

2021 Delaware Institute for Novice Immersion Principals

Recognizing the critical role principals of immersion programs play in program success, the Delaware Department of Education is again offering a targeted professional learning opportunity focused on building leadership capacity to implement, expand, and sustain immersion programs. **Join us VIRTUALLY this year!**

ELEMENTARY, MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL STRANDS!

The **Elementary Strand for K-5 administrators** will focus on understanding the foundations of immersion and promoting academic success. (Max 50 participants)

The **Middle School Strand for 6-8 administrators** will focus on addressing the unique challenges of meeting the needs of elementary immersion learners who articulate into middle school immersion/continuation programs. (Max 20 participants)

The **High School Strand for 9-12 administrators** will focus on addressing the needs of immersion learners who articulate into AP, CTE, and dual credit/dual enrollment. (Max 20 participants)

Principals are encouraged to apply with their AP and district immersion coordinator to maximize impact!

"I learned so much that I can now take back to my school, my parents, my teachers, and even my students in preparing them for dual immersion implementation in the fall." Tommy Usher, GA, 2015 DINIP Participant

VIRTUAL INSTITUTE STRUCTURE

DINIP 2021 will be held completely ONLINE in order to continue to meet the professional learning needs of administrators during the pandemic.

- 3-day VIRTUAL summer institute June 22-24, 2021
 - Principal-to-Principal sessions facilitated by experienced immersion principals
 - Participant-driven whole group discussions and small-group breakout sessions
- Online/collaborative sessions during 2021-22
 - Ongoing access to a dedicated immersion principal professional learning community (PLC)

INSTITUTE LOGISTICS

- Summer dates: **June 22-24, 2021**
- Location: **ONLINE / VIRTUAL!**
- Registration fee (payable online or by check, no POs): **\$195 for 3-Day session** (application fee waived for Delaware participants)
- Application link:
<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/dinip21>

Are you...

- A principal in your first year leading an immersion program?
- A principal opening an immersion program in the upcoming school year?

This institute is for YOU!

Questions? Email us at

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Apply Today!

Registration deadline:
May 15, 2021

"Attending the Institute for Novice Immersion Principals has been great! It's been a powerful networking opportunity and great for foundational knowledge that I was missing as a first year immersion principal. And it's been exciting to be around other people in similar situations and learn from their experiences and expertise." Rhonda Kelsey, SC, 2015 DINIP Participant

INSTITUTE FACILITATORS

These practicing immersion leaders bring more than 40 years combined experience with immersion to the institute to support your learning!

- **Piper Riddle**, Principal, Heber Valley Elementary, Heber City, UT
- **Olympia Kyriakidis**, Former Principal, Riverview Elementary, Lakeside, CA
- **Sven Gustafson**, Principal, West High School, Anchorage, AK
- **Michele Savage**, Principal, Shue-Medill Middle School, Newark, DE
- **Other immersion administrators and leaders!**