



14th Annual Fostering Financial Education in Maine Schools Conference Day One: April 27, 2023

11:00 – Noon	Arrive, Packet Pickup, Explore the Campus (Schooner Commons)	
Noon – 1:00	Lunch (Schooner Commons) *	
1:15	Schoodic Institute Welcome - Nick Fisichelli, Schoodic Institute (Moore Auditorium)	
1:30	Conference Welcome - Mary Dyer, Maine Jumpstart (Moore Auditorium)	
1:45 – 2:35	NGPF'S Top 5: Favorite Resources for the Personal Finance Classroom - Christian Sherrill, Director of Growth and Advocacy, NGPF (Moore Auditorium)	
2:45 – 3:35	NGPF'S Investing: Teaching the Long Game! - Christian Sherrill, NGPF (Moore Aud.)	
3:40 – 4:10	Break and Room Check-In ** (Moore and Housing Area)	
4:15 – 5:15	Mindful Movement: Transform Your Financial Well-Being Through Embodiment & Self-Care - Kristy McNaughton, Personal Finance Teacher & Yoga Instructor (TBD)	Responsible Borrowing 101: Tools & Strategies to Support Your Students Before They Borrow - Mila Tappan, FAME (Moore Auditorium)
5:30 – 6:45	Dinner (Schooner Commons)	
6:50 – 7:40	NGPF'S Career Resources: Prepare Your Students for Jobs of the Future - Christian Sherrill, NGPF (Moore Auditorium)	
7:45 – 8:45	Happy Hour and Social Time (Schooner Commons)	

NGPF'S Top 5: Favorite Resources for the Personal Finance Classroom: This session will focus on providing engaging NGPF resources to use with a personal finance curriculum. Teachers will have the opportunity to explore multiple resources available on the NGPF website, which are always FREE.

NGPF'S Investing: Teaching the Long Game! This session will focus on taking investment knowledge and converting it into action. Attend this session and you will be prepared when your students ask, "how can we get started investing?" This session explores 5 NGPF free resources, all ready to implement in the classroom.

Mindful Movement: Transform Your Financial Well-Being Through Embodiment and Self-Care: Get ready to move, connect, and transform your financial well-being through the power of mindful movement. Learn self-care techniques, movement practices, and practical tools for counteracting burnout. Connect with others and leave with renewed confidence, connection, and release. Through these practices, you'll be better equipped to facilitate them with your students, helping them improve focus, reduce stress and anxiety, and enhance their overall well-being. Remember to wear comfortable clothing to move and dance during the session.

Responsible Borrowing 101: Tools & Strategies to Support Your Students Before They Borrow: For most students, loans are an integral part of financing higher education. Despite this reality, however, many students lack the necessary knowledge and information to make informed borrowing decisions. This session will provide an overview of the key steps that students should take before borrowing, along with tools and resources to support the student loan decision making process.

NGPF'S Career Resources: Prepare Your Students for Jobs of the Future: This session will explore topics within NGPF's Careers of the Future, including FREE curriculum and examples of a data crunch, FinCap Friday, Questions of the Day, lesson activities with soft skills, and a video activity.

*Lunch is available from Noon – 1:00 pm. You may join us anytime in that window.

**JumpStart staff will give out room keys at or before the 3:40 pm break.



14th Annual Fostering Financial Education in Maine Schools Conference Day Two: April 28, 2023

7:00 – 8:00	Breakfast (Schooner Commons)
8:15 – 8:45	Welcome and Kickoff - Mary Dyer, President of Maine JumpStart and Variny Yim, National JumpStart's Director of Partner and Affiliate Relations (Moore Auditorium)
8:45 – 9:30	What Does That Have to Do with Personal Finance? - Steve Kautz, ME JumpStart (Moore Auditorium)
9:35 – 9:50	Maine JumpStart Educator of the Year Award (Moore Auditorium)
9:50 – 10:20	Coffee Break and Exhibitor Scavenger Hunt (Moore Auditorium)
10:20 – 11:15	Living the Dream: How to Build Financial Freedom When You're Starting from Scratch - Sarah Newcomb, Behavioral Economist (Moore Auditorium)
11:15 – 11:55	Maine JumpStart's Top 7 List: Part One (Moore Auditorium)
12:00 – 1:30	Lunch (Schooner Commons)
1:35 – 2:40	Speed Dating Your Peers (Moore Auditorium)
2:45 – 3:15	Maine JumpStart's Top 7 List: Part Two (Moore Auditorium)
3:15 – 3:30	Closing Remarks, Prizes, Snacks To-Go* (Moore Auditorium)

What Does That Have to Do with Personal Finance? Steve is going to get us started with a look at some less obvious facets of personal finance, how we make profound connections for our students through our stories, a Kahoot, and a few more nuggets. Steve has been Maine JumpStart's Training Coordinator since 2017, and he was Maine JumpStart's first Financial Educator of the Year (2012-2013).

Living the Dream: How to Build Financial Freedom When You're Starting from Scratch: Personal finance author and behavioral economist Sarah Newcomb, Ph.D. explains how to combine simple ideas from economics and psychology to create a high-level road map from zero assets to financial freedom and contentment.

Maine JumpStart's Top 7 Lists - Part One: Time to collaborate with your peers on your craft while also coming up with a specific Top 7 Personal Finance list (topics will be provided to each group, results collated and presented in Part 2 after lunch).

Welcome to The Schoodic Institute: Nick Fisichelli, President & CEO of the Schoodic Institute will introduce us to the history and mission of the Schoodic Institute at Acadia National Park.

Speed Dating Your Peers: One hour with a lot to learn and discuss. We will break up into several tiny "unconference" style sessions where you can rotate through topics and get a glimpse of what your peers are doing in their classes and/or engage in Q & A time on various topics including economics, investing, money & psychology, etc.

Maine JumpStart's Top 7 Lists - Part Two: One person from each group will join Steve and Mary to share the Top 7 lists with all participants.

* **To-go snacks will be available at the end of the event.**