

AGENDA

ELL Practice Guide Forum: Bridging the Gap between Research and Practice

November 17, 2008
Mechanicsburg, PA

8:30 AM – 9:00 AM - Introductions/Welcome/Presentation

Dr. Vito Forlenza, REL Mid-Atlantic Pennsylvania State Coordinator and Laboratory Extension Specialist

9:00 AM – 10:00 AM - Recommendations of the ELL Practice Guide

Dr. Russell Gersten, Executive Director, Instructional Research Group; Professor Emeritus in the College of Education at the University of Oregon; Chairman of the *Practice Guide* Author Team

10:00 AM – 10:15 AM - Break

10:15 AM – 11:30 AM - Panel of Practitioners

Discuss implications of the five findings to practice

Jen Copus, ESL Advisor, Delaware County Intermediate Unit #25

Jane Schreiber, Director of ESL Programs, Allentown City School District

Robert Measel, ESL Advisor, Pennsylvania Department of Education

Barbara Mowrey (Moderator), ESL Advisor, Pennsylvania Department of Education

11:30 AM – 12:30 PM - Participant Dialogue

Roundtable discussion

12:30 PM – 1:00 PM Summary/Wrap-up and Next Steps

Dr. Vito Forlenza