

SWEAP State Leadership Forum Agenda

Ivy Hotel, 233 E Ontario
Chicago, Illinois

15th Floor Ballrooms

November 16-17, 2016

Wednesday, November 16

6:00 – 8:30 p.m. Evening reception and dinner

Rachel Unruh, Chief of Staff, National Skills Coalition;

Whitney Smith, Executive Director- Midwest Region

Global Philanthropy, JPMorgan Chase

Derek Redelman, Vice President, Research & Policy

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Thursday, November 17

8:00 a.m. Breakfast

8:45 a.m. Welcome, introductions, and overview of the day

Bryan Wilson, State Policy Director, National Skills Coalition

The Forum will focus on peer learning among the SWEAP states and invited guests. Each state will present the SWEAP data tools that they have been developing and discuss the policy options they are considering based on information from the tools.

9:00 a.m. Mississippi SWEAP Data Tools and State Policies

Representatives from Mississippi will share their SWEAP data tools and discuss the policies that they will or may develop based on information from the tools.

9:50 a.m. Break

- 10:00 a.m. Rhode Island SWEAP Data Tools and State Policies**
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- 10:50 a.m. California SWEAP Data Tools and State Policies**
Representatives from California will share their SWEAP data tools and discuss the policies that they will or may develop based on information from the tools.
- 11:40 a.m. Break**
- 12:00 p.m. Lunch**
Rachel Zinn, Director, Workforce Data Quality Campaign
Jenna Leventoff, Policy Analyst, Workforce Data Quality Campaign
Recent state advances in data tools and policy.
- 1:10 p.m. Ohio SWEAP Data Tools and State Policies**
Representatives from Ohio will share their SWEAP data tools and discuss the policies that they will or may develop based on information from the tools.
- 2:00 p.m. Facilitated Discussion of Policy Applications**
Rachel Zinn, Director, Workforce Data Quality Campaign
Bryan Wilson, State Policy Director, National Skills Coalition
- 2:45 p.m. State team meetings**
Time for state team discussion of future steps and opportunity to ask questions of other states, and NSC and WDQC staff.
- 3:35 p.m. Looking ahead**
Next steps for SWEAP.
Bryan Wilson, State Policy Director, National Skills Coalition
- 3:45 p.m. Adjourn**