BEGINNING PRINCIPALS ACADEMY for 1st Year Principals, Atlanta—2017-2018

PROGRAM OVERVIEW
The purpose of the Beginning Principals Academy is to support new principals to build their capacity to enhance student learning and create success for their schools and for themselves.

The Beginning Principals Academy will help participants identify their areas of focus, establish priorities, and develop their plans in alignment with Georgia’s Systems of Continuous Improvement including Teacher and Leader Effectiveness and the Georgia Standards for Excellence.

Through a research-based curriculum, participants will experience multiple approaches to solving leadership challenges, supporting teaching and learning in the classroom, and leading and managing their schools more effectively.

**We offer two cohorts: 1st Year Principals and 2nd-3rd Year Principals** The 2nd and 3rd Year Principal Program extends the learning from Year 1 and personalizes the experience based on the identified needs of the cohort.

PARTICIPANT OUTCOMES
Objectives for the Academy include:

- Create a school culture that fosters student and teacher learning
- Understand and monitor curriculum alignment and development
- Build a team-based, results-oriented organizational structure
- Apply research and best practices in developing school improvement efforts focused on increasing student and teacher learning
- Analyze school equity practices
- Lead and manage needed and effective change
- Develop a culture of collaborative working relationships with faculty, parents, students, and community stakeholders
- Support and develop teachers through effective supervision and evaluation
- Manage the operations of the school effectively and efficiently in order to create a positive learning environment
- Understand and manage conflict
- Understand the importance of and how to develop effective communication strategies with all constituents
- Study other issues and topics of importance and/or urgent need

FEE
$1,300 per participant PC Partners
$1,600 per participant Non-Partners

The comprehensive program fee covers tuition for all seminar sessions, all instructional materials, breakfast, and lunch on seminar days.

REGISTRATION
For more information, contact us at 404.413.8257 or at dcowan1@gsu.edu

CALENDAR
FACE-TO-FACE — ALL DAY SESSIONS
*Cohorts will meet for 8 Sessions. All seminar sessions are from 9:00 a.m.—3:30 p.m.

Professional Learning at
Georgia State University
College of Education and Human Development
30 Pryor Street SW
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

Session Dates:
Tuesday, September 12, 2017
Wednesday, October 25, 2017
Friday, November 10, 2017
Tuesday, January 23, 2018
Thursday, February 8, 2018
Tuesday, March 20, 2018
Wednesday, May 9, 2018
Friday, June 1, 2018

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Mail: Principals Center, Georgia State University
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404-413-8257

Our programs meet requirements for professional development for:
- K-12 school leaders
- Title I
- School Improvement

PAYMENT:
- Registration fee ($1,300 PC Member; $1,600 Non-Member) Check ALL THAT APPLY:
  - My School is joining the Principals Center @ $100. Individual Membership affords me a discount for all programs
  - I have submitted a purchase order to cover the cost of the registration PO#__________________
- __ I have enclosed a check/money order for the registration (payable to Georgia State University)

Name (Dr., Mr., Mrs., Ms.) _____________________________________  Job Title ________________________
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