Education Affinity Group Meeting
Tuesday | June 11, 2019 | 9:00am – 3:00pm ET
Helios Education Foundation | 101 E. Kennedy Blvd., Suite 2050
Tampa, FL 33602 | (813) 449-6300

EAG Guiding Statement: The EAG will support a culture of high expectations for all students, in and out of school, from early childhood through postsecondary education, leading to career success.

Meeting Objectives
✓ Deepen understanding of colleagues’ work
✓ Understand research on implications of low expectations of student performance and how to address
✓ Increase awareness of education policy landscape in order to inform future EAG work
✓ Review and potentially revise EAG 2019 plan in light of recent and expected policy changes from state

Agenda
8:45 – 9:00 Arrival & Registration
9:00 – 9:15 Welcome & Introductions
   Braulio Colón, EAG Chair, Helios Education Foundation
9:15 – 9:30 EAG Member Highlights
   EAG Members
9:30 – 10:00 Grant Deep Dive: A Strategy for Systemic Collaboration for Kindergarten Readiness and Transition with Public Schools
   Sheff Crowder, President, Conn Memorial Foundation
10:00 – 11:30 The Opportunity Myth
   Dr. Tequilla Brownie, Executive Vice President, TNTP
11:30 – 12:00 Education Policy Landscape Insights
   Nicole Washington, Principal, Washington Education Strategies
12:00 – 12:30 Lunch
12:30 – 1:00 Incorporating Learnings from The Opportunity Myth into our Work
   Facilitator: Stacy Baier, President, Pinellas Education Foundation
1:00 – 1:30 Aligning Funder Investments to High Standards
   Melissa Ramsey, Executive Director of School Improvement, Florida Dept. of Education
1:30 – 2:00 Post-Secondary Attainment Data Dive
   Laurie Meggesin, Executive Director, Florida College Access Network
2:00 – 3:00 Review of 2019 EAG Plan & Initiatives; Planning Next Steps
   Braulio Colón, EAG Chair
3:00 Adjourn

Save the Date: EAG Meeting – Orlando: October 10 (9:30 – 3:00ET)