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LOS ANGELES 2018

Education Standing Committee Meeting Agenda

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Co-Chairs:

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Sunday, July 29	
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8:30 am – 6:30 pm	State Policy and Research for Early Education Working Group (SPREE) Pre- Conference (Invite Only)
Monday, July 30	
7:30 am – 5 pm South Lobby	Registration
8 am – 12:30 pm	State Policy and Research for Early Education Working Group (SPREE) Pre- Conference (Invite Only)

Noon – 1:15 pm 153 ABC	Education Policy Working Group Meeting The members Education Policy Working Group will discuss federal-state
	priorities and upcoming areas of work.
	Presiding:
	Representative Robert Behning, Indiana
	Co-Chair, NCSL Education Standing Committee
	Speakers:
	Britt Carter, White House Office of Intergovernmental Affairs
	Joan Wodiska, NCSL, Washington, D.C.
1 – 1:15 pm	NCSL Steering Committee
511 ABC	The steering committee reviews the policies reported from the standing
	committees at the Summit and determines the calendar for the NCSL Business Meeting on Wednesday, Aug. 1 at 8 a.m. Contact: Joan Wodiska
	Representing the Education Committee
·	Representative Robert Behning, Indiana
	Co-Chair, NCSL Education Standing Committee
1 – 4 pm Hall JH	Exhibit Hall
1:15 – 3 pm	General Session State Networking Event and CEO Forum: The Next
Hall K	Generation of Innovation
	1:15 pm–1:45 pm: State Networking Event
	Find your state table and connect with fellow Summit attendees from your
	state.
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	1:45 pm—3:00 pm: CEO Forum: The Next Generation of Innovation
	Hear from leading technology CEOs about the next generation of innovation and how tech will play an active role in identifying our country's most
	promising opportunities and solving its biggest challenges. The conversation
	will address key policy issues facing the tech industry and legislative bodies,
	and ways to spur innovation and job creation across America. NCSL is pleased
	to offer this general session in conjunction with TechNet, the voice of the
	innovation economy.
	Moderator:
	Andrea Deveau, Vice President, TechNet
753	Speakers:
	Speakers: Tim Chen, CEO, Nerdwallet

3:15 – 4:15 pm 153ABC

Competency-Based Learning: A Conversation with District Leaders

This session will feature two school districts at different stages in their transition to competency-based learning, in which students progress only when they have demonstrated mastery, and key policymakers that are supporting their work. Sponsored by the NCSL Student-Centered Learning Commission, a bipartisan group of state legislators studying legislative policy options, this session will explore obstacles and recommendations to help states support learning that is personalized, competency-based, and can take place anytime and anywhere, with students taking ownership of their learning. Contact: Sunny Deye

Presiding:

 Representative Robert Behning, Indiana Co-Chair, NCSL Education Standing Committee

Moderator:

Daarel Burnette, Education Week, Maryland

Speakers:

- Senator Ann Millner, Utah
- Rick Robins, Juab School District, Utah
- Pamela Swanson, Westminster Public Schools, Colorado
- Larry Dean Valente, Westminster Public Schools Board of Education, Colorado

4:15 – 5 pm 152

The 411 on 529s: The Impact of the Federal Tax Law on Education (Joint with Fiscal Committee)

The new federal tax bill authorizes parents to deposit up to \$10,000 per child each year into state-sponsored 529 plans to pay for private elementary and secondary education. Prior to the new law, in most states, parents could use 529 plans only for higher education. The law is expected to increase the operational costs for 529 plans, and may reduce state tax revenue collections. Get the facts and learn about state-led strategies to address these concerns.

Speakers:

- Max Behlke, NCSL, Washington, D.C.
- Ben Boggs, NCSL, Colorado
- Joan Wodiska, NCSL, Washington, D.C.

5:00 – 5:30 pm 153ABC

Education Committee Business Weeting and Federal Update

All Education Standing Committee members are encouraged to attend this meeting to discuss and vote on committee policies and resolutions. The Annual Business and Standing Committee Meetings is digital. The policy directives, resolutions, NCSL budget and other Business Meeting documents are accessible on the NCSL app or the resources page on the Summit website.

	IMPORTANT NOTICE: Policy directives and resolutions are only accessible in electronic format on the NCSL app and on the agenda and resources page on the Summit website. All meeting rooms have wireless internet access. List of Education Committee members. Contact: Joan Wodiska
	Presiding: • Representative Robert Behning, Indiana Co-Chair, NCSL Education Standing Committee Speaker: • Joan Wodiska, NCSL, Washington, D.C.
5:30 – 7 pm JW Marriott at L.A. Live	Opening Reception Meet us in LA! Feel the vibrancy of Los Angeles and enjoy this reception complete with a variety of local food and musical entertainment. Revel in the California sunshine while networking with peers from across the country. This exciting event is within walking distance of the convention center. You must have your badge to enter.
7:30 pm Karl Strauss Brewing Company	Legislative Education Staff Network (LESN) Dutch-Treat Dinner
Tuesday, July 31	
7:30 am – 5 pm South Lobby	Registration
7:30 – 8:45 am Petree CD	Legislative Staff Breakfast – Ethics in the Legislature: How to Avoid the Danger Spots NCSL gratefully acknowledges The Carpet & Rug Institute for donating the red carpet for today's breakfast. Protecting the legislative institution requires ethical decision-making by those who work in the legislature. Legislative staff need to be objective, credible and immune to political pressure. This session looks at the danger spots and the deception of rationalizations, and provides tools for navigating ethical challenges in the legislative environment.
	Speaker: Marianne Jennings, Marianne M. Jennings, LLC, Arizona
7:30 – 8:45 am 502 AB	Republican Breakfast NCSL gratefully acknowledges GOPAC for its support of this breakfast. Speaker:
	 Speaker: Honorable Jason Chaffetz, U.S. Congress, Washington, D.C.

7:30 - 8:45 am 151	Democratic Breakfast
151	Speaker:
	Donna Brazile, Washington, D.C.
8:30 am - 3:30 pm Hall JH	Exhibit Hall
9 – 10 am Hall K	General Session Healthy Workplaces: Culture Trumps Compliance As organizations across the country grapple with charges of harassment and other challenges, the national conversation has turned to workplace culture. Hear from Johnny Taylor Jr., president and CEO of the Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM), about the importance of workplace culture, especially in environments with complicated power dynamics like those inherent in state legislatures. Learn why the underlying culture is even more essential than rules and enforcement, and how to create a safer and more respectful workplace. Speaker: Johnny Taylor, Society for Human Resource Management, Virginia
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10:15 – 10:45 am 153ABC	State-Led Strategies to End Childhood Hunger: Learn, Share and Lead One in six American children face hunger, affecting their readiness to learn and succeed. Hear from NCSL's Hunger Partnership about state-led strategies to reduce childhood hunger. Bring your state's success stories or gather new ideas from peers during this interactive session. Discuss effective, state-led policy strategies on school meals, farm-to-school programs, nutrition education and much more. Contact: Ann Morse and Joan Wodiska
	Moderator:
	Ann Morse, NCSL, Washington, D.C.
	Speakers:
	 Senator Eddie A. Lucio, Texas Senator Renee S. Unterman, Georgia
	Resource Experts:
	State Legislators
	Joan Wodiska, NCSL, Washington, D.C.
10:45 am – noon 153ABC	Closing Opportunity Gaps through Early Education Research demonstrates that, on average, minority and low-income children enter kindergarten trailing their white and higher-income peers in math and reading. This is partially due to opportunity gaps, or when some students have fewer opportunities to learn and develop before entering school. Opportunity gaps lead to achievement gaps, which can later create social and economic

these gaps and discuss preschool to third grade policy options under the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA). Contact: Matt Weyer & Madeleine Webster

Presiding:

 Representative Robert Behning, Indiana Co-Chair, NCSL Education Standing Committee

Speakers:

- Gary Orfield, UCLA
- Katharine Stevens, American Enterprise Institute, Washington, D.C.

Legislative Respondents:

- · Representative Byron Donalds, Florida
- Senator Joyce Elliott, Arkansas

12:15 – 1:15 pm 153ABC

Lunch: Supporting K-12 Students Through Engaging Afterschool Programming NCSL gratefully acknowledges the C.S. Mott Foundation for their support of this luncheon.

Afterschool programs often serve as an opportunity to provide additional youth development. While some programs provide overall enrichment, others focus specifically on science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) or the arts. During this session, we will learn more about these programs and the unique experiences students receive by participating in them. Contact: Ashley Wallace.

Opening performance by Bell Gardens Intermediate Dance Team

Presiding:

Senator Peggy Lehner, Ohio
 Vice Chair, NCSL Education Standing Committee

Speakers:

- Bill Fennessy, Think Together, California
- Michael Funk, California Department of Education

1:30 - 2:45 pm 304ABC

New Models for American Higher Education

How can America's public colleges and universities modernize to meet the changing demands of the technologically driven and globalized workforce of the future? This session will explore how systems in higher education might adapt to meet the needs of a diverse population of students, many of whom come in and out of higher education at different points in their lifetime. This session will also include an NCSL update on federal higher education activity. Contact: Ben Boggs.

Presiding:

Senator David Sokola, Delaware
 Vice Char, NCSL Education Standing Committee

Speakers: Ben Boggs, NCSL, Colorado Michael Crow, Arizona State University, Arizona Joan Wodiska, NCSL, Washington, D.C. Improving Schools: What Works . . . and What Doesn't 3-5 pm**153ABC** The federal Every Student Succeeds Act gives states new flexibility to customize approaches to help struggling schools. But how do we know which strategies will work? What role does the community play? Learn what the research says about what works and hear inspiring stories about getting schools—and most importantly, kids—back on track. Contact: Michelle Exstrom Presiding: Senator Michelle Kidani, Hawaii Vice Chair, NCSL Education Standing Committee Moderator: Michelle Exstrom, NCSL, Denver Speakers: Monique Chism, American Institutes for Research, Washington, D.C. David Driscoll, Driscoll Consulting, Former MA Education Official, Massachusetts Sergio Garcia, Principal of Artesia High School, California Will Napier, Teacher at Artesia High School, California 5-5:30 pm **NCSL Steering Committee 511 ABC** The steering committee reviews the policies reported from the standing committees at the Summit and determines the calendar for the NCSL Business Meeting on Wednesday, Aug. 1 at 8 a.m. States' Night Events Wednesday, August 1 7-8 am **KIDS COUNT: Breakfast Session** NCSL gratefully acknowledges The Annie E. Casey Foundation for its support of **306 AB** this breakfast. Learn about the status of America's children as measured by economic security, education and health, and the Annie E. Casey Foundation's vision to enhance child well-being and promote economic opportunity. Speaker: Leslie Boissiere, Annie E. Casey Foundation, Maryland

7:30 am – 5 pm South Lobby	Registration
10 am — 3:30 pm Hall JH	Exhibit Hall
8 – 9:45 am Petree CD	Setting the States' Agenda (Business) Meeting Breakfast Legislators and legislative staff will elect the NCSL officers and Executive Committee for 2018-2019, approve the Conference's Budget for 2019 and consider changes to NCSL's By-Laws. Following the Business portion, all legislators will consider the policy directives and resolutions reported from the NCSL Standing Committees. If approved, they will form the States' Agenda in Washington, D.C., guiding NCSL's advocacy effort before Congress and the administration. All are encouraged to attend. IMPORTANT NOTICE: The policy directives, the Conference's budget and other Business Meeting documents are accessible in electronic format on the NCSL app and on the agenda and resources page on the Summit website.
Noon – 1:45 pm 303 AB	School Choice Lunch: Exclusive Lunch for Education Committee Members NCSL gratefully acknowledges EdChoice for its support of this luncheon. Many states have been working for years to put into place policies that support opportunities for parents to choose approaches to education other than their neighborhood schools that best fit their child's needs. During this session, school choice experts will discuss what they see as new and innovative policies and practices to further this effort.
	Moderator: • Daniel Thatcher, NCSL, Colorado Speakers: • Robert Enlow, EdChoice, Indiana • Lisa Snell, Reason Foundation, California • Jon Valant, Brookings Institution, Washington, D.C.
Noon – 1:45 pm	Exhibit Hall Luncheon
Noon – 1:45 pm Hall K	Salute to Legislative Staff Luncheon: Play-by-Play Leadership Lessons From her job as the first female CEO in the NFL to serving as chairman of Ice Cube's BIG3 basketball league, Amy Trask has an abundance of experience to share. Amy will take you on her journey of successes and failures, where she learned to thrive under pressure, advocate for herself, make decisions under a microscope, deal with strong personalities and "negotiate like a girl," as her memoir declares. Join Amy as she offers a play-by-play of some of her most memorable leadership lessons—in life and in business.
	Speaker: • Amy Trask, Speaker Exchange Agency, LLC, Kansas

153ABC	Imagine the impact of an entire school—or a district—where every teacher is deemed to be the best in the world and is considered a nation builder. That's the typical experience of students in Singapore, Finland, Shanghai and Ontario, Canada. During this deep-dive session, hear from and work with international teaching experts. Dive into how the very best teachers are prepared and compensated, learn how their day and classrooms are structured, and understand how these practices lead to stellar performances by teachers and students. Contact: Michelle Exstrom
	What You'll Learn: How teachers in the best education systems are prepared, supported, and paid. How all policies and practices in these systems are designed to work in tandem to reach extraordinary outcomes for students.
	 How international education success stories can be translated into state action. Concrete policy strategies to create a stronger teaching profession and improve student achievement.
	Moderator: • Michelle Exstrom, NCSL, Colorado
	 Speakers: Linda Darling Hammond, Learning Policy Institute, California Members of NCSL's International Education Study Group Educators
6:30 9 pm	Social Event at Paramount Studios Get a glimpse behind the scenes at this exclusive event on the New York Street Backlot at Paramount Pictures Studios. Pose for the paparazzi before rubbing elbows with some of Hollywood's elite impersonators! As you tour through the streets used for so many memorable scenes in movies and television, stop to enjoy small bites from one of the various food stations. This will be an unforgettable evening fit for the stars! You must have your badge to enter.
Thursday, Augi	ust 2
7:30 am – Noon	Registration
8 – 9:30 am Hall K	General Session / 2019 Summit Kickoff Breakfast – It's All About Country: Politics, Polling and Pop Culture Explore what America is thinking with nationally renowned pollsters Margie Omero and Kristen Soltis Anderson as Nashville sets the stage for next year's Summit. Enjoy a scrumptious, southern-style breakfast while Omero and Soltis Anderson share how the numbers reveal the public's mindset on news, politics and pop culture. You won't want to miss the bipartisan team that co-hosts the

World-Class Teaching: How to Get It and Keep It

2 - 4:45 pm

top-200 podcast, "The Pollsters," while getting a peek at what's in store at next year's Summit in Nashville Speakers: Margie Omero, GBA Strategies, Washington, D.C. Kristen Soltis Anderson, Echelon Insights, Virginia NASA Special Briefing: Join the Journey Back to the Moon and on to Mars 9:45 - 11:15am NASA and businesses in your states are building the world's largest rocket to 153ABC return humans to the moon, Mars and beyond. Join this exclusive briefing session and hear from top NASA directors, business leaders and state legislators working to advance NASA's mission and grow state economies and how your state and communities can join the journey! Contact: Joan Wodiska Panel 1: To Boldly Go: NASA and Human Space Exploration Moderator: Senator Howard Stephenson, Utah Panelist: Larry James, NASA Jet Propulsion Laboratory, California Steve Miley, NASA Marshal Space Flight Center, Alabama Panel 2: Building America's Rocket and Growing State Economies Moderator: David Quam, Nelson, Mullins, Riley & Scarborough, LLP, Washington, D.C. Panelists: Sharon Cobb, NASA Marshall Space Flight Center, Alabama Nikki Martinez, NASA Programs, Aerojet Rocketdyne, California George Ray, Chairman of the Board, LeFiell Manufacturing Company, California Panel 3: Legislators Leading the Way Moderator: David Quam, Nelson, Mullins, Riley & Scarborough, LLP, Washington, Panelists: Senator John Cosgrove, Virginia Senator Bill Holtzclaw, Alabama Representative Dennis Paul, Texas Senator Howard Stephenson, Utah

9:45 am – noon 502 B

Strengthening Rural Communities

The divide between rural and urban culture and priorities is being felt across the country, including in state legislatures. As urban areas continue to grow, rural legislators increasingly find themselves having to explain the needs of rural constituents to their urban counterparts. This interactive session will

include audience polling and a facilitated discussion about rural demographics and other data, with a look at how legislatures have addressed the needs of rural communities.

What You'll Learn:

- State innovations and successes that promote rural development.
- Legislative options and promising state strategies to improve rural initiatives.
- How to clarify the rural voice within the policymaking process.

Moderator:

. P.J. Huffstutter, Reuters News, Illinois

Speakers:

- Senator Elaine S. Bowers, Kansas
- Anne Hazlett, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C.
- Chris Mehl, Headwaters Institute, Montana
- Michael Santorelli, New York Law School
- · Senator Benny J. Shendo, New Mexico
- Senator Jerry Sonnenberg, Colorado
- · Martha Wigton, Georgia General Assembly

11:30am-12:30pm 153 ABC

Computer Science Lunch: The Engine of Change and Economic Growth NCSL gratefully acknowledges The College Board for its support of this luncheon.

More and more, we learn, play, work, socialize, shop, build and research with the support of technology. As technology continues to transform every sector of our economy, experience and education in computer science has become imperative for today's students and tomorrow's workforce. Are we producing enough skilled students? How many job openings require computer literacy or computer science coding in your state? Explore this issue and get the facts about your state. Contact Joan Wodiska.

Moderator:

Joan Wodiska, NCSL, Washington, D.C.

Speakers:

- Juan Navarro, College Board, New York
- Monica Roman, College Board, New York
- Senator Joyce Woodhouse, Nevada

1 pm - 5 pm

VIP Tour -- James Webb Space Telescope at Space Park

NCSL gratefully acknowledges Northrop Grumman for its support of this exclusive tour.

Peer into America's future by visiting NASA's James Webb Space Telescope—a revolutionary successor to the Hubble Telescope and 100 times more powerful. Go behind the scenes onto a secured installation to engage with the creators and engineers building the telescope. Box lunch provided. Advance registration required for security. Transportation: Visitors may begin the boarding process at 12:30pm on Figueroa Drive in the Convention Center. Bus departs at 1pm. Government issued-picture ID required. See NCSL App for a Map. Contact: Joan Wodiska (joan.wodiska@ncsl.org or 703-898-0053) 11:15 am - 5 pm **Principal Pipeline Post-Conference** Invite only This session will highlight findings from The Wallace Foundation's Principal Supervisor Initiative implementation study around the role of principal supervisors in recruiting and supporting principals. Released July 10, 2018, the study gleans lessons over the four-year implementation period centralizing on changes to the principal supervisor role. Additionally, information regarding data-driven decisions and leadership strategies will be presented. Participants will also be provided with state-specific information in reference to leadership

potential policy solutions.

in K-12 education, with an opportunity to explain challenges and formulate

POST-CONFERENCE REPORT- NCSL 2018 Legislative Summit

Legislator: Rep. Mary Stuart Gile,

Type of Conference: NCSL 2018 Legislative Summit

Sponsoring Organization: National Conference of State Legislatures

Location: Los Angeles, California Date: July 29 – August 2, 2018

Overall Purpose: To attend the NCSL 2018 Summit, specifically to attend education and general sessions, the business meetings, and to participate in NCSL's International Education Study Group Activities.

Sessions Attended: Monday, July 30, 2018

Education Policy Working Group Meeting

NCSL Steering Committee

General Session: State Networking Event and CEO Forum: The Next Generation of

Innovation

Competency-Based Learning: A Conversation with District Learners The 411 on 529s: The Impact of the Federal Tax Law on Education

Education Committee Meeting and Federal Update

Opening Reception

Tuesday, July 31, 2018

Closing Opportunity Gaps through Early Education Supporting K-12 Students Through Engaging Afterschool Programming Improving Schools: What Works...and What Doesn't States Nights' Events

Wednesday, August 1, 2018

Multi-Generational Approach to Family Well-Being World-Class Teaching: how to Get it and Keep it – Deep Dive Seminar Visit to Paramount Studios

Thursday, August 2,2018

General Session – It's All About Country: Politics, Polling and Pop Culture NASA Special Briefing: Join the Journey Back to the Moon and on to Mars:

- 1. To Boldly Go: NASA and Human Space Exploration
- 2. Building America's Rocket and Growing State Economies
- 3. Legislators Leading the Way

Principal Pipeline Post-Conference

Was it Helpful: Yes, the NCSL Legislative Summit brings together legislators and government specialists etc. from all over the world making discussions on matters related to education as well as other topics very informative and helpful.

Why? Most sessions included excellent speakers and good participation in discussion. The General Session on CEO's and Innovation was most interesting as was current research on Closing Opportunity Gaps through Early Education, Competency-Based Learning, the 411 on 529s, NASA and the Federal Update.

What are three key areas of interest/information that would apply to New Hampshire?

1. World-Class Teaching: How to Get it and Keep It; 2. Closing Opportunity Gaps through Early Learning; and 3. Principal Pipeline Post Conference which focused on Leadership

With whom did you/will you share information?

I have already shared the Report, <u>NO TIME TO LOSE</u> with the House Education Committee and other legislators dedicated to building a world-class education system in NH. I returned with literature on Leadership in Public Education, which stresses the current shortage of principals and why, and hope to share this with House Education colleagues as well. I have also asked to be on the agenda of the next meeting of the NH Coalition for Business and Education to discuss <u>NO TIME TO LOSE</u>.

How?

Again, I have copies of the NCSL report, and an assortment of literature which I plan to discuss with colleagues and Reps. Ladd and Wolf. Last year I introduced legislation to study teacher recruitment, education and preparation in NH. In all sessions on high performing countries, the teacher is the key to their success. I hope to find an elected colleague to introduce a similar bill in 2019.

What was most beneficial to you from this conference?

The session on Closing Opportunity Gaps through Early Learning, and World Class Teaching; How to Get it and Keep it.

I have had the privilege of working for three years with 15 legislators and 10 legislative staff from across the Country in the International Education Study Group and, participating in all of the activities surrounding the publication NO TIME TO LOSE. It has been labor intensive, but overall, an extraordinary experience.

Another Highlight for me was the session on NASA, which was fascinating.

What was the least beneficial?

I always find the NCSL meetings most beneficial in terms of investment of time.

NCSL Legislative Summit Expenses:

Thank you, Rep Mary Stuart Gile