

Your 2022 ELATE Summer Conference Proposal



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To: Gail Yeilding

Dear Gail Harper Yeilding,



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Thank you for your proposal submission for the 2022 **ELATE** Summer Conference, “ELA Teaching and Learning as Homeplace.” The response to the Call for Proposals was enthusiastic and inspiring. It was an honor to learn about the work of our colleagues; selecting from the proposals was difficult. Proposals underwent an extensive peer-review process, with each being considered by at least three different reviewers.

I am pleased to inform you that your proposal, “Homeplace as Sites Resistance, Community, and Humanizing Practice,” has been accepted for the 2022 **ELATE** Summer Conference that will be held during the NCTE Homecoming event July 29–31 in Louisville, Kentucky. (This is now a combined session; your former title was “Discussing Racial Literacy with Preservice Teachers (PSTs)” during Civil Unrest and a Global Pandemic.) I encourage you to prepare your session and remarks with the audience of English Language Arts Teacher Educators in mind, but also be prepared to think with other literacy leaders about how you may initiate change, transform practice, and/or support teachers, learners, families, and communities. Please note the following:

- Your session will take place at 10:15-11:15 a.m. on Saturday, July 30.
- Please let us know [via this form](#) by **Monday, June 6, 2022**, if you accept or decline your invitation to present.
- In a few weeks we will ask you to RSVP and sign your speaker agreement within your Speaker Ready Room in the convention proposal platform.