

# Empowering Modern Learners Workshop Agenda

## Day 1

- 8:00–8:30 a.m.      **Introductions and Overview**
- 8:30–10:00 a.m.      **Presentation and Discussion: Identifying Opportunities and Challenges in Modern Learning**
- What is *modern learning*?
  - What are new contexts for learning?
  - How are schools changing?
  - What beliefs ground our work in schools?
  - What does the future of education and work look like?
  - What larger shifts will our students have to deal with?
- 10:00–10:15 a.m.      Break
- 10:15–11:00 a.m.      **Overview: Learning the LEAD Framework**
- Reviewing a four-step process for creating sustainable change efforts in schools and classrooms
  - Conducting a self-assessment for LEAD readiness
  - Stepping through the the LEAD process and planning overview
- 11:00–11:30 a.m.      **Building Capacity as Modern Learners**
- Assessing your own modern learning practice
  - Identifying tools and strategies for modern learning
  - Building networks for personal learning
  - Self-assessing modern literacy
- 11:30 a.m. –1:00 p.m.      Lunch (on your own)
- 1:00–2:00 p.m.      **Building Capacity as Modern Learners (cont'd)**
- 2:00–2:45 p.m.      **Building Capacity for Modern Learning Communities**
- Creating cultures for modern learning
  - Identifying strategies to educate constituent communities about change
  - Assessing our current communications strategies with constituents
- 2:45–3:00 p.m.      Break
- 3:00–3:45 p.m.      **Building Capacity for Modern Learning Communities (cont'd)**
- 3:30–4:00 p.m.      **Discussing Day 1 and Planning for Day 2**

## Day 2

8:00–8:30 a.m.	<b>Welcome and Reflecting on Day 1</b>
8:30–10:00 a.m.	<b>Building a Modern Mission and Vision for Teaching and Learning</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Knowing the difference between mission and vision</li><li>• Reflecting on current mission and vision statements</li><li>• Exploring examples of schools with a modern mission and vision</li><li>• Developing a process to articulate a clear mission and vision for modern learning</li></ul>
10:00–10:15 a.m.	Break
10:15–10:45 a.m.	<b>Building a Modern Mission and Vision for Teaching and Learning (cont'd)</b>
10:45–11:30 a.m.	<b>Designing for Sustainable Change</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Planning for sustainable redesign</li><li>• Piloting change in classrooms through design thinking</li><li>• Managing innovation</li><li>• Building a timeline for change process</li></ul>
11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m.	Lunch (on your own)
1:00–2:15 p.m.	<b>Designing for Sustainable Change (cont'd)</b>
2:15–2:45 p.m.	<b>Creating the LEAD Plan</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Developing a process for creating long-term project plan for implementing change</li><li>• Communicating and sharing</li><li>• Networking with other schools of modern learning</li></ul>
2:45–3:00 p.m.	Break
3:00–3:45 p.m.	<b>Creating the LEAD plan (cont'd)</b>
3:45–4:00 p.m.	<b>Wrapping Up, Reviewing Next Steps, and Staying in Touch</b>