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The New Jersey Alliance for Social, Emotional,  
and Character Development, Inc.  
presents their  
**12<sup>th</sup> Annual Statewide Conference**



## PUTTING IT ALL TOGETHER: Character, Culture, and Social-Emotional Learning

**Friday, May 31, 2019, 8:15 am–2:45 pm at Rider University**  
**Conference Fee: \$149**

In education today, there is much emphasis on “buzz-words” and jargon when referring to current trends and topics. Sometimes this jargon leads to both confusion and exclusion when similar concepts and ideas are labeled with different terminology. The theme of our conference this year addresses this issue when referring to the fields of Character Education, School Culture, and Social-Emotional Learning. While the language commonly used may be different, the concepts and school improvement strategies in each of these fields are more alike than is often realized. Our organization believes that each of these fields offers schools the opportunity to promote student and staff development in essential skills and dispositions that create a more balanced view of success and achievement - one that provides a better preparation for success in life.

A panel of educators will address the essential points in each of these fields and further discuss how they overlap to create individuals who are ready to face the tests of life. Following the panel discussion will be a set of break-out presentations that will illustrate how these concepts come into practical use in New Jersey’s schools. Come join us and leave with a treasure trove of strategies and practices!

**2019 Schools of Character Recognition Ceremony will begin the conference.**

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**New Jersey Alliance for Social, Emotional, and Character Development, Inc. (NJASECD)**

It is the mission of the New Jersey Alliance for Social-Emotional and Character Development (NJASECD) to assist educators and all other stakeholders in their efforts to foster ethical, responsible and caring people as they model and teach the social-emotional skills and ethical and performance values that lead to good character.

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