven Carlyle**, State Board Member  
**Tom Malone**, Trustee, Seattle Community Colleges  
**Nancy Truitt Pierce**, Trustee, Everett Community College
- 9:30 a.m. Student Achievement Task Force Report—Next Steps
- 9:45 a.m. Trustees' Role in Monitoring and Implementing the System Direction  
**Jim Cunningham**, Trustee, Bellingham Technical College
- 10:00 a.m. Small Group Breakouts—Questions Trustees Should Ask
- 11:00 a.m. Report-outs from the Small Groups
- 11:45 a.m. Review of system wide initiatives
  - Student Listening Survey
  - Compensation Task Force
  - Check out a college  
<http://www.checkoutacollege.com>**Tom Koenninger**, State Board Member  
**Chris Reykdal**, Director of Administrative Services, SBCTC
- 12:15 p.m. Lunch  
Information on the AACC/ACCT National Legislative Summit
- 1:15 p.m. Adjourn