



Arts Education Summit

Tuesday, June 7, 2016

10:00a.m. - 2:30p.m.

Michigan Economic Development Corporation (MEDC)
Lake Michigan Conference Room
300 North Washington Square
Lansing, MI 48913

AGENDA

10:00a.m. - 10:20a.m. Welcome and Introductions

Welcome to the 2016 Arts Education Summit! During this session you will learn more about the purpose of our convening, hear about the Americans for the Arts State Policy Pilot Program (SP3) and get to know your fellow participants. *Speakers: Sarah Triplett, Creative Many and Erin Skene-Pratt, Facilitator.*

10:20a.m. - 11:00a.m. Setting the Stage on National Trends

As we get ready to brainstorm possible recommendations for Michigan policymakers, this session will set the stage for us to better understand the most recent policy efforts across the country that impact arts education. *Introduction: Chad Badgero, Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs. Speaker: Jeff Poulin, Americans for the Arts.*

11:00a.m. - 12:00p.m. Status of Education in Michigan

This is your opportunity to hear from and ask questions of the State Superintendent and the President of the State Board of Education regarding the current status of education in Michigan and how the Michigan Department of Education (MDE) and the State Board of Education are working to improve arts education. We will also hear about MDE's vision for opportunities where the education community can learn from practices employed by arts educators/practicing artists. *Speakers: John Austin, State Board of Education; Ana Cardona, Michigan Arts Education Instruction and Assessment (MAEIA); Mary Head, Michigan Department of Education; Megan Schrauben, Michigan Department of Education; and Brian Whiston, State Superintendent.*

12:00p.m. - 12:15p.m. Lunch

12:15p.m. - 1:20p.m. Opportunities and Challenges for Arts Education in Michigan

Before we can discuss possible recommendations for policy change here in Michigan, we need to better understand how Michigan compares to other states in terms of policy in support of arts education and also hear about what's happening in the field. This session

will also include an opportunity for you to share your opinions on the opportunities and challenges that lie ahead. *Speakers: Barb Whitney, Consultant and Bryan Zoher, Education for the Arts.*

1:20p.m. - 2:25p.m. Setting a Policy Agenda for Arts Education in Michigan

This is your opportunity to help shape a policy agenda to further arts education in Michigan. During this workshop you will spend time brainstorming policy recommendations based on what you have learned today and your own experiences. *Moderator: Erin Skene-Pratt, Facilitator.*

2:25p.m. - 2:30p.m. Next Steps and Closing

As the summit comes to a close, we will spend some time discussing what's next for this project and how you can stay involved! *Speaker: Sarah Triplett, Creative Many.*