



LEADING EDUCATION INNOVATION

## Driving K-12 Innovation: Advisory Board Info

### Serving on the Advisory Board

The *CoSN Driving K-12 Innovation* Advisory Board is a body of K-12 edtech experts who engage in online, asynchronous surveys, and virtual discussions (responding to prompts from CoSN) and eventually select the topics to be featured in our *Driving K-12 Innovation* publications. **This activity requires an estimated commitment of 3.5-10 hours from September 13-November 17.** Most of the Advisory Board's work will take place during the discussion phase on September 27-November 8, 2021.

Advisory Board members are expected to participate in discussions around Hurdles (barriers), Accelerators (mega-trends), and Tech Enablers (tools), via the online community platform **and/or** synchronous video calls. Select the conversation mediums that work best for you!

### Advisory Board Composition

The Advisory Board is a global community of school administrators, educators, technologists, learning designers, and other practitioners/changemakers focused on innovation in teaching and learning.

### Objectives

The *CoSN Driving K-12 Innovation* Advisory Board discusses and selects the top Hurdles, Accelerators, and Tech Enablers that are transforming teaching and learning. [Download the 2021 publications](#) to get a sense of the resulting resources.

### Milestones

Below is a list of key milestones for Advisory Board participation (subject to slight changes depending on participation rates). Our goal is always 100% participation.

#### September 2021

- Advisory Board members receive a welcome email from CoSN with a summary of tasks to come.
- Online workspace opens for Advisory Board members.
- **Sept 13-20:** Advisory Board responds to initial survey about Hurdles, Accelerators, and Tech Enablers to narrow down the topics for discussion.
- **September 27-November 8: Discussion** (with starting prompts from CoSN). Discussion will take place asynchronously online and via optional synchronous Zoom calls. We'll spend two weeks of the discussion period focusing on each of the three

lenses of Driving K-12 Innovation - Hurdles, Accelerators, and Tech Enablers - though Advisory Board members are welcome to discuss other lenses in the online community platform.

- **September 27-October 10:** Focus on Hurdles, with an optional synchronous discussion via Zoom (two times offered)
  - Optional discussion: Wednesday 9/29, 4p.m. Eastern Daylight Time (GMT-4)
  - Optional discussion: Tuesday 10/5, 12pm Eastern Daylight Time (GMT-4)
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## October 2021

- **September 27-November 8: Discussion**

- **October 11-24:** Focus on Accelerators, with an optional synchronous discussion via Zoom (two times offered)
  - Optional discussion call: Wednesday 10/13, 4p.m. Eastern Daylight Time (GMT-4)
  - Optional discussion call: Tuesday 10/19, 12p.m. Eastern Daylight Time (GMT-4)
- **October 25-November 8:** Focus on Tech Enablers, with an optional synchronous discussion via Zoom (two times offered)
  - Optional discussion call: Wednesday 10/27, 4p.m. Eastern Daylight Time (GMT-4)
  - Optional discussion call: Tuesday 11/2, 12p.m. Eastern Daylight Time (GMT-4)

## November 2021

- **November 8:** Advisory Board discussion phase ends
- **November 10-17:** Advisory Board responds to a survey to select the Top Topics for DK-12i in 2022
- The Top 9 Topics (3 Hurdles, 3 Accelerators, and 3 Tech Enablers) are announced

## January/February 2022

- Two Driving K-12 Innovation Summits
- Publications released

## March 2022

- (Optional) The Advisory Board is invited to provide feedback on the Driving K-12 Innovation process via survey

Advisory Board members may also be asked to review publications before they are released, and invited to speak at the Driving K-12 Innovation Summit, CoSN conference, and other events.