

Commission on Innovation and Excellence in Education
William E. Kirwan, Chair

Agenda

June 28, 2017

9:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

120 House Office Building, Annapolis, Maryland

9:30 a.m. Chair's Opening Remarks

9:40 a.m. Efforts to Improve the Teaching Profession (from April meeting)

- Jack R. Smith, Superintendent, Montgomery County Public Schools
- Nancy Shapiro, Associate Vice Chancellor, University System of Maryland
- Zachary Levine, Executive Director, TEACH.org

10:45 a.m. How Maryland Compares to Top Performing Systems – Element 2, Building Blocks 3 & 4 – World Class Instructional System and Clear Gateways Set to Global Standards with No Dead Ends

- Marc Tucker and Betsy Brown Ruzzi, National Center on Education and the Economy (NCEE)

Commission Discussion of Building Blocks 3 & 4 Gap Analysis and Q&A

12:15 p.m. Break – *Lunch Provided for Commissioners and Staff in Room 170/180*

12:45 p.m. Breakout Group Discussions about Building Blocks 3 & 4 (*see separate handouts for group assignments and discussion questions*)

1:45 p.m. Breakout Group Report Out (5-10 minutes each) and Commission Discussion

2:30 p.m. Maryland School Case Studies from the APA Adequacy Study

- Gail Sunderman, Maryland Equity Project, University of Maryland, College Park Campus
- Karen Blannard, Community Superintendent, Baltimore County Public Schools
- Missy Beltran, Principal, Chadwick Elementary School
- Brandy Brady, Principal, Somerset Intermediate School
- Tracie Bartemy, Director of Schools, Somerset County Public Schools

3:30 p.m. How Maryland Compares in U.S. on Student Achievement and Funding

- Matthew Chingos, Urban Institute

4:30 p.m. Public Comment

4:45 p.m. Chair's Closing Remarks and Adjournment

Next Meeting: Wednesday, July 26, 2017, 9:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m., Room 120 HOB