## GENEVIEVE FOX, Siksika Board OF Education

Integrating Siksikaitsitapi Knowledge into Lifelong Learning Education in Mathematics and Science

Oki and greetings to all Educators, this session will discuss the plans to enhance the mathematics and science programs in the Siksika Board of Education through the integration of the Siksikaitsitapi (Blackfoot Confederacy) Indigenous Knowledge starting with the middle grades on the Siksika Nation. The program will inculde Siksika Nation history, Elder's and Knowledge Keepers, astronomers, science and math teachers in the creation of this unique program that will motivate and encourage the students to engage and understand the knowledge inherent in the Indigenous People of the Blackfoot Confederacy.