Annual Historical Data: American Council for Special Education (ACRES)

Year:	1989, Fort Lauderdale Florida 9th National Conference
ACRES Headquarters Location / Host:	Hosted by ACRES Western Washington University Bellingham, Washington Doris Helge, National Coordinator
Board Members: (list or table)	

Board of	Executive Director: Doris Hegle
Directors: (list or table)	Past Chair: Old in File 1
(list or table)	• Chair Elect:
	• Secretary:
	• Treasurer:
	Apprentice Historian:
	Historian:
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ACRES	 Awards / Scholarships: Conference Planning:
Committee	Conference Program: Conference Program: Conference Progr
Chairs:	• Financial Oversight:
	Membership:Nomination/Elections:
	 Partnerships/Marketing: Editorial Board Liaison:
	Governmental Relations:
	Silent Auction:
	Technology:
	- recimology.
Membership	Current Year's Membership #s:
	Current Year's Membership dues:
Advances	Advances made by ACRES this year:
	Books and resources produced and published
	Political Actions Taken
	Other

Board	How often were meetings held?
Meetings	Meeting format:
	Average length of meeting:
Annual	Was there a conference held this year? Yes or No
Conference	Conference Chair: Kay Bull, of Oklahoma State University was the first conference program chair outside the
	National Rural Development Institute staff. NRDI staff continued to coordinate conference planning and
	implementation for the next several years
	Conference Planning Team:
	Program Chair:
	Conference location: Fort Lauderdale, Florida
	Conference theme: Education and the Changing Rural Community: Anticipating the 21 st Century Conference dates:
	Price of conference:
	- Were meals included?
	Conference sponsor(s):
	Keynote Speakers and Speaker topic(s):
	Number of Attendees:
	Number of Presenters:
	Award Recipients:
Conference	Award Recipients.
Announcement	
RFP	
KFF	
Acceptance	
Letter	
Conference	Dear Daviewers of DEDe (list)
	Peer Reviewers of RFPs: (list) Vendors / Advertisers
Program	venuors / Auverusers

Conference Proceedings:	Conference Proceedings Editor
Awards Conferred	Name(s) and Award Received: Exemplary Rural Special Education Award winners were: the Educational TeleCommunications Project of the University of Utah; the Speech-Language Pathology Rural Project of West Virginia University; Sharon Elementary School in Ohio; the North Dakota Early Childhood Tracking System in Bismarck; the Secondary Vocational/Post-Secondary Vocational Transition Project in Granite Falls, Minnesota; the Cooperative Special Education Effort in Pike, Lawrence, Scioto, and Ross Counties in Ohio; and the Dayton School District's EXPRO program for the gifted in Washington.
Silent Auction Profit:	
Old Timer's Reception:	Yes or No
Special Entertainment:	Yes or No - If yes, please explain.
Pre- Conference Offerings?	Yes or No - If yes, please explain
Activities for students only?	Yes or No - If yes, please explain.
Practitioner's Day?	Yes or No - Theme if any

Town Hall Meeting Outcomes Other	
Additional Comments:	This conference, and many earlier and subsequently, were cosponsored by other national organizations, such as, but not limited to: the National Rural and Small Schools Consortium (NRSSC), the National Secondary School Principals Association, the Elementary School Principals Association, the National Education Association, the National Association of State Directors of Education, the Council for Exceptional Children, the National Association of State Directors of Special Education and the National Rural Education Association.