The following committees are responsible for organizing and hosting the annual conference. The information provided identifies the Chair and members involved with the 2017 Conference being held in Cincinnati, September 12 – 15th.

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| **Program Committee** | |
| The Program Committee oversees the creation of the program for the annual meeting, including soliciting, reviewing, and selecting presentations, selection of the keynote speaker, invited panels, and POD topics, coordination of session conference evaluations, and all conference-related communications with presenters. | |
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| **Host Committee** | |
| The Host Committee coordinates dinner groups and other entertainment options throughout the conference and manages the on-site hospitality desk. | |
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| **Virtual Conference Committee** | |
| The Virtual Conference and Webinars Committee coordinates the annual virtual conference, as well as other professional development presentations to the members of NCTA. These presentations are archived and available for viewing on demand through the website. | |
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| **Conference App Committee** | |
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| **Sponsors/Exhibitors Committee** | |
| The Sponsors/Exhibitors committee establishes the criteria for sponsorship, recruits and liaises with sponsors and coordinates the sponsor workshops and Exhibitor’s Fair. | |
| **Rosemary Freer, Chair**  Arkansas State Univ  [rfreer@astate.edu](mailto:rfreer@astate.edu)  870.972.2038 | **Other members** Lynn Brown |
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| **Editing** conference documents - Francesca Taylor | |