Georgia Department of Education

L4GA Grant Kickoff

The Classic Center, Athens, GA

# Thursday, June 21, 2018

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| 8:00 am – 9:00 am | Registration in AtriumBreakfast in Grand Hall  |
| 9:00 am – 9:45 am | Opening Remarks and Keynote Session Athena Ballrooms**Richard Woods***Georgia’s School Superintendent* **Dr. Caitlin McMunn Dooley***Deputy Superintendent of Teaching and Learning*  |
|  9:45 am – 10:15 am | Break and Networking*Coffee and Beverages* |
| 10:15 am – 11:45 pm | Plenary Session – Grant RequirementsAthena Ballrooms *Consolidated App; Invoice Application**Regina Hailey-Manager, Grants Accounting**L4GA Fiscal Requirements; Audit requirements; Supplement vs. Supplant**Wes Sherrell-Director of Internal Audits* *Quarterly Monitoring; Site Visits**Julie Morrill-Program Manager, L4GA**Fluid Review Management**Meghan Welch-Program Specialist, L4GA* |
| 11:45 am – 1:15 pm12:15 pm – 1:15 pm  | Luncheon in Grand Hall**Presentations during lunch:***Literacy Bus*Fefe Handy*Whitfield County Schools**Michelle Caldwell* |
| 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm  | Plenary Session – Grant Implementation and External EvaluationAthena Ballrooms *Understanding Our Impact: Assessment System Overview for L4GA**Dr.Gary Bingham and Dr. Rihana Mason – Georgia State University* *A System's Approach to the Evaluation of L4GA**Dr. Lizanne DeStefano and Dr. Meltem Alemdar – Georgia Tech* |
| 2:30 pm – 2:45 pm  | Break and Networking |
| 2:45 pm – 3:30 pm | Breakout Sessions – “Office Hours” ***Athena G-J:*** *B-5/Community Engagement: Meghan Welch (GaDOE); Monica Warren (Crisp County)****Grand Hall 1-4:*** *Elementary: Julie Morrill (GaDOE); Joshua Purvis (Colquitt County)****Parthenon 1-2:*** *Middle/ High School: Joshua Todd (GaDOE); Britt Adams (Whitfield County)* |

#  Friday, June 22, 2018

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| 8:00 am – 9:00 am  | Breakfast in Grand Hall  |
| 9:00 am – 10:00 am  | Plenary Session – Grant Support Athena Ballrooms *Institutes/Surveys* *Julie Morrill-GaDOE**Community Engagement Framework**Dr. Roberta Gardner-Georgia State University**Dr. Meltem Alemdar –Georgia Tech* *Accessing and Selecting Evidence-Based Practices and Evidence-Based Resources: Finding What Works Best for Your Students’ Needs* *Ramona Chauvin-AIR/Synergy**Rubric for Evaluation of Reading Language Arts Instructional Materials for K-5**Phyllis Underwood- REL-SE Florida State University**Building Capacity: Lessons from the Striving Reader Grant**Jake Nagy-William Penn High School**Georgia Learns**Cox Campus**Comprehensive Reading Solutions**Julie Morrill-GaDOE*  |
| 10:00 am – 10:15 am  | Break and Networking |
| 10:15 am – 11:45 am  | Breakout Sessions **Athena G-J:** *Community Engagement Framework: Dr. Roberta Gardner-Georgia State University***Grand Hall 1-4:** *Accessing and Selecting Evidence-Based Practices and Evidence-Based Resources: Finding What Works Best for Your Students’ Needs: Ramona Chauvin***Parthenon 1-2:** *Rubric for Evaluation of Reading Language Arts Instructional* *Materials for K-5: Phyllis Underwood***Athena Ballroom:** *Building Capacity: Lessons from the Striving Reader Grant: Jake Nagy* |
| 11:45 am – 1:15 pm  | Luncheon in Grand Hall |
| 12:15 pm – 1:15 pm  | **Presentations during lunch:***READing Paws**Lynn Abass**Curriculum Selection**Marni Kirkland (Colquitt County)* |
|  1:15-2:30 pm  | Plenary Session- District Kickoff and ImplementationAthena Ballrooms*Creating a Sustainable Community Coalition**Dr. Roberta Gardner-Georgia State University* |



