



STATE EQUITY LEADERS SUMMIT

EQUITY IN ACTION: AUTHENTICALLY ENGAGING STAKEHOLDERS IN EQUITY-FOCUSED STATE PLANNING

SEPTEMBER 28, 2018

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The Midwest and Plains Equity Assistance Center's Annual State Leaders Summit is an invitational, one-day experience, designed to engage state leaders in strategic dialogue focused on ensuring equitable education opportunities for all students and to foster cross-state collaborative partnerships. This year's Summit will bring together Region III state-level leaders from IL, IN, OH, MI, MN, WI, IA, KS, OK, MO, SD, NE, and ND, as well as equity scholars, to participate in critical conversations about equity considerations and solutions related to stakeholder engagement.

Participants will: (1) engage in dynamic roundtable discussions with fellow state leaders and scholars to examine tensions and dilemmas related to the advantages of and complexities of engaging stakeholders in equity-focused state planning;

2) receive information from colleagues around the region about strategies for identification and engagement of youth, parents/caregivers, educators, and community collaborators as stakeholders in state planning; (3) create collegial support networks within the center's 13-state region; (4) learn from a panel of leaders discussing equity considerations and leveraging opportunities for state education agencies when troubling traditional notions of community and stakeholder participation in policy development and implementation.

GUIDELINES

This event is invitation only. Registration deadline is **Friday, August 24, 2018**.

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