Education and School2Home Leaders

A major Digital Inclusion strategy is the incorporation of computing and broadband strategies into low-performing schools in low-income neighborhoods coupled with deep parent engagement. That is why CETF developed and leads School2Home in partnership with educators throughout the state. These School Leadership Teams are demonstrating what is possible for all districts and schools in California.

California Superintendent of Public Instruction Tom Torlakson kicked off the 2016 School2Home Leadership Academy. In 2013 he encouraged CETF to partner with Inglewood Unified School District (IUSD).

Los Angeles Unified School District Board President Monica Garcia and School2Home Executive Co-Manager Agustin Urgiles celebrated LAUSD adopting a resolution supporting the CETF position on broadband lifeline.

Dr. Ruben Puendedura, who developed the SAMR Model for technology adoption, coached School Leadership Teams at the 2017 Leadership Academy.

Each School Leadership Team developed an Action Plan to present at the conclusion of the School2Home Leadership Academy.

LAUSD Stevenson Middle School (SMS) Principal Leo Gonzalez (right) invited California Superintendent of Public Instruction Tom Torlakson (second from left) to observe the academic progress made by School2Home (S2H) students. They were joined by (left to right) SMS S2H Teacher Marisela Islas, SMS S2H Teacher Christina Vera, and LAUSD Superintendent Michelle King.
Dr. Carl Cohn, Executive Director of the California Collaborative for Education Excellence delivered the capstone address at the 2017 Leadership Academy and presided over reports on Action Plans by the School Leadership Teams.

Former Superintendent of Public Instruction Delaine Eastin served as Lead Faculty for the School2Home Leadership Academy since 2014.

San Bernardino City Unified School District (SBCUSD) Board President Dr. Margaret Hill and Members Danny Tillman and Mike Gallo were honored at the 2017 School2Home Leadership Academy. Also honored were Riverside Unified School District Board President Brent Lee and San Bernardino County Superintendent of Schools CTO Sue Gott.

CETF Director Darrell Stewart and LAUSD Board Member Monica Ratliff explained to civic leaders in a Los Angeles forum why home Internet access is vital for academic success.

School Leadership Teams from 10 LAUSD schools attended the 2017 School2Home Leadership Academy.
Stevenson Middle School Leadership Team

Riverside Unified School District (RUSD) Leadership Teams from Central, Chemawa, and University Heights Middle Schools

Crozier Middle School Leadership Team

RUSD Principals and Administrators

San Bernardino City Unified School District (SBCUSD) Leaders

Madison Computer Science and Engineering Design Magnet Leadership Team

SBCUSD Arrowview, Curtis, Del Vallejo, Golden Valley, and Serrano Middle Schools Leadership Teams

DeJean Middle School Leadership Team
SCHOOL LEADERSHIP TEAMS PARTICIPATING IN THE SCHOOL2HOME LEADERSHIP ACADEMY AND LOS ANGELES REGIONAL SCHOOL2HOME COLLABORATIVE LEARNING COMMUNITY

Los Angeles Unified School District
Administration: Chief Academic Officer Dr. Frances Gipson; Instructional Technology Initiative Director Sophia Mendoza; Francisco Canche; Alex Avila; Allison Jonas; Dr. Vanessa Monterosa
Stevenson Middle School: Principal Leo Gonzalez; Laura Mikasa; Marisela Islas; Christina Vera
John Muir Middle School: Principal Aminika Readeux; Jaime Ledezma; Rowel Salvador; Grisel Vasquez
LA Promise Charter Middle School: Principal David Carr; Sarah Escajeda; Benjamin Porter
Madison Computer Science and Engineering Design Magnet: Principal Estelle Baptiste; Louis Tapia; Ali Vaghei; Gene Wong
Markham Middle School: Principal Louise Montoya; Juana Kawasaki; Jay Kengkart; Ricardo Munoz
Mark Twain Middle School: Principal Atlehea Ford; Rustum Jacob; Terence Swarns
San Fernando Institute of Applied Media: Principal Pearl Arredondo; Julie Gerges; Matthew Llamas; Javier Pena
LeConte Middle School: Principal Rosemary Hindinger; Elizabeth Lester; Juan Romero
Columbus Middle School: Principal Debra Mcintyre-Sciarrino; Rich Helm
San Fernando Middle School: Principal Freddy Ortiz; Christopher Norton; Maria Nuno
Maywood Center for Enriched Studies: Maria Camarena; Christina Martinez; Jose Meza; Christina Vera

Riverside Unified School District
Administration: Superintendent David Hansen; Steven Harwood; Steven Dunlap
Central Middle School: Principal Lynn McCown; Maria Gonzales; Maddison Nolan Holcomb; Scot Porter
Chemawa Middle School: Principal Raul Ayala; Ashley Carlos; Richard Ramirez; Jacquelyne Vaca
University Heights Middle School: Principal Coleman Kells; Consuelo Frausto; Katie Grimbble

Oakland Unified School District
West Oakland Middle School: Principal Neha Ummat; Kennan Scott

West Contra Costa Unified School District
DeJean Middle School: Principal Will McGee; Mark Lobaco; Tiffani Neal; Taylor Rainier

Winters Joint Unified School District
Administration: Micah Studer
Winters Middle School: Principal John Barsotti; Raquel Ulloa-Mendoza; Kristie Oates
Winters High School: Principal Nicole Reyherme

Inglewood Unified School District
Crozier Middle School: Principal LaRoyce Murphy; Anabel Fregoso; Arcelia Rodriguez; Ang Rush; Tambera Thompson

Sacramento City Unified School District
Leataata Floyd Elementary School: Principal Eric Chapman; Michelle Blanton; Mauu-Sam Floyd

San Mateo County Office of Education
Superintendent of Schools Anne Campbell; Bruce Duncan

Bayshore Elementary School District
Garnet J. Robertson Middle School: Principal Sergio Nesterov; Erin Bodwell; David Werner

Jefferson Elementary School District
Administration: Toni Barone; Andrew Sparkes; Jennifer Nguyen
Benjamin Franklin Intermediate School: Principal James Parrish; Justine Kay; Luisa Santos
Fernando Rivera Intermediate School: Principal Dina Conti; Erin Bodwell; David Werner; Nancy Zemer
Franklin D. Roosevelt Middle School: Principal Sean Higgins; Robert Carter
Thomas R. Pollicita Middle School: Principal Ben Turner; Claire Barros; Christian Portillo

San Bernardino City Unified School District
Administration: Superintendent Dale Marsden; Barbara Richardson; Ezekiel Adeleke; Raj Ali; Ruth Cook; Keri Martinez; Rosendo Mendoza; Timothy Squires
Arrowview Middle School: Principal Berenice Rios; Jennifer Bravo; Norma Garcia Fuentes
Curtis Middle School: Principal Marlene Bicodova; Susan Keidel; Katrina Kurth; Neesha Rodriguez
Del Vallejo Middle School: Principal Toni Woods; William Prudhomme; Jason Rodriguez; Pedro Rosas
Golden Valley Middle School: Principal Kristen Bicodova; Gabriel Diaz; Tracy Licon
Serrano Middle School: Principal Michelle Cleveland; Cesar Lopez; Lisa Richardson

Alum Rock Union Elementary School District
Clyde L. Fischer Middle School: Principal Imee Almazan
LAUSD Instructional Technology Director Sophia Mendoza and Learning Management Specialist Francisco Canche launched the inaugural Los Angeles Region School2Home Collaborative Learning Community which is led by CETF School2Home Executive Co-Manager Agustin Urgiles.

A major focus of the School2Home Leadership Academies is sharing strategies for implementation of the 10 Core Components. The Parent Engagement and Education panel at the 2017 Leadership Academy was facilitated by Gretell Castro (Families in Schools) and included Laura Mikasa (Stevenson Middle School), Toni Barone (Jefferson Elementary School District), Barbara Richardson (San Bernardino City Unified School District), Jenny Wagner (Valley Vision and Leataata Floyd Elementary School), and Anabelle Fregoso (Crozier Middle School).

The California Department of Education (CDE) was represented at the School2Home 2017 Leadership Academy by Geoff Belleau, CDE Division of Education Data Management, who delivered a featured address.

Families in Schools CEO Oscar Cruz is a long-time partner to School2Home.