

New Teacher Center's 18th National Symposium on Teacher Induction
February 21-23, 2016—Bellevue, Washington
Scholarship Application Information

NTC's annual symposium is among the most powerful gatherings of educators in our country, and this year's theme, *Learn Together Dream Together*, promises to offer a great line-up of learning. Key learning strands for the symposium include: 1) Mentoring and Coaching, 2) Leadership Development, 3) Equity and Access, 4) Social and Emotional Learning and Learning Differences, 5) College and Career Readiness State Standards, and 6) Innovation in the Field, and 7) Programmatic Development and Sustainability. As it becomes available, you will find more information at information at <http://www.newteachercenter.org/events/18th-national-symposium-teacher-induction>

The DCNTP will sponsor scholarships for **three persons** from our consortium to attend with Tom Howe, DCNTP Chair. Please share this information and attached application with interested individuals, and/or consider applying yourself. **Applications should be sent to Shirley Smith no later than November 1, 2015 at 3:30 pm.** Notification will be made by December 1, 2015.

Applicants may come from any of the following roles:

- Release/instructional mentor
- Fulltime teacher who is also an instructional mentor
- Principal or associate principal
- Program Leader (teacher or administrator)
- Superintendent

Preference will be given to those who have not been sponsored to attend a past NTC event by DCNTP.

DCNTP will provide funding for:

- Pre-conference and Symposium registration fee \$ 700
(includes materials, registration, breakfast, lunch, and late PM receptions)
- Hotel for four nights at the Hyatt Regency, Bellevue, WA approx \$ 700
- Flight approx \$ 800

We ask that the individual and/or the district provide in-kind support beyond the above costs including ground transportation, meals during travel, and substitute teacher costs.

Those selected will be required to:

- Meet with the DCNTP Chair prior to attending symposium to select sessions that will support DCNTP with its strategic priorities (see application for priorities).
- Participate in a pre-conference session on Sunday, February 21, 2016, as well as all sessions during the symposium (this means leaving on **Saturday, Feb. 20 and returning on Wednesday, Feb. 24, 2016**).
- Upon return, plan a short (about 10 minutes) presentation to share your key insights and learning for the DCNTP District Council and Board and assist in furthering strategic goals.

For more information, please contact us:

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