



CENTER FOR RURAL EDUCATION VIRGINIA TECH.

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INSTITUTE FOR SOCIETY,
CULTURE, AND ENVIRONMENT
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**APPLY BY
MARCH 15**

SUMMER ENRICHMENT EXPERIENCE

AT VIRGINIA TECH

Residential camp for rising 6th
and 7th grade gifted students
from rural communities



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STUDENT AFFAIRS
VT ENGAGE
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2ND RURAL FILM FESTIVAL

THE LYRIC THEATRE, BLACKSBURG, VA

Films explore themes
of ecological justice
and belonging in rural
places

FEB 28 2024

Doors open at 6:30 pm
Films at 7 pm followed by
filmmaker panel at 9 pm

SCAN ME!

Register today
for your FREE ticket!

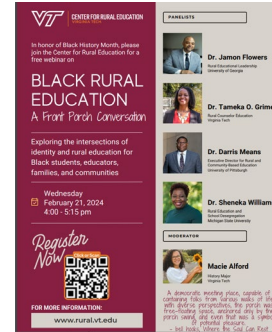
Ticket includes free concession!

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Center for Rural Education: Supporting Virginia Tech, K-12 Partners, & the Community



VIRGINIA TECH INITIATIVES

- Glocal abroad program
- Seed grants
- Rural scholar in residence
- Rural education certificate
- K. Patricia Cross Award
- Gobblerfest
- Undergraduate social events: Rural Tailgate; Exam week study breaks

K-12 PARTNERSHIPS

- Appalachian Rural Talent Initiative
- SEE VT
- VT Science Festival
- Hokie for a Day
- Galax Mentorship Program
- Complex Histories Project
- \$10 million grant to support regional divisions under review
- Counselor Education partnership to train rural school counselors

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

- Rural Education Summit with community keynote speaker (last year was Beth Macy)
- CRE blog
- Rural Film Festival
- Community events
- Webinars: Black History Panel

We are interested in partnerships in both research and community engagement that involve:

- ◆ Supporting rural K-12 learners and teachers with access to health and wellness resources
- ◆ Keeping our rural communities healthy physically and mentally
- ◆ Researching innovative approaches to promoting community health and wellness

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**2ND ANNUAL
Rural Education
SUMMIT**

**Focus on Community
Health & Wellness**
Wednesday, August 23
12:30 - 4:30 pm, Inn at Virginia Tech
Pre-Summit Workshops for Rural Educators
7:30 pm, Moss Arts Center
Community Keynote - Beth Macy

Thursday, August 24
8:30 am - 2:30 pm, Inn at Virginia Tech
Panel discussions & breakout sessions

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BETH MACY

Registration is free & limited!
Scan or click the QR code

Pre-Summit Workshops:
Trauma-Informed Rural Schooling
Hope and Well-Being for Rural Multilingual Learners
Social Justice Advocacy & Rural Mental Health Counseling

Summit Panels & Sessions focused on:
Suicide prevention, recovery, racial trauma, safe spaces
for Queer rural youth, wellness for immigrants and
refugees, Whole Health, and more!

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