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Research indicates that schools are more likely to be successful in achieving in-depth learning when school leaders engage multiple stakeholders—students, parents, teachers, and community partners—to build a shared vision of learning. A clear, compelling vision that is connected to teaching and learning helps focus attention on what is important, motivates staff and students, and increases the sense of shared responsibility for student learning throughout the learning community. But where do you begin? Join Dick Spohr in this interactive workshop to consider a process to identify your school’s values and beliefs, to assess the school culture, and use these as first steps in creating a shared vision to help your learning community begin its journey to where it wants to go! (PK—13)

Your learning objectives include:

- Gain greater appreciation for the importance of a shared vision.
- Expand understanding of the relationship between and among vision, purpose, and values.
- Learn organization culture assessment and modeling techniques for use in a school setting.
- Increase ability to use a collaborative process for developing a shared vision in an organization.
- Develop a framework and timeline for initiating visioning efforts at your school.

DATE AND LOCATION (Registration begins at 8:00 AM) - Please circle date/location you will be attending.

- ⇒ February 17, 2010: 8:30 AM—11:30 AM; Multi-University Center; 1010 Jorie Road, Suite 200 (2nd floor); Oak Brook
OR
⇒ February 25, 2010: 8:30 AM—11:30 AM; Holiday Inn; 222 Potomac Boulevard; Mt. Vernon
OR
⇒ February 26, 2010: 8:30 AM—11:30 AM; Parke Hotel and Conference Center; 1413 Leslie Drive; Bloomington

NOTE: ALL FIELDS ARE REQUIRED

NAME: _____

POSITION/TITLE: _____

EMAIL: _____

PHONE: _____

SCHOOL DISTRICT: _____

SCHOOL NAME: _____

SCHOOL ADDRESS: _____

Workshop Registration (Continental breakfast included)

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CANCELLATION POLICY: Cancellations received 14 days or more in advance of the event will be refunded, minus a \$50.00 administrative fee. After this date, no refunds will be granted for cancellations or no shows. AdvancED will process all refunds/credit after the event. In the event that the workshop is postponed due to natural disaster or other cause beyond NCA CASI/AdvancED’s control, we will make every effort to rescheduled. Any registration payment made will automatically be applied to the rescheduled event. If you choose not to attend the rescheduled event, AdvancED will provide a full refund upon written request from the registrant.

SUBSTITUTIONS: If you are unable to attend the event after registering, you may send someone in your place. Please follow these steps:

1. You must submit the person’s name and contact information in writing to NCA CASI/AdvancED no less than 3 days prior to the start of the event. Fax and email requests will be honored.
2. If you are from an accredited school, and your replacement is not, he/she must pay any outstanding balance as a result of the difference in corresponding registration rates.