Engaging LIS Educators in State Policy
Tuesday February 27, 2018; 8:00 AM - 11:30 AM
Providence Public Library, Providence, RI

Outcomes
1. Build understanding of the NESSC theory of action (policy-practice-public will/community engagement)
2. Share insight into current/upcoming legislative session and the current state policy landscape
3. Support the development of actionable skills to engage in the legislative process

Agenda
8:30 AM Welcome, Introductions, + Opening Activity
   Review of agenda, outcomes, + norms
8:45 AM About NESSC + State Policy
   Theory of action, state policy context, principles of advocacy
9:10 AM State Landscape Panel
   Policy makers + experts, followed by Q + A
10:10 AM Break
10:30 AM Crafting an Argument
   Put what you’ve heard into action to craft an advocacy strategy
11:50 AM Supporting Your Efforts
   NESSC resources available to support you moving forward
12:00 PM Adjourn
   Thank you!

NESSC MEETING & COMMUNICATION NORMS
In order to undertake the highly complex work of collaboratively transforming secondary learning across all six states, we are committed to:
- Building on and supporting one another’s efforts
- Acknowledging and encouraging different approaches as we collaborate
- Trusting in the integrity of NESSC colleagues
- Monitoring our air time in group gatherings
- Communicating openly, clearly, and directly
- Acknowledging and honoring different perspectives
- Assuming positive intentions of all members