

# Transforming Education in Rhode Island



## The Race to the Top Opportunity

### Race to the Top Steering Committee Quarterly Meeting

Tuesday, August 30, 2011, 4:30-6:30 p.m.  
The Rhode Island Foundation

#### AGENDA

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| I.   | Welcome & Objectives   | 4:30-4:45 |
|      | a. Welcome, <i>Colleen Jermain &amp; Neil Steinberg, Co-Chairs</i>   |           |
|      | b. Objectives of Today's Meeting, <i>Commissioner Gist</i>   |           |
|      | i. Understand the progress made in year one of Race to the Top.  |           |
|      | ii. Be aware of what is ahead for year two of Race to the Top.   |           |
|      | iii. Gain a deeper understanding of the purpose and features of the standards and curriculum projects happening now under Race to the Top. |           |
| II.  | Communications Update<br><i>Neil Steinberg, Co-Chair</i>   | 4:45-4:50 |
| III. | Year-One Progress Update   | 4:50-5:20 |
|      | a. Update, <i>Commissioner Gist</i>  | 4:50-5:05 |
|      | b. Q&A, <i>Steering Committee Members</i>  | 5:05-5:20 |
| IV.  | A Closer Look: Standards and Curriculum Projects   | 5:20-6:20 |
|      | a. Presentation, <i>Mary Ann Snider, RIDE</i>  | 5:20-5:40 |
|      | b. Panel Discussion  | 5:40-6:00 |
|      | c. Q&A, <i>Steering Committee Members</i>  | 6:00-6:20 |
| V.   | Wrap-Up  | 6:20-6:30 |