

Iowa Core Leadership: 21st Century

Registration Information

<https://www.gwaea.org/apps/ProfDev/user/signon.cfm>

Course #: 4391-09-01 – Iowa Core Leadership

Audience: Iowa Core Building/District Leadership Teams

Each morning session will provide the following support for ICC Leadership Teams:

- Time to complete the ICC Self-Study and to develop the ICC Implementation plan
- Time to engage in learning and discussion with other ICC Leadership Teams
- Time to learn about information and tools being developed at the state level to support districts with the implementation of ICC
- Time to engage in leadership development for implementing school improvement initiatives focused on improving teaching and learning.

October 1, 2009

Kirkwood Center for Continuing Education

ICC Outcome: 1. School leaders build and sustain system capacity to implement the Iowa Core.

***Yong Zhao:** Michigan State University. Dr. Zhao emphasizes the need to promote creativity, technology and entrepreneurship to effectively prepare students for the 21st Century. He will share his perceptions how globalization is changing the context for how to prepare students to succeed.*

8:30-11:30 ICC Leadership Team Development

1:00-2:30 Yong Zhao shares information regarding how to effectively respond to the changing global and technology context. He will encourage increased attention towards creativity and entrepreneurship.

2:45-4:00 Eastern Iowa Business leader will discuss information regarding how to effectively respond to the changing global and technology context. They will encourage increased attention towards creativity and entrepreneurship.

November 9, 2009

Grant Wood Area Education Agency

ICC Outcome: 2. Community members and other supporting agencies work together to support the implementation of the Iowa Core Curriculum.

***Fred Bramante:** Member of New Hampshire State Board of Education. Mr. Bramante led the development of New Hampshire's plan to re-design high schools. The redesign emphasizes implementing the use of community resources to support the education of every student*

8:30-11:30 ICC Leadership Team Development

1:00-2:30 Fred Bramante talks about structuring community experiences for educating students.

2:45-4:00 Sigourney Community Schools presents a model they are implementing to provide students business experiences in their community

January 28, 2010

Grant Wood Area Education Agency

ICC Outcome: 6. Educators implement effective instructional practices to ensure high levels of learning for each and every student.

***Scott McLeod:** Dr. McLeod is widely recognized as one of the nation's leading academic experts on K-12 school technology leadership. Dr. McLeod is an Associate Professor and Coordinator of Educational Administration program at Iowa State University*

8:30-11:30 ICC Leadership Team Development.

1:00-2:30 Dr. McLeod will present to the Iowa Core building/district leadership teams. Dr. McLeod will discuss the expansion of technology as a tool to enhance student learning.

2:45-4:00 Newell-Fonda Community Schools presents a model they are implementing to provide students quality technology experiences with each student having access to their own computer.

April 21, 2010

Grant Wood Area Education Agency

ICC Outcome: 5. Educators engage in professional development on developing characteristics of effective instruction and demonstrate understanding of essential concepts and skill sets.

***Margaret Heritage:** Dr. Heritage is Assistant Director for Professional Development at the National Center for Research and Evaluation at UCLA. Her current work focuses on data use for school improvement with special emphasis on formative assessment.*

Learning goals:

- Gain understanding of the research base for formative assessment.
- Learn essential elements of the formative assessment process.
- Classroom climate for formative assessment.
- Learn about criteria for quality formative assessment.
- Practice developing learning goals and success criteria from the Iowa Core Curriculum.
- Learn about strategies for moving forward with formative assessment.

8:30-11:30 ICC Leadership Team Development

1:00-4:00 Dr. Heritage will focus on developing the learning goals to incorporate formative assessment with Iowa Core instruction.

June 10, 2010

Grant Wood Area Education Agency

ICC Outcome: 1. School leaders build and sustain system capacity to implement the Iowa Core Curriculum.

8:30-4:00 ICC District Leadership Teams will engage in:

- Analysis of district and self-study data
- Work to finish ICC Implementation Plan
- Develop Action plan
- Collaborate to prepare for implementation of Iowa Core

2 hours credit available

Recertification \$50, Morningside \$150, Drake \$200

Questions: Sherry Sines, Professional Development Coordinator
319-399-6517

1-800-798-9771, ext. 6517