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Upcoming Workshops & Events:

CISI Fall Workshops — November 2 & 3, 2015
Save the Date!

The 33rd annual Fall CISI Workshops will provide an update on state policy considerations for California School Districts. CISI workshops provide updates on state policy and implementation that every school leader should know. In addition to a close examination of LCFF and Local Control Accountability Plans, we explore the challenges and provide resources for implementing the common core standards, moving to a new assessment system and a new system of school accountability.

CISI supports school district, county offices of education and instructional leaders across the state with a focus on instructional improvement. CISI helps local leaders stay focused on the critical issues and provides the information they need, providing integrated analysis across funding, instruction and political perspectives. District superintendents, school principals, business officials and human resources leaders appreciate our timely and accurate policy updates.

The CISI Fall workshops are designed to pull these various issues together in a review of the “Top Ten Issues in Education,” that will help local educators anticipate state and federal policies and plan more effectively for the year ahead.

CISI provides an impartial and knowledgeable perspective on policy developments in

CISI Fall Workshops Presenters

Peter Birdsall, Executive Director of CCSESA
The California County Superintendents Educational Services Association (CCSESA) provides the organizational mechanism for the 58 County Superintendents of Schools to design and implement statewide programs to identify and promote quality cost-effective educational practices and services, and provide support to school districts in the areas of student services, curriculum and instructional services, fiscal accountability and business services, and technology and telecommunications.

Additional Presenters, pending confirmation

Registration

CISI Member Districts Receive Admission of 3 district staff to attend the Fall Workshop at no additional fee.

Early Registration thru September 15, 2015:
$120 CISI Members (for each additional attendee)
$145 Non-Members.

Regular Registration:
$160 Members (for each additional attendee)
$190 Non-Members.

Click Below to Select your Workshop and Register!

Monday November 2, 2015
8:30am to 12:00pm

Whittier Union High School District Office
9401 S. Painter Ave.
Whittier, California 92605

Tuesday November 3, 2015
8:30am to 12:00pm

University of California Center - Downtown Sacramento
1130 K Street, Suite LL22
Sacramento, CA 95814

Instructional Rounds Training at UC Davis — January 13, 14, & 15, 2016

CAP-Ed facilitates Instructional Rounds to help education leaders and practitioners develop a shared vision of high-quality instruction.

The renowned **Lee Teitel** — Faculty Director at Harvard's School Leadership Program and Senior Associate for the Executive Leadership Program for Educators — will provide a training session followed by site visits providing hands on experience with Instructional Rounds. This training will provide an introduction to the rounds model, definition of key terms and philosophy, description of how the strategy works, and practice using the Instructional Rounds strategies.

Through intensive and responsive training, facilitated site visits, and subsequent networking support, educators develop a shared practice of observing, discussing, and analyzing learning and teaching.

Instructional Rounds Training

January 13, 2016

Alumni Center, UC Davis

Coordinated Site Visits

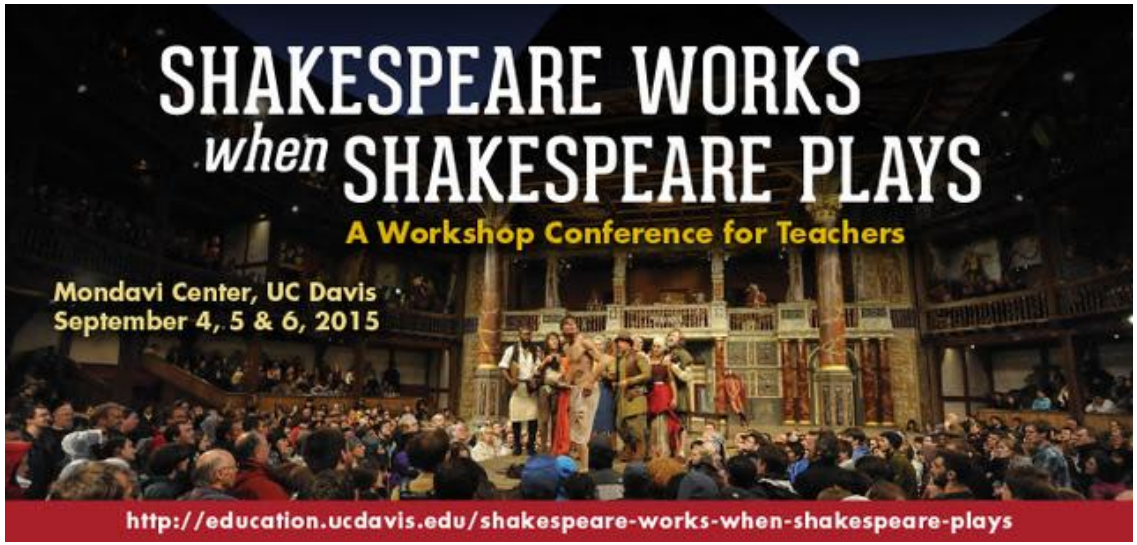
January 14 and 15, 2016

Location: TBD — *Interested in hosting Instructional Rounds in your district? Please email us **here**.*

Click below to register Today!

One day: training only — **$275 per person**

Three days: training and Site Visit — **$325 per person**



Shakespeare Plays — September 4, 5, & 6, 2015

A workshop Conference for Teachers
Kick off your fall teaching with a fresh set of strategies to empower you and your students with the study of Shakespeare in the classroom. Teaching Artists from some of the world's most respected Shakespeare theatres will share active and playful approaches to enliven and strengthen your approach. All workshops are aligned with Common Core Standards.

Continuing Education Units
We are pleased to announce that you can earn up to 1.5 continuing education units when you attend the conference. The cost will be $115. You can register and pay for the units on the first day of the conference.

Read more at UC Davis School of Education's **website**.

When & Where
September 4, 5, and 6, 2015
UC Davis Mondavi Center

Registration Rates

$375 – Individual attendee
$350 – Returning attendee (please provide the year previously attended)
$325 – Group Rate of 5 or more attendees (please choose one lead and register all others under the lead participant)

Register for Shakespeare Works

Free Webinar from WestEd: Building Capacity for School

September 30, 2015

Current research confirms that children and families benefit when families are involved in a child's early learning, both inside the classroom and at home. However, getting involved can be a daunting task for many family members, especially those with limited English and experience with U.S. schools.

In this webinar, presenters and practitioners will review the family engagement framework and share practical activities that families can do to support their child's school readiness.

What you will learn

- The structure of a linguistically rich home environment to support young English learner students' school readiness
- Specific activities families can use at home to promote school readiness for young English learner students in preschool and kindergarten

When & Where

Online Webinar
September 30, 2015 - 2:30 PM PST

Register for WestEd's Webinar

Join CISI!

In addition to monthly event updates, the California Institute for School Improvement (**CISI**) provides education leaders at the school and district level with the accurate, unbiased, up-to-date policy and research information. District membership benefits supports superintendents, principals, and curriculum and instructional leaders

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