

# A Parent Engagement Conference to Improve Student Achievement

for LAUSD Local and Central District Staff  
with

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Wednesday, April 8, 8:30 AM - 11:30PM

## **Goals of session:**

- Raise awareness and increase knowledge about the value of Parent Engagement in schools
- Explore the reality of a Partnership Culture (includes college-going culture and culturally relevant classrooms) and uncover barriers/solutions to developing such a culture at your schools
- Provide recommendations for school action

## **I Welcome and Introductions**

## **II Icebreaker**

## **III Presentation and Discussion**

- Is there a Link between Family Engagement and Student Achievement? Checking in with the research
- What is a Family-School Partnership Supposed to Look Like?

## **BREAK**

## **IV Presentation**

- What are the core beliefs that promote partnership?
- What do we know about cultivating and sustaining partnerships?
- Interactive exercise

## **V Wrap Up and Feedback**