MEDIA ADVISORY June 24 – 27, 2022 **CONTACT:**

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U.S. Deputy Secretary of Education, and 2021 National Teacher of the Year to Keynote at 2022 National Conference in Washington, D.C.

Over 1,800 future and current educators will gather in Washington, D.C. to learn more about the education profession and hear from notable education leaders.

On Friday, June 24, 2022, U.S. Deputy Secretary of Education Cindy Marten will kick off the 2022 Educators Rising National Conference where more than 1,800 high school and college students, and education leaders, will gather to continue their journey of pursuing a career in education. Each year, Educators Rising hosts a national conference to convene our network of rising educators and teacher leaders. It offers a unique opportunity for students and their teacher leaders to connect and learn from each other through more than 40 breakout sessions; network with other members from across the country; compete for national titles in competitive events designed to allow students to develop and showcase their teaching skills; and be inspired by keynote presentations from national education leaders.

2021 National Teacher of the Year Juliana Urtubey will keep the conference moving as she presents a keynote on Saturday, June 25, 2022. The conference will continue with additional general sessions, workshops, and competitive events in the days to follow; concluding on Monday, June 27, 2022, with the Closing General Session.

WHO:

U.S. Deputy Secretary of Education Cindy Marten | *June 24, 2022, at 7:00 PM* 2021 National Teacher of the Year Juliana Urtubey | *June 25, 2022, at 12:15 PM*

WHERE:

Washington Hilton 1919 Connecticut Avenue NW Washington, D.C. 20009

WHEN:

June 24 – 27, 2022; specific times for special guests are listed under 'Who'

PRESS:

If you are interested in covering this event, please RSVP to media@pdkintl.org by 5:00 PM on Thursday, June 23, 2022. All attendees must provide either proof of full vaccination status or a negative COVID-19 test to enter the event. Testing must be conducted within 1 day for an antigen test and 2 days for a PCR test prior to the event. All unvaccinated persons are required to wear masks in all indoor public settings. Fully vaccinated individuals are recommended to continue indoor masking.