



**Fall 2010 Meeting**  
**Facilitating the Use of Research:**  
**Establishing an Education Research Consortium in Arkansas**

Thursday, October 7, 2010

9:00 am – 12:00 noon

Arkansas Association of Educational Administrators (AAEA)

219 South Victory/Little Rock, AR

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**9:00 am – 9:15 am**

**Welcome & Introductions**

James Boardman, *Assistant Commissioner, Division of Research and Technology, Arkansas Department of Education*

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**9:15 am – 9:30 am**

**Goals of the Meeting**

Dean Nafziger, *Director, REL Southwest at Edvance Research*  
Andrew Tolbert, *Superintendent, Warren School District*

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**9:30 am – 10:15 am**

**Using Student Achievement Data to Support Instructional Decision Making**

Jeffrey C. Wayman, *Assistant Professor, The University of Texas at Austin*

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**10:15 am – 10:30 am**

**Question & Answer Session**

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**10:30 am – 10:45 am**

**Facilitating the Use of Research Through a Consortium**

Laural Logan-Fain, *Associate Director, Texas Consortium on School Research (TCSR), REL Southwest at Edvance Research*

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**10:45 – 11:00 am**

**Using Data and Research**

Stacy Daugherty, *Development Manager, REL Southwest at Edvance Research*

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**11:00 am – 11:45 am**

**Assessing Research Needs of the Delta Region: Input from the Districts & Educational Cooperatives—*co-facilitated small group breakout session***

Stacy Daugherty, *Development Manager, REL Southwest at Edvance Research*  
Lauren Decker, *Researcher II, REL Southwest at Edvance Research*  
Karen Eoff, *Director, Southeast Arkansas Education Service Cooperative*  
Jenifer Hartman, *Director, Practice-Based Research, REL Southwest at Edvance Research*  
Suzann McCommon, *Director, Great Rivers Educational Service Cooperative*  
Carolyn McCoy, *Director, Arkansas River Education Service Cooperative*

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**Next Steps**

Jenifer Hartman, *Director, Practice-Based Research, REL Southwest at Edvance Research*

Laural Logan-Fain, *Associate Director, Texas Consortium on School Research (TCSR), REL Southwest at Edvance Research*

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