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#MCSummit17

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FUTURE OF EDUCATOR MICRO-CREDENTIALS SUMMIT 2017
Monday, January 9 || 4:00PM – 8:00PM || GSVLabs, Redwood City, CA

4:00PM – 5:30PM	REGISTRATION AND RECEPTION (appetizers and beverages will be served)
5:30PM – 6:30PM	OPENING SESSION

Welcome Message
Karen Cator, President & CEO, Digital Promise

Aspiring to Teach: Launch of Micro-credentials
Dan Brown, Co-Director, Educators Rising

6:30PM – 8:00PM	BUFFET DINNER

Transportation to and from the Summit hotel will be provided via Lyft. Digital Promise staff will assist Summit attendees with arranging transportation both days of the Summit.

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FUTURE OF EDUCATOR MICRO-CREDENTIALS SUMMIT 2017
Tuesday, January 10 || 8:00AM – 6:00PM || GSVLabs, Redwood City, CA

8:00AM – 8:30AM	REGISTRATION (light breakfast will be served)

8:30AM - 9:00AM WELCOME
Karen Cator, President & CEO, Digital Promise

9:00AM - 10:00AM PANEL DISCUSSION: PERSPECTIVES ON THE ECOSYSTEM
Moderator: Jennifer Kabaker, Director, Educator Micro-credentials, Digital Promise

- **Barnett Berry**, President and Founder, Center for Teaching Quality
- **Lisa Harrison,** Digital Learning Coach and Teacher, Vista Unified School District
- **Katie Martin**, Director of Professional Learning, Mobile Technology Learning Center at the University of San Diego
- **Machel Mills**, Director of Professional Learning Systems, Tennessee Department of Education

10:00AM - 10:15AM BREAK

10:15AM - 11:45PM CHALLENGE SESSIONS - ENGAGE
Choose one strand (see descriptions on page 3). Note that conversations will continue in the afternoon and attendees can choose to change strands.

- Developing Micro-credentials *(Board Room)*
  o **Facilitators: Jennifer Kabaker**, Digital Promise **& Barnett Berry,** Center for Teaching Quality

- Designing a Research Agenda *(University Room)*
  o **Facilitators: Aubrey Francisco**, Digital Promise & **Jeremy Rochelle**, SRI International

- Valuing Micro-credentials (*Academy Room*)
  o **Facilitators: Karen Cator**, Digital Promise & **Machel Mills**, Tennessee Department of Education

- Engaging Educators and Professional Learning (*Main Conference Space*)
  o **Facilitators: Jim Beeler,** Digital Promise **& Josh Starr,** PDK International

- Un-conference (*Main Conference Space*)

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11:45PM - 12:45PM	LUNCH
12:45PM - 1:15PM	PRESENTATION OF CHALLENGES – GROUP REPORTS AND Q&A
1:15PM - 1:30PM	BREAK
1:30PM – 3:00PM	CHALLENGE SESSIONS - INVESTIGATE Attendees can attend the same strand as they did in the morning or choose a new strand based on the challenges presented.
3:00PM - 3:30PM	BREAK
3:30PM - 4:45PM	GROUP REPORTS AND COMMITMENT TO ACTION
4:45PM – 6:00PM	CLOSING RECEPTION (heavy hors d'oeuvres and beverages)

Thank you for attending the Summit!
Please complete our short post-event survey: http://bit.ly/MCSummit17Survey*. You can also find the link on the event web page*: http://digitalpromise.org/event/the-future-of-educator-micro-credentials/

CHALLENGE SESSION DESCRIPTIONS & LOCATIONS

DEVELOPING MICRO-CREDENTIALS (*Board Room*)
Participants will explore the role of the issuer in the ecosystem, identify challenges and opportunities, and discuss ways issuers can support each other, earners, and the system as a whole.

DESIGNING A RESEARCH AGENDA (*University Room*)
Participants will identify short and long term research questions and the data/processes that will be necessary to answer them.

VALUING MICRO-CREDENTIALS (*Academy Room*)
Participants will discuss current incentive models, identify potential new approaches, and brainstorm how they can be spread and scaled.

ENGAGING EDUCATORS AND PROFESSIONAL LEARNING (*Main Conference Space*)
Participants will explore the role micro-credentials play in professional learning and how educators can engage more deeply with the micro-credential ecosystem.

UN-CONFERENCE (*Main Conference Space*)
Participants who would like to engage in other conversations can do so in the unconference area.