PATHWAY CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT

Linked Learning Professional Learning Series



LINKED LEARNING PATHWAY CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT

Thursday November 12th and November 19th 3:00-4:30 p.m. PST

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What: This workshop series is for established college and career pathways that are interested in working and learning together to deepen their work, improve their pathway or pursue Linked Learning Gold Certification. Participants will use the National Equity Project's Liberatory Design Framework and the Linked Learning Gold Standards to identify and test strategies to strengthen pathway student outcomes.

Outcomes:

- 1. Leave with new ideas and strategies for how Linked Learning can address key student outcomes and equity challenges
- 2. Develop a plan to addresses a specific pathway equity challenge within your context
- 3. Be better prepared to start the Gold Certification process for interested pathways

Triple Track Agenda will:

- 1. **Explore** the Linked Learning pathway framework together with equity-centered design thinking.
- 2. **Learn** to use the Linked Learning Gold Standards and equity-centered design to build a more effective college AND career pathway.
- 3. **Create** a realistic plan to successfully meet your pathway continuous improvement goals with tools and strategies you can take back to your site and implement with your team.

Day 1: Linked Learning Pathway Continuous Improvement

- 1. Opening and Welcome
- 2. Design Processes and Mindsets for Continuous Improvement of Pathways
 - Experience and explore how to use an equity lens and specific mindsets to support pathway continuous improvement with an inclusive and diverse set of stakeholders.
- Using Linked Standards to Continuously Improve the Integrated Program of Study
 - Explore how the Linked Learning Gold Standards can enhance student-centered learning connected to postsecondary and industry expectations.
- 4. Reflections, Appreciations, Next Steps, and Closing



Day 2: Linked Learning Continuous Improvement

1. Opening and Welcome

2. Improve Pathways Through Equity-Centered Design

- Learn about the Liberatory Design process for Linked Learning pathway design
- Consider how to use Liberatory Design with your team to support pathway continuous improvement and equity

3. Use Self-Study Tool and Certification to Drive Improvement

- Use the Linked Learning Self-Study Tool, Liberatory Design, Certification, and other resources to assess the current state of your pathway
- Identify goals and inclusive set of stakeholders to engage in improvement

4. Develop a Roadmap for Pathway Improvement

- Create a strategy outline for how you will use these tools, resources and processes with your team to strengthen your pathway
- Network and share plans with other teams for feedback

5. Reflections, Appreciations, and Closing