

**The Regional Educational Laboratory Mid-Atlantic
and High Point Regional School District**

Present a Bridge Event Forum on

Dropout Prevention

October 28, 2014

High Point Regional High School, Sussex, NJ

Goal: To enable attendees to plan and implement research-based dropout prevention interventions in their districts.

8:30 AM – 9:00 AM	Registration
9:00 AM – 9:10 AM	Overview of IES and REL Mid-Atlantic Resources <i>Heather Ngoma, New Jersey State Coordinator, REL Mid-Atlantic</i>
9:10 AM – 9:25 AM	Development of the Practice Guide and Interpretation of Levels of Evidence <i>Russell Rumberger, Professor of Education, University of California, Santa Barbara</i>
9:25 AM – 10:35 AM	Research-Based Dropout Prevention Strategies: Recommendations from the What Works Clearinghouse <i>Dropout Prevention Practice Guide</i> <i>Russell Rumberger</i>
10:35 AM – 10:45 AM	Break
10:45 AM – 11:45 AM	Research-Based Dropout Prevention Strategies: Recommendations from the What Works Clearinghouse <i>Dropout Prevention Practice Guide (continued)</i> <i>Russell Rumberger</i>
11:45 AM – 12:00 PM	Questions & Answers <i>Russell Rumberger</i>
12:00 PM – 1:00 PM	Lunch on your own
1:00 PM – 1:50 PM	Strategic Planning Session/Report-Out <i>Facilitated by Russell Rumberger</i>
1:50 PM – 2:00 PM	Summary, Next Steps, and Feedback Survey <i>Heather Ngoma</i>