



## Agenda

*Ask An Expert Online Chat: Common Core State Standards and Teacher Effectiveness*

September 16, 2014

3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. EDT

### Goals

- To improve participant understanding of how to strengthen Common Core State Standards (CCSS) implementation and teacher effectiveness systems
- To provide a platform for the exchange of ideas and resources

**3:00 p.m.** Welcome and introduction to the webinar platform by Dr. Elizabeth Greninger, Facilitator (edCount, LLC), and a pre-recorded video

**3:10 p.m.** Presentation by Ross Wiener, Vice President and Executive Director of the Education and Society Program at the Aspen Institute

### Overview

Mr. Wiener will summarize main points of his presentation from the 2013 Teacher Effectiveness Webinar Series. He will give an update on research on CCSS implementation, highlight state examples, and explain ways that states can strengthen CCSS implementation and teacher effectiveness.

**3:20 p.m.** **Guided Discussion: Part 1 – Successes** (Q&A, shared experiences)  
Using the chat feature, participants will share successes in transitioning to the CCSS. Mr. Wiener will respond to comments. Participants may share resources or ask questions.

**3:30 p.m.** **Strategies for Local Implementation**  
Mr. Wiener will suggest strategies for strengthening implementation.

**3:35 p.m.** **Guided Discussion: Part 2 – Challenges** (Q&A, shared experiences)  
Using the chat feature, participants will share challenges in transitioning to the CCSS. Mr. Wiener will respond to comments. Participants may share resources or ask questions.

**3:45 p.m.** **Guided Discussion: Part 3 – Action Steps**  
Participants will be asked to share planned actions.

**3:50 p.m.** **Question and Answer Session**

**3:55 p.m.** **Closing**

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