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L25 MT Cohort Update 2-6-24 To Superintendents

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Greetings Superintendents of the L25 MT Cohort!

February is moving along and you are into the 2nd semester of the school year. I hope you're well and making great progress for the students and community you serve. The [AASA L25 MT Cohort 2023-24](#) webpage (SAM website/Professional Learning tab/ AASA L25 MT Cohort 2023-24 drop down) is updated regularly and is the site where you can find all of the information related to the work of our cohort. This email Update will be posted for your easy access. Please forward this info to any members of your school team who could benefit from this update.

L25 MT Cohort Webinar on Thursday, February 1, 2024 from 10:00-11:00 was a great success. Thanks to 18 of our cohort members who were able to attend. Dr. Bill Daggett shared with our Cohort the latest in Transforming Education, the progress made in 2023 and the future-focus for 2024. All of the details of the Webinar including [L25 MT Cohort - Classroom to Boardroom Solutions to Address New and Emerging AI Presentation Bill Daggett 2-1-24](#) and [Webinar Recording](#) have been uploaded on the [AASA L25 MT Cohort 2023-24](#) webpage for your review and use with your team.

Please mark your calendar and invite your school team to the **Thursday, February 29** (5th Thursday and cancel the previously scheduled 4th Thursday February 22) **L25 MT Cohort Webinar!** We are inviting a presentation of the Next Education Workforce Strategic Teams Approach (Strategic School Staffing Initiative), with ASU - AASA Leader Dr. Jan Vesely presenting. This work is the most future-focused and effective effort across the U.S. to address education workforce shortages, a key challenge of Montana school districts. Please mark your calendars for February 29 from 10:00:-11:00 am; more details to come.

Attention: MT L25 Cohort Superintendents attending NCE 2024: Laurie Barron, Mike Perry, Tobin Novasio, Dale Olinger, Jason Sargent

If you are attending the **National Conference on Education (NCE 2024)** on February 14-17 in San Diego, here are some opportunities (because you are a L25 MT Cohort member) to connect with Learning 2025 schools and administrators. I will be at NCE at these sessions and available to you for followup discussion.

Learning 2025 Network Winter Convening on February 14, 2024, 12 - 4 PM PST

Our luncheon speaker will be Co-founder and CEO of AIEDU.org, Alex Kotran. Alex and his team at nonprofit AI Education Project are working to bring critical and fundamental knowledge about artificial intelligence to schools. AIEDU has developed a self-guided online 'Introduction to AI' course, backed by the learning sciences, with culturally-relevant pedagogy and game- and project-based learning, free for school districts to use.

Breakout sessions will feature Learning 2025 Superintendents.

[Click here to RSVP to join us from 12 - 4 PM PST on February 14!](#)

Marriott San Diego Marquis Grand Ballroom 5 and 6

Honoring Lighthouse Designated Systems and Systems to Watch

Lighthouse Designated Systems Fall 2023

[Beaver Area School District: Superintendent Mark Holtzman](#)

[Hermiston School District: Superintendent Tricia Mooney](#)

[Montrose County School District: Superintendent Carrie Stephenson](#)

[Seneca Valley School District: Superintendent Tracy Vitale](#)

Thursday, February 15, 2024 Lunch with the Authors

Open for Learning 2025 participants. The authors of *When You Wonder, You're Learning: Mister Rogers' Enduring Lessons for Raising Creative, Curious, Caring Kids*, Gregg and Ryan will share their thoughts of Mister Roger's work on education today and will provide opportunity for casual conversation with them.

Register for Lunch with the Authors

Two Summer Conference Opportunities for Learning 2025 Districts

2024 Future Focused Schools Conference - June 24-26 in Washington DC

In talking with Dr. Bill Daggett last week, he emphasized (during the L25 MT Webinar on 2-1-24) that this Conference is intended for school teams from boardroom to classroom to attend together to work to build education opportunities for your students. Click [HERE](#) for the details of the Conference and registration information. L25 MT Cohort participants can enter **FutureFocused24** as a discount code on the registration page which will provide the deepest discounts – approximately 20% off the conference registration rate.

Learning 2025 Summer Summit - June 23-26 in Orlando FL

AASA Learning 2025 Network is pleased to announce the SUMMER SUMMIT! We are partnering with the Model Schools Conference this year on June 23-26 in Orlando, FL. At that time, Learning 2025 Demonstration Systems will gather for our Summer Summit. The Pre-conference on Sunday, June 23, is dedicated to Learning 2025 teams. Attendees will have access to all Model Schools Conference sessions with facilitated opportunities to convene and reflect throughout the Conference at a dedicated Learning 2025 meeting space.

Registration for you and your team (as part of our L25 MT Cohort) is now open through the [regular MSC process](#). Learning 2025 Network members receive 25% off registration using discount code **AASALearning25!**

Peter Marsh Foundation Silent Servant Scholarship Awards Opportunity

From Jim Warford - 400 scholarships will again be awarded to high school students this year. If you've already sent in your nomination, thank you. We've already received over 200 nominations, and we don't want you to miss out.

Distinctively, this national scholarship program honors students for the benevolence they provide in their community. You can nominate a student to receive a Silent Servant Scholarship Award.

View the Guidelines and Nomination Form of the annual Silent Servant Scholarship Award here: <http://www.prmfoundation.org>

As a part of the **L25 MT Cohort you are invited to all of the SAM LPLP opportunities for webinars and discussions**. You are receiving emails from Rob and Kim at SAM inviting you to those opportunities. Please join in if you can!

Thanks for your commitment to your schools and community and for being in our L25 MT Cohort! If you need something give me a call/text [406-581-1037] or email [kjmleadership@gmail.com] and I will follow up with you!

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