



Illinois New Teacher Collaborative Conference 2009
Moving Toward High Quality Induction and Mentoring

Agenda

Tuesday, February 24, 2009

8:30 – 10:30	Conference Check-in/Breakfast	Mezzanine/Prairie
10:30 – 10:55	Opening Session: Welcome Renee Clift , Director, INTC	Capitol/Illinois
	Opening Speaker Dennis Van Roekel , President, National Education Association Introduced by Kathi Griffin , Board of Directors, Illinois Education Association	
	General Conference Information Meghan Zefran , Professional Development Unit, Human Resources, Chicago Public Schools Nancy Johnson , Assistant Director, INTC Scott Wennerdahl , Online Community/Technology Innovation Coordinator, INTC Mary Elin Barnish and Lara Hebert , Statewide Co-Coordinators, ISBE Funded Beginning Teacher Induction Programs, INTC	
10:55 – 11:15	Update: Induction/Mentoring in Illinois Illinois Induction Policy Team Members Jo Anderson , Executive Director, Illinois Education Association Sue Walter , Director, Union Professional Development, Illinois Federation of Teachers	Capitol/Illinois
11:15 – 12:15	Keynote Address Sponsored by Illinois Principals Association “Measuring Induction Program Impact: Promises and Pitfalls” Leslie Huling , Associate Dean of Research and Faculty Development, Texas State University-San Marcos Introduced by Jason Leahy , Executive Director, Illinois Principals Association	Capitol/Illinois
12:15 – 1:15	Lunch (with dessert deferred to afternoon break)	Prairie

1:15 – 1:30 ISBE Update: Standards and Funding Capitol/Illinois
Linda Tomlinson, Assistant Superintendent, School Support
Services for All Schools

1:30 – 2:20 Team Work Session #1: Program Improvement Plan Capitol/Illinois

Online Community and Technology Innovation Rooms run concurrently with selected breakout sessions on both days.
Check the conference folder for locations and descriptions.

2:30 – 3:20 Critical Issues Breakout Session #1 **See Light Blue**
Nine Offerings **Schedule in Folder**

Online Community and Technology Innovation Rooms Conference Center
Two Offerings 2 & 4

3:20 – 3:40 Dessert Break Mezzanine

3:40 – 4:30 Critical Issues Breakout Session #2 **See Yellow**
Ten Offerings **Schedule in Folder**

Online Community and Technology Innovation Rooms Conference Center
One Offering 2 & 4

4:40 – 5:30 Critical Issues Breakout Session #3 **See Pink**
Eight Offerings **Schedule in Folder**

Online Community and Technology Innovation Rooms Conference Center
Two Offerings 2 & 4

5:40 – 6:15 Team Work Session #2: Program Improvement Plan Capitol/Illinois

6:15 – 7:30 Complimentary Reception and Exhibit Session* Rendezvous
Hors d'oeuvres sponsored by Illinois Education Association and
the Illinois Federation of Teachers
(*Exhibits will be available during this reception.
Applebatch exhibit will have extended hours.)

Dinner on your own

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Wednesday, February 25, 2009

7:00 – 8:00	Conference Check-in/Breakfast	Mezzanine/Prairie
7:30 – 7:45	Roundtable Facilitators Meeting	Plaza III
8:00 – 8:15	Welcome Dr. Christopher Koch , State Superintendent, Illinois State Board of Education	Capitol/Illinois
8:25 – 9:25	Role-Alike Facilitated Session Higher Education Administrators Mentors New Teachers Support Providers Technical Assistance for RFP Preparation for State-Funded Beginning Teacher Induction Programs* (*Please limit attendance to one person from each program. This is a repeat of Day 1 Critical Issue Session.)	Plaza I-II Embassy Capitol/Illinois Plaza III Ambassador Vista 5 & 6
	Online Community and Technology Innovation Rooms Two Offerings	Conference Center 2 & 4
9:35 – 10:00	Role-Alike Reports	Capitol/Illinois
10:00 – 11:10	Implementing the Standards: Successes and Challenges (Breakouts) <i>Three segments using roundtable format</i> Three 15-minute sessions (5 minutes between sessions) 10:15 – 10:30 10:35 – 10:50 10:55 – 11:10 Conversation clusters of 10 people. Table facilitator will ask questions and lead discussion. Conversations will be based upon the Illinois Standards of Quality and Effectiveness for Beginning Teacher Induction Programs. You will be split into three large groups; sticker color on your name tag will determine which room you will visit. All nine standards will be represented in each room.	Capitol/Illinois Plaza 3 Embassy
	Online Community and Technology Innovation Rooms Two Offerings	Conference Center 2 & 4
11:20 – 12:00	Team Work Session #3: Program Improvement Plan	Capitol/Illinois

12:00 – 1:00

Lunch and INTC Summary

Prairie

Jeff Milburn, Principal, Byron Community Unit School
District #226

Conference Evaluation*

Door Prizes – Must be present to win

\$1000 award to one school, 2010 conference registration and others

(*Please deposit evaluation in boxes by door.)

Conclusion and Send-off