

Regional Works Councils Webinar

January 30, 2014

- * Introductions
- * Legislative Update
- * Regional Plans
- * Discussion of Innovative CTE Curriculum Grant
- * Pedagogical Practices
- * Next steps

Introductions



- * Works Councils
Indianapolis Team
- * Center for Excellence in
Leadership and Learning
- * Regional Works Council
Chairs

Center for Education and Career Innovation

- * CECI combines the operational support for four state entities: Career Council, Works Councils, Education Roundtable, and State Board of Education
- * 59% of state budget dedicated to education and workforce development
- * CECI connects the education pipeline (K-12, higher education and workforce) with the needs of Indiana's economy

CECI's Guiding Principles

- * Supporting integrated service delivery that is student- and adult worker-centric, and is focused on defined outcomes.
- * Ensuring Indiana's educators are given the necessary freedom, support and flexibility to succeed in the classroom, and are rewarded for their successes.
- * Fostering, identifying and scaling the most innovative and effective education and workforce models, tools and resources.

CECI's Guiding Principles

- * Holding students, adult workers, educators, schools, higher education institutions and workforce programs accountable for their progress through rigorous, fair and transparent accountability systems.
- * Eliminating silos and aligning resource allocation efforts in collaboration with public and private sector partners, providers and employers.

Legislative Update

- **HB1003:** Economic Development
- **HB1064:** Study of CTE Programs
- **HB1181:** Career and Technical Education Centers
- **HB1213:** Career and Technical Education Diploma

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Indiana Regional Works Councils

Central Staff Priorities

- * Statewide CTE awareness campaign
- * Innovative CTE curriculum grants
- * Identifying policy levers to improve Indiana's CTE system
 - * CTE ROI Study (HB 1064)
 - * Works Council Recommendations to Career Council

Indiana Regional Works Councils

Local Priorities

- * Developing industry partnerships that focus on important sectors
- * Regional plans and policy recommendations to Indiana Career Council
- * Application and subsequent review of innovative CTE curriculum grants

Policy Recommendations

Questions from the Career Council (now due March 15)

- * What recommendations do Works Councils have for the Career Council on CTE definitions, courses, funding, and how performance should be measured and tied to funding?
- * What recommendations do Works Councils have related to industry requirements for STEM knowledge and how well those requirements do (or do not) align to high school diploma requirements
- * If the Works Council could redesign its overall CTE system structure for optimal results, what might it look like?

Industry/Local Partnerships

Questions from the Career Council (now due March 15)

- * How can the Career Council assist in ensuring that local career pathway providers are responsive to the dynamic needs of employers?
- * What strategies would the Works Councils recommend to ensure that employers are engaged more seamlessly in the process?

Regional Plans

Questions from the Career Council (due March 15)

- * What assistance can the State offer to the Works Councils as members work to develop:
 - * Quality work-based learning experiences
 - * More awareness about CTE opportunities in schools
 - * Appropriate supportive services for students
 - * Employability skills
- * What recommendations do Works Councils have on more fully integrating career counseling and employability skills into the middle school and high school curriculum?
- * What credentials, certifications, or certificates, if any, are needed or demanded by your region's high value jobs and employers?

Regional Plans

- * Due July 1
- * Use the following tools to develop framework:
 - * Career Council's Questions
 - * Planning Timeline
 - * Innovative CTE Curriculum Grant Opportunity
- * Technical Assistance from Indianapolis Team

Innovative CTE Curriculum Grant Guidance

Purpose

- * Foster and scale the most innovative and effective CTE curriculum models in the state
- * \$4.3 million available

Narrative Requirements

- * Statement of Regional Industry Need/Proposed Partnerships
- * Description of proposed innovative curriculum
 - * Focus on innovative programmatic and pedagogical models
- * Performance Measures, Evaluation, Sustainability
- * Budget Detail

Innovative CTE Curriculum Grant Guidance

Eligible Applicants

- * Local Educational Authority
- * Non-profit organization
- * School District
- * Private entity/corporation

Logistics

- * 2 cycles of funding/deadlines: April 30, 2014 and January 2, 2015
- * Private investments match must be 25% of the total funding required (total funding = grant funds + private match funds)
- * Allowable expenses include:
 - * salaries associated with curriculum development/delivery;
 - * Marketing
 - * Equipment



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Innovation In Education

“Each new combination opens the possibility of other new combinations.”
Stuart Kauffman

The Adjacent Possible

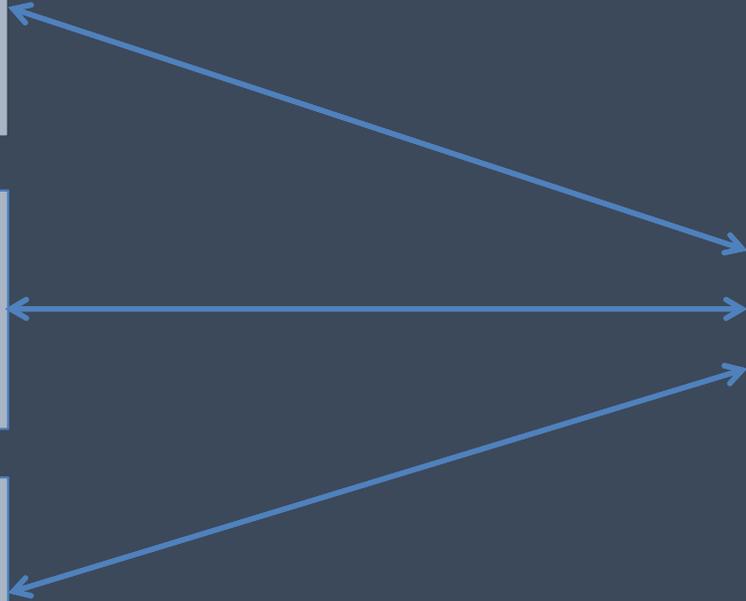
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Pedagogical Practices and Instructional Models

Curricular Design

Engagement

Innovative Schools



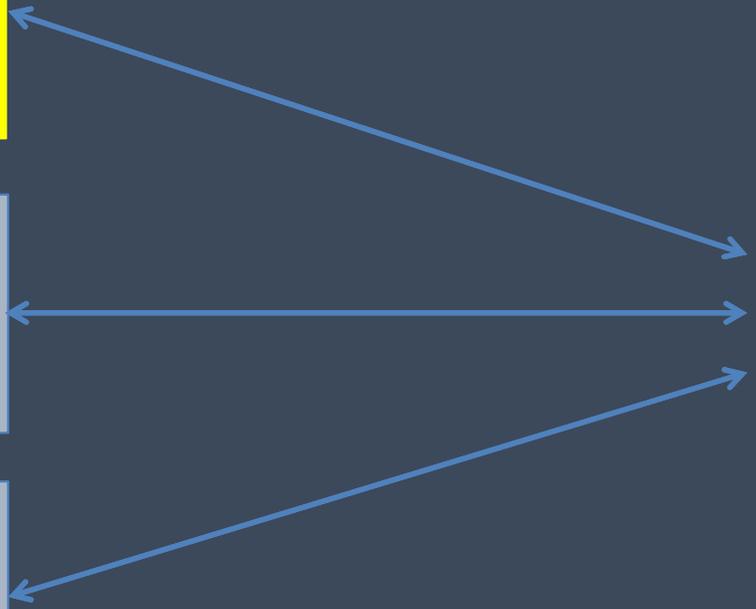
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Pedagogical Practices

- Project-based learning / Problem-based learning
- Socratic methodology
- Flipped Learning
- 21st-century skills
- Work-based learning
- 1:1 computing



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Next Steps

- * Need Feedback
- * Next webinar scheduled for *March*. Date TBD soon
- * Thanks!