AGENDA
5-Day Training

Wednesday, July 17, 2013
(All sessions held in the School of Media and Public Affairs Building, Room 310)

7:30-8:30  Continental Breakfast at GW
7:30-8:30  Registration
8:30-9:30  Welcome, Introductions, and Announcements
- Carol Kochhar-Bryan, Senior Associate Dean of GSHED, GW
- Sally Baas, NASP President
- Stacy Skalski, Director of Professional Policy and Practice, NASP
- Kelly Vaillancourt, Director of Government Relations, NASP
- Pam Leconte, George Washington University, Coordinator
- Allison Bollinger, Professional Relations Manager, NASP
9:30-10:30 Historical and Evolving Federal Role in Education: ESEA, NCLB, and Beyond
- Michael Usdan, Senior Fellow and Past President, Institute for Educational Leadership
10:30-10:45 Break
10:45-11:45 Reflections on a Half-Century of School Reform: Why Have We Fallen Short and Where Do We Go From Here?
- Michael Feuer, Dean of GSHED
- Jack Jennings, Founder, Center on Education Policy and Maria Ferguson, Executive Director, Center on Education Policy
11:45-12:15 Group Discussions: Participants will be assigned to small groups and will discuss the following topics
- What is the appropriate federal role in education?
- How can schools respond to student misconduct without contributing to disproportionate representation and “school to prison pipeline?”
- How can schools create positive school climates and effectively respond to bullying and harassment?
12:15-1:00  Lunch
1:00-2:00  The 2013 Children’s Budget: How do our nation’s children fare in the federal budget?
- Jared Solomon, Senior Director of Budget Policy, First Focus
2:00-2:15  Break
2:15-3:15  Powerful Change: Building Communities of Practice and Resources for Children and Youth
- Joanne Cashman, Director, IDEA Partnership
3:15-4:15  Overview of the Capitol Hill Experience
- Kelly Vaillancourt and the GPR Committee
4:15-5:30  Teamwork Session
5:45-8:00  Reception-Tonic at Quigley’s Pharmacy
- 2036 G Street
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7:30-8:30  Continental Breakfast at GW
8:30-9:30  Safe and Healthy Students
   •  David Esquith, Director of the Office of Safe and Healthy Students, US Department of Education
9:30-10:35  Kids Count: The Status of America’s Children Today and Tomorrow
   •  Florencia Gutierrez, Research Associate, National KIDS COUNT, Annie E. Casey Foundation
10:35-10:45  Break
10:45-11:30  Preparing for the Capitol Hill Experience
12:00-1:30  Project ACHIEVE-Evidence-Based School Improvement: Rethinking Policy, Practice, Outcomes
   Howie Knoff, President of Project ACHIEVE, Director of Arkansas State Improvement Grant and Matt Kamins, School Psychologist, Montgomery County Public Schools, MD
1:45-2:45  Programs and Policies of the Office of Special Education Programs
   •  Renee Bradley, Deputy Director of the office of Special Education Programs, US Department of Education
2:45-4:00  PBIS: Multi-Tiered Systems of Behavior Support
   •  George Sugai, Carole J. Neag Endowed Professor, Neag School of Education University of Connecticut; Do-Director of the OSEP Technical Assistance Center on Positive Behavior Interventions and Support
4:00-5:00  Teamwork Session
Friday, July 19, 2013

7:00-8:00 Travel to Capitol Hill via Metro
8:00-8:15 Continental Breakfast on Capitol Hill
  • Capitol Visitors Center Congressional Meeting Room North, Room 268
8:15-8:30 Introduction and Brief Overview of the Hill Day
  • Morning Orientation
  • Thank you to our room sponsor, Representative George Miller (CA-11)
8:30-9:30 Legislative Hill Panel
  • Amanda Beaumont, Education Policy Advisor, Senator Al Franken (MN)
  • Michael Gamel-McCormick, Senior K-12 Education Policy Advisor, Senate Committee on Health, Education, Labor and Pensions, Majority Staff
  • Jacque Chevalier, Education Policy Advisor, House Committee on Education and the Workforce, Minority Staff
9:30-3:00 Capitol Hill Visits
  • All PPI participants attend scheduled meetings with their U.S. Senators and Representatives
  • Observe hearings and/or briefings
  • Tour the Capitol
  • Lunch on your own
3:00-4:00 Capitol Hill Debriefing
  • Rayburn House Office Building Room 2261
  • Hill reports for each visit should be completed via the online report form (http://naspweb.capwiz.com/naspweb/lrm/feedback.tt?event=42293)
4:00-5:00 Teamwork Session-meet at location determined by your team
### Monday, July 22, 2013
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| 8:30-12:00| SPECIAL SESSION: Preventing the School to Prison Pipeline  
Facilitated by: Kelly Vaillancourt, NASP Director of Government Relations |
| 8:30-9:30| The School Discipline Consensus Project  
- Nina Salomon and Emily Morgan, Policy Analysts, School Discipline  
  Justice Center, Council of State Governments |
| 9:30-10:30| Preventing the School to Prison Pipeline: The Youth PROMISE Act  
- Kevin Wozniak, Congressional fellow with the American Political Science Association, Rep. Bobby Scott (VA-03) |
| 10:30-11:00| Break and Gallery Walk  
- Critical Exposure Photography Project |
| 11:00-12:00| Critical Exposure  
- Adam Levner, Executive Director and Panel of Youth Fellows |
| 12:00-1:00| Lunch                                                                                           |
| 1:00-2:00| When the “Street” Meets the “Schoolhouse”: Reaching out to Commercially Sexually Exploited Youth  
- Jenee Littrell, Director of Wellness and Guidance, Safe Schools Healthy Students,  
  Grossmont Union High School District, CA |
| 2:00-3:30| Improving Secondary School Student and School Outcomes in the Upper Darby School District  
- Dan McGarry, Assistant Superintendent  
- Brenda Kabler, School Psychology Coordinator  
- Ed Roth, Assistant Principal |
| 3:30-5:00| Teamwork Sessions                                                                               |
Tuesday, July 23, 2013
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7:30-8:30 Continental Breakfast
8:30-12:30 SPECIAL SESSION: Bully Proofing Our Schools
   Session facilitated by: Mary Beth Klotz, NASP Director of IDEA Projects & Technical Assistance
   8:30-10:10 Film Viewing: "Bully"
   10:10-10:20 Break
   10:20-11:00 Facilitated Group Discussion of the Movie
   11:00-12:30 Connecting Policy & Practice: Panel Discussion on Bully Proofing Schools
   Policy
       Laura Kaloi, VP Washington Partners/NCLD
       Shawn Gaylord, Director of Public Policy, Gay, Lesbian & Straight Education Network (GLSEN)
       Joshua Deese, Trevor Project, Youth Advisory Councilmember
       Meredith Norris, Special Education Department Chair, Fairfax County Public School District, VA

12:30-2:00 Working Lunch
2:00-4:45 Sharing What We've Learned: Team Presentations
4:45-5:00 Wrap Up and Evaluations