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Note from the President

Hello IETL Members,

So is this Fall or Winter, IETL, members? I am finding that it's really hard to tell right now! Looks like we might get to feel some of those e-braining days this Winter if the weather follows what the Old Farmer's Almanac is predicting!

It's been a busy Fall for IETL this year. We partnered with CoEd to host a Deep Dive into Cybersecurity on October 3rd, and then welcomed Loretta Akke, CoEd's resident expert on student data privacy, at our Fall Workshop on November 1st. We also conducted our inaugural CETL cohort led by Tony Ingene, and all eleven participants helped CoEd's Exam Committee by sitting for the beta version of the updated CETL exams. We had an additional 5 people sit for the beta as well in October, and we'll be offering another chance to take the beta CETL exam on 11-23.

Looking forward, we are planning a new event for our group in February. I don't have many details yet, but stay tuned for some news about an event that you probably won't want to miss. Also, the [CoEd conference](#) is coming up soon, in March, and [registration](#) is available online now. If you haven't attended before, please consider going. It is a unique opportunity to network with peers from all over the county and learn from each other both informally and in formal sessions.