



**Application – BCTF Delegation to the 17th Trinational
Conference in Defense of Public Education**

Name:
Email:
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Home address:
School name/place of work:
Teaching assignment:
Local:

Dear member, thank you for your interest in participating in the BCTF delegation to the 17th Trinational Conference in Defense of Public Education.

Please offer an introduction to yourself.
Why do you want to participate in the delegation to the Trinational Conference?



The theme of the conference is “United to defend public education and our rights, for a future of peace and social justice.” This year’s theme will include in-depth discussions on topics such as the rise of fascism around the world; what counts as knowledge in the age of artificial intelligence; how labour fights back for workers amid escalating precarity and violence; and concrete strategies for resistance and building a future of peace and social justice. Please tell us about your knowledge of and engagement with this theme.

This opportunity is being offered through the BCTF’s International Solidarity Program. What does “international solidarity” mean to you?

If you are chosen for this delegation, how will you bring actions back to your local and school community?



Travel often requires adapting to physical situations and cultural spaces that you may not be familiar with. How do you adapt to new situations that may be outside of your comfort zone?

Are you connected to your local union or the BCTF? If so, please describe your work and engagement in the union.

Is there anything else you would like to share with us?