

Call for Proposals
21st Century Secondary Schools Showcase: High and Middle Level Reform & Innovation Models (21SSSM)

(formerly Redesigning for Student Success: Secondary School Showcase)

OCTOBER 12-14, 2020

(RESCHEDULED FROM FEBRUARY 19-21, 2020)

SpringHill Suites
San Diego Downtown/Bayfront,
900 Bayfront Court,
San Diego, CA, 92101

DUE: April 1, 2020

NOTIFICATIONS: April 15, 2020

TOPIC AREAS:

Advisory/mentoring programs
Unique STEM or STEAM curriculum/structures
School climate and relationship building programs
Cutting edge technology for all students
AVID and other equity programs
Project-based learning
Whole school redesign for middle and high schools
Smaller Learning Communities and House Systems
Senior year redesign
Senior projects
Freshman Academy programs
Senior transition programs
School-wide deeper learning
College prep. and career pathway programs
Four year and four year plus learning plans
Student centered learning
Carnegie Unit alternatives
Scheduling for student success
Dual credit/early college programs
Information for Schools:

PRESENTATION GUIDELINES:

- 1) Presentations should be 1.5 hours and interactive/collaborative in nature.
- 2) Student presenters are encouraged and schools with them will be given preference for selection. **Schools traveling from EAST of the Rockies will be given a \$400 stipend to defray travel/lodging costs. Schools bringing students will be given an additional \$1000 stipend for travel.**
- 3) Schools must commit to participate in a roundtable at the end of each conference day to answer questions or facilitate further discussion.
- 4) Presenting schools must commit to stay for both days of the conference breakouts. Presentations will be scheduled to coincide with conference themes. REQUESTS FOR SPECIFIC DAYS AND TIMES CANNOT BE HONORED.
- 5) Schools will receive two waived adult registrations and up to three free student registrations. All other members of the school must register for the conference. Up to three students will be eligible for complimentary registrations from 3-7 students, the conference fee will be 50% of the regular "Early Bird" fee.
- 6) Presenters agree to having presentations recorded and streamed to off site participants ONLY on the dates of the conference. Rights pass to The EdExcellence Group, LLC for conference dates only.
- 7) This is a conference for and about practitioners. Consultants or others selling services may not be chosen.
- 8) There will be a maximum of two complimentary registrations for presenters.
- 9) School visits are not included in the presenter registrations. They are an extra, non-waived fee and must be paid for separately.
- 10) Basic technology will be provided: projector, screen, house sound tap.
- 11) Any other technology needs and presentation materials must be furnished by the presenter.
- 12) Proposal notifications will be sent by **May 1, 2020**. Schools accepted MUST confirm their participation by **May 15, 2020**. Schools not confirming participation are subject to removal from the program.
- 13) Acceptance confirmation commits the school to presenting and registering for the conference.
- 14) Final program descriptions are due by **September 1, 2020**. If there is no response to our request for these, schools may be removed from the program
- 15) All presentation materials must be uploaded to the conference website by **September 20, 2020** so that they may be made available online for all conference attendees.
- 16) Conference sponsors reserve the right to cancel the conference within 30 days of conference dates for lack of proposals or minimum threshold of participants.

PROPOSAL FORM

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Send completed proposals to: Edexcellencegroup@gmail.com

School Name: _____

Principal: _____

School Contact Person: _____

School Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

School Phone: _____ School Fax: _____

School Contact Person Email: _____

School Contact Person Mobile Phone: _____

Number of Students: _____

School: _____ Urban _____ Suburban _____ Rural

Demographic Breakdown: (list sub groups and percentages):

Name of School's Unique Redesign Program(s): _____

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Description of Components of the Redesign Program: (list below a detailed description of the program: (use additional sheets if necessary))

In the space below, include results from the redesign program: (Include any data that shows how the program has impacted student achievement, graduation, school climate, etc. Use additional sheets if necessary)

Title of your presentation proposal: _____

_____ **Middle School**

_____ **High School**

Student Presentations embedded? _____ Yes _____ No

We sincerely look forward to seeing you and your presentation at the conference in February of 2020.

SEND PROPOSALS TO: edexcellencegroup@gmail.com NO LATER THAN APRIL 1, 2020