

Alyssa Gallagher's Leader Profile

<u>Mission</u>: School Leadership Alliance wishes to facilitate connections between seated school leaders and various leadership experts. We hope to help you find valuable expertise from education consultants, former educators, and cross-industry leaders.

<u>Instructions</u>: As you search the list of coaches, please feel free to reach out to them directly. There is no obligation on either side, but if you wish to enter into a working arrangement, feel free to do so. School Leadership Alliance does not currently involve itself in this process.

We do ask that you provide us feedback as you engage with any of the coaches, organizations, or resources you find through us! Please send an email to schoolleadershipalliance@gmail.com or on the Contact Us portion of our website.

Name	Alyssa Gallagher
Areas of expertise (Please answer what you can do to help as specifically as possible in concise bullet form, e.g. 1:1 coaching, team coaching, instructional leadership evaluation, ele/jr/high, strategy, design, etc.)	 Design Thinking Multiplier Leadership Leadership Keynotes Leadership Pipelines, Development, & Support Effective Professional Development & Coaching for Leaders
Previous experience (role, organization, # of years) & Achievements	 M.E.S.S.Y Leadership (To be Published Feb 2024) Design Thinking in Play: An Action Guide for Educators (2020) Design Thinking for School Leaders: Five Roles & Mindsets That Ignite Positive Change (2018) Leadership Development Expert BTS Spark, Head of Education, North America The Wiseman Group, Director of Global Leadership Development Practice
	 Experienced Public-School Educator Assistant Superintendent, Director, Principal (Los Altos School District, CA) Assistant Principal (Del Mar Unified School District, CA and San Diego Unified School District)



	 Teacher (Los Angeles Unified School District, CA and San Bernardino Unified School District)
Description of recent projects/work samples	MESSY Leadership Research: Unpacking data and insights from 6,000+ coaching conversations to understand the needs of education leaders and correlating supports to those needs.
*Quotes from references	"Alyssa has the mind of a multiplier. She knows that people grow and perform best when they know others are counting on them. Not only did Alyssa lead the district to revolutionize learning, she built leaders at all levels." -Liz Wiseman, Author of the Bestseller Multipliers
	"Alyssa works with leaders to help them understand they can accomplish far beyond initial expectations. She deftly asks the right questions to assist leaders improve their practice. There has never been a leader with whom I have appreciated and enjoyed working with more than Alyssa. It's truly magical."-Jeffrey Baier, LASD Superintendent
Key values	Curiosity, Integrity, Creativity
Contact information (email, phone)	Alyssa.gallagher@btsspark.org (858) 699.4347 (Cell)
Reviews (as applicable, reviews from clients of your services)	"Alyssa truly did a masterful job of delivering a message that was meaningful and compelling. Her insights were eye opening; participants left energized, and their initial reactions speak to the power of the content and her story telling. She definitely raised that bar for future speakers!" Jeanetta Vena, Manager of Leadership Development, TD Financial