



**S/CDN Agenda**  
**Thursday, May 31 – Friday, June 1, 2018**  
**Wolf Road Marriott, Albany, NY**

**Guiding Questions:**

1. *As the Staff/Curriculum Development Network how can we strengthen the capacity of 21st Century Leaders and Learners to promote a culturally responsive education that supports the academic and social-emotional development of all of our students?*
  
2. *What are the best strategies for supporting the professional growth of educators and ensuring that all student are receiving a high quality education?*

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Time	Session	Presenter/Facilitator	Format
7:30 a – 8:30 a	<b>Light Breakfast Available</b>		
8:30 a – 8:45 a	<b>SCDN Welcome, Housekeeping and Introduction of the Meeting</b>	<b>Lynne Wells, Capital Region BOCES and Laurie Hedges, Herkimer BOCES</b>	<b>Welcome</b>
8:45 a – 10:15 a	<b>Culturally Relevant &amp; Sustaining Pedagogy</b> <b>I. Major Conceptual Tenants – Culturally Responsive</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Define and Supporting Research</li> </ul>	<b>Jevon D. Hunter, Ph.D.</b>  <i>(facilitated by Steve Graser, Erie One BOCES)</i>	<b>Presentation</b>
10:15 a – 10:30 a	<b>Break</b>		
10:30 a - 12:00 p	<b>Culturally Relevant &amp; Sustaining Pedagogy</b> <b>II. Application of Instructional Strategies</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Classroom Examples</li> </ul>	<b>Jevon D. Hunter, Ph.D.</b>  <i>(facilitated by Crystal Benton, Buffalo City Schools)</i>	<b>Presentation</b>

<b>12:00 p - 1:00 p</b>	<b>LUNCH</b>		
<b>1:00 p - 3:00 p</b>	<b>Culturally Relevant &amp; Sustaining Pedagogy III. Discipline Specific Approaches</b>	<b>Jevon D. Hunter, Ph.D.</b> <i>(facilitated by Steve Graser, Erie One BOCES)</i>	<b>Presentation</b>
<b>3:00 p - 3:15 p</b>	<b>Break</b>		
<b>3:15 p - 4:15 p</b>	<b>ESSA</b>	<b>Jason Harmon, Director Title I School and Community Services NYSED</b> <i>(facilitated by Laurie Hedges, Herkimer BOCES)</i>	<b>Presentation</b>



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<b>7:30 a - 8:00 a</b>	<b>Light Breakfast Available/Discussion Leaders (our notes: connecting Theme/Thread to PD, Cosers, models of service, etc.)</b>		
<b>8:00 a - 8:15 a</b>	<b>Welcome/Jane Bullowa Award</b>	<i>(facilitated by Teri Calabrese Gray, CVES BOCES)</i>	<b>Remarks</b>
<b>8:15 a - 9:00 a</b>	<b><i>RBERN and Culturally Responsive Resources</i></b>	<b>R-BERN Team Southern Westchester BOCES</b> <i>(facilitated by Jacqueline O'Donnell, Southern Westchester BOCES)</i>	<b>Presentation</b>
<b>9:00 a - 9:30 a</b>	<b>2017-18 Celebrations and the Road Ahead</b>	<b>Jhone Ebert, Senior Deputy Commissioner for Education NYSED</b> <i>(facilitated by Lynne Wells, Capital Region BOCES)</i>	<b>Remarks</b>
<b>9:30 a - 10:15 a</b>	<b>"The Journey Begins With You!" Culturally Responsive Teaching Buffalo City School District Rochester City School District</b>	<b>Crystal Benton, Director Staff Development Buffalo CSD</b> <b>Sylvia Cooksey, Executive Director of Professional Learning – Rochester CSD</b> <b>Savaria Calloway-Downs, Director of Professional Learning Initiatives &amp; Outcomes – Rochester CSD</b> <i>(facilitated by Linda Perry, Greater Southern Tier BOCES)</i>	<b>Presentation</b>

<b>10:15 a -10:30 a</b>	<b>Break</b>		
<b>10:30 a - 11:00 a</b>	<p><b>"The Journey Begins With You!" Culturally Responsive Teaching Buffalo City School District Rochester City School District</b></p>	<p><b>Crystal Benton, Director Staff Development Buffalo CSD</b> <b>Sylvia Cooksey, Executive Director of Professional Learning – Rochester CSD</b> <b>Savaria Calloway-Downs, Director of Professional Learning Initiatives &amp; Outcomes – Rochester CSD</b></p> <p><i>(facilitated by Linda Perry, Greater Southern Tier BOCES)</i></p>	<b>Presentation</b>
<b>11:00 a - 11:30 a</b>	<p><b>Cosers and Substantially Equivalent Reviews</b></p>	<p><b>Christina Coughlin, Assistant Commissioner for the Office of School Governance, Policy, and Religious and Independent Schools</b></p> <p><i>(facilitated by Jacqueline O'Donnell, Southern Westchester BOCES)</i></p>	<b>Presentation</b>
<b>11:30 a -11:45 p</b>	<p><b>DS Update Bill Hecht and Steve Todd</b></p>	<p><i>(facilitated by Lynne Wells, Capital Region BOCES)</i></p>	<b>Presentation</b>
<b>11:45 a -12:30 p</b>	<b>Lunch</b>		
<b>12:30 p -1:00 p</b>	<p><b>Science Update</b></p>	<p><b>Ann Crotty, Associate in Instructional Services for Science – NYSED</b> <b>Amanda Zullo, Associate in Instructional Services for Science - NYSED</b></p> <p><i>(facilitated by Marijo Pearson, Monroe 2 BOCES)</i></p>	<b>Presentation</b>
<b>1:00 p -1:45 p</b>	<p><b>Update from Student Support Services</b></p>	<p><b>Kathleen DeCataldo, Assistant Commissioner for Student Support Services</b> <b>Michele Shahan, Program Research Specialist</b></p> <p><i>(facilitated by Renee Allen, Western Suffolk BOCES)</i></p>	<b>Presentation</b>