CTE Meeting Notes 11-17-09

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As a volunteer, what makes you feel valued?

- When they are listened to and when all the educational acronyms are explained.
- When students who are their workers "unplug" from their technology (phones etc.)

Tell us about your job. What is your expertise/what do you bring to the table?

Members indicated that their Expertise and leadership from industry

Why did you get involved on an advisory committee?

- To attract new workers and understand the "new employee of millenniums mindset"
 - o Multi-tasking
 - o Advanced technology use marketing their businesses
 - o Trying to appeal to "20 somethings" for business

Trends - what is the occupational outlook in your field? "Job jumping"

In Credit Unions: New media

o Podcasts, blogging, twitter, yammer, topic threads, focus groups

Uniforms business – partnerships with businesses, high turnover, Safeway – cash register training online

Insurance – increased government regulation, impact of Sarbane-Oxley act on industry, new accounting measures.

Items for next meeting:

- What is actually taught in marketing?
- Student viewpoints on businesses
- Student leadership in the classroom