

## Wider Learning Ecosystems Learning Community Convening Draft Agenda

**Location:** Le Meridien Hotel, Cambridge, Massachusetts

**Date:** Monday, January 29 - Tuesday, January 30

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### Connecting on Social Media

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### Meeting Objectives

- ❖ Build each site's capacity to establish and manage a successful planning process
- ❖ Learn about each site's Wider Learning Ecosystem vision, planning approaches, and anticipated challenges
- ❖ Develop new relationships by discussing approaches and brainstorming strategies to address common challenges
- ❖ Learn from experts and reflect on how to build an equitable, inclusive redesign process that effectively engages all relevant stakeholders

### Monday, January 29

<b>10:30 a.m.</b>	Brunch & Site Visits  <i>*Site visits will be available to approximately two team members per site. Additional Details will be available on the webinar.</i>	Brunch at Le Meridien  <i>Site locations TBD</i>
<b>2:30 – 5:00 p.m.</b>  <i>*Includes 10 minute break</i>	Welcome & Opening Plenary on Equity in the Design Process	Robert R. Taylor Room
<b>6:30 p.m.</b>	Learning Community Dinner	Amuse at Le Meridien

## Tuesday, January 30

8:00 – 8:30 a.m.	Breakfast	Robert R. Taylor Room
8:30 – 8:40 a.m.	Welcome Back and Overview	Robert R. Taylor Room
8:40 - 9:30 a.m.	Reflections on Equity	
9:30 - 10:15 a.m.	Site Presentations	
10:15 - 10:30a.m.	<i>Transition and Break</i>	
10:30 - 11:45 a.m.	Expert-led Small Group Discussions and Peer-Led Problems of Practice <i>Possible topics</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Engaging students, families, and community members in the redesign process</i></li><li>• <i>Project management strategies for the redesign process</i></li><li>• <i>Managing CBO - school partnerships</i></li><li>• <i>Managing change in a school environment (focus on staff buy-in and development)</i></li></ul>	Robert R. Taylor, Lan Jen Chu & Margaret MacVicar Rooms
11:45 - 11:55 a.m.	<i>Transition</i>	
11:55 – 12:30 p.m.	Site Presentations	Robert R. Taylor Room
12:30 – 1:15 p.m.	Lunch	Robert R. Taylor Room
1:15 - 1:35 p.m.	Site Presentations	
1:35 - 1:45 p.m.	<i>Transition to Site Team Planning</i>	
1:45 – 3:15 p.m.	Site Team Debrief and Planning Time	Robert R. Taylor, Lan Jen Chu, & Margaret MacVicar Rooms
3:15 - 3:20p.m.	<i>Transition to Closing Plenary</i>	Robert R. Taylor Room
3:20 – 3:45 p.m.	Report Out and Closing Reflection	
3:45 p.m.	Meeting Adjourns	