

2017 B-3 CONFERENCE

June 14th and June 15th

Bloomington, Marriott

201 Broadway Ave. Normal, Illinois 61761

Wednesday, June 14th

Redbird C

10:00-10:30 a.m.

Registration

10:30-10:45 a.m.

Welcome & Opening Remarks

Cynthia Tate; Executive Director, Governor's Office of Early Childhood Development
Lynn Burgett; Division Supervisor, Early Childhood Division, Illinois State Board of Education (ISBE)

10:45-11:15 a.m.

Birth Through Third Grade (B-3) Alignment in Illinois

Jenny Metcalf; Principal Consultant, ISBE
Ashley Long; Co-Director, B-3 Continuity Project

11:15-12:15 p.m.

Guided Community Collaborative Time

12:15-1:30 p.m.

Lunch on your own

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1:30-2:30 p.m.	<p>Addressing Students' Behavioral and Mental Health Needs</p> <p><i>Moderator:</i> Pam Reilly; Co-Director, B-3 Continuity Project</p> <p><i>Panel:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr. Mary Dobbins; Board Certified Doctor in Child and Adolescent Psychiatry • Delreen Schmidt-Lenz; President, Illinois Association for Infant Mental Health • Raul Botello; Co-Executive Director of Communities United 	<p>Meeting the Needs of Dual Language Learners</p> <p><i>Moderator:</i> Sergio Hernandez; Principal Consultant - Early Childhood, ISBE</p> <p><i>Panel:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Peggy Ondera; Director of Early Learning Initiatives, School District U-46 • Dr. Charles Johns; Superintendent, West Chicago School District 33 	<p>More than an MOU: Finding & Helping More Homeless Children</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Leah Pouw; Director of Community Systems, Illinois Action for Children

2:30-2:45 p.m.

Break

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2:45-3:30 p.m.

Partner for Resilience Project

Audrey Soglin; Executive Director, I.E.A.
Julie Shellberg; Superintendent, Ridgeland School District 122

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3:30-4:30 p.m.	<p>Connecting With Those Like You</p> <p>Check the back of your nametag for a role discussion to join.</p>			
	(Blue) Teachers/Curriculum Coaches/Instructional Leaders	(Yellow) Program Support/Family Engagement	(Red) Administrators (including school or community-based Directors)	(Green) Community Service Providers

4:30-4:45 p.m.

Break

4:45 p.m.

Join us for Happy Hour (cash bar) at the Marriott followed by dinner on your own

(list of recommended restaurants in folder)

Thursday June 15th

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8:30-8:45 a.m.

Welcome & B-3 Resources

Dr. Lisa Hood; Senior Policy Analyst & Researcher, Center for the Study of Education Policy, ISU

8:45-9:45 a.m.

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<p>ECC/MTSS- Early Childhood Special Education</p> <p><i>Moderator:</i> Antionette Taylor; Exceptional Needs Consultant <i>Panel:</i> • Kimberly Nelson; Executive Director of Early Childhood, Rockford Public Schools • Kris Pennington; Principal, McLean County USD5</p>	<p>Erikson - Early Developmental Instrument (EDI)</p> <p>• Jaclyn Vasquez; Associate Director, EDI, Erikson Institute • Dr. Mark Nagasawa; Faculty, Erikson Institute</p>	<p>Data Best Practices</p> <p><i>Moderator:</i> Renee Tetrick; Program Innovation Analyst, IAFC <i>Panel:</i> • Linda Breen; Director of Early Childhood, CUSD 300 • Josephina Frankovich; Coordinator for Partnerships, WeGo Together for Kids, West Chicago Elementary School District 33 • Janice Moenster; Director of Early Childhood Services, Children's Home + Aid Southern Region</p>

9:45-10:00 a.m.

Break

10:00-10:45 a.m.

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<p>Kindergarten Readiness, Standards-based Reporting</p> <p>• Phyllis Bliven; Principal Consultant, ISBE • Lynn Burgett; Division Supervisor, Early Childhood Division, ISBE</p>	<p>Transforming Kindergarten -All Day Play-Based Teaching & Instruction Transforming First Grade Learning</p> <p><i>Moderator:</i> Pat Chamberlin; Consultant Supporting Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Children <i>Panel:</i> • Peggy Ondera; Director of Early Learning Initiatives, School District U46 • Stephanie Cardela; Director for School Improvement and Innovation, North Shore</p>	<p>Essential Leadership Drivers for B-3 Learning Communities</p> <p><i>Moderator:</i> Dr. Lisa Hood, Senior Policy Analyst & Researcher, Center for the Study of Education Policy, ISU <i>Panel:</i> • Dr. Mike Abel; Director of Research & Evaluation, McCormick Center for Early Childhood Leadership • Marsha Hawley; Director, Lead Learn Excel, Ounce of Prevention Fund</p>

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<p>What's Needed in a Quality Preschool Program for Student Success?</p> <p>• Donna Nylander; Program Support Specialist/Consultant, The Center for Teaching and Learning</p>	<p>Illinois Preschool Expansion Model & Lessons in Preschool to Kindergarten Transition</p> <p>• Jenny Metcalf; Principal Consultant, ISBE • Elise Schram- Project Director for the Wheaton/Warrenville Early Childhood Collaboration</p>	<p>School and Programs Ready for Children and Families</p> <p><i>Moderator:</i> Ashley Long, Co-Director, B-3 Continuity Project <i>Panel:</i> • Dr. Mike Abel; Director of Research & Evaluation, McCormick Center for Early Childhood Leadership • Sarah Ogeto; Principal Consultant, ISBE</p>

11:45-1:00 p.m.

Lunch on your own

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1:00-2:15 p.m.

Self-Assessment, Community Debrief Session

2:15-3:30 p.m.

The ESSA State Plan: What do you need to know?

Melina Wright; Federal Liaison for ESSA, ISBE
 Jaclyn Vasquez; Associate Director, EDI, Erikson Institute

3:30 p.m.

Closing Remarks

Ashley Long; Co-Director, B-3 Continuity Project
 Pam Reilly; Co-Director, B-3 Continuity Project