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Common Ground 2015, featuring Keynote Speakers Robert Marzano on Thursday, April 30 and Jay McTighe on Friday, May 1, is scheduled for April 30 – May 1, 2015. This conference will be held in Ocean City, MD, at the Ocean City Convention Center. This year CG15 will be:

Leading and Learning in the Digital Age!

The goal of the conference is to provide a forum for sharing excellence in education through the vision and expertise of educators from all areas of the global education community. From the classroom to the boardroom, from the local school to the state office, as educators, our primary focus is on the success of all students in our schools. We invite you to share innovative and proven practices that support the Common Core and effective strategies that create a successful learning environment for our students. The deadline to submit proposals is December 31!

Proposals are being accepted for consideration in the following three strands:

- 1. 21st Century Teaching and Learning
- 2. 21st Century Leadership
- 3. Systems, Processes, and Programs for Quality Schools

Proposals may be submitted in the following three formats:

- 1. Concurrent Session (60 minutes)
- 2. Poster Session (30 minutes)
- 3. Featured Speaker (60 minutes)

Presenters of proposals accepted will receive discounted registration and are expected to register. The conference website provides a breakdown of the discounts and additional information for submitting a proposal.

This is an excellent opportunity for you to share the good things that are happening in your school systems and individual schools. At Common Ground, our goal is to showcase the best practices to meet the challenges of educating students today.

For more detailed information visit www.commongroundmd.org