

October 4, 2017 At Metro ECSU 8:30am-3:30pm (8:00am check in)

Who should attend?

Co-teacher teams, administrators, specialists, instructional coaches, para educators, any combination of teacher teams.

Co-teachers, you're not on an island.... If you've found your co-teaching partner and are looking for more to take you further, this is the session for you! Participants will dive deeper into the models of co-teaching, critical setup and maintenance of their co-teaching partnerships, and will analyze the makeup of the students in their co-taught class. This session explores instructional strategies on differentiating instruction and modifying co-taught lesson plans. You will not be disappointed with this session. You will learn how to find and create effective and efficient planning time, as well as technology tools that enhance any co-teaching partnership.

This session is ideal for co-teachers who have had the *Purposeful Collaboration through Co-Teaching -The Basics* training and have experience co-teaching. *Co-teacher teams are strongly encouraged to attend together.*

Participants will:

- Build on your co-teaching practices to extend your instructional effectiveness.
- Design lessons to maximize teacher-student time and improve time-on-task.
- Learn practical methods for building co-planning time into your schedule.
- Develop advanced methods for small group instruction and flexible grouping.
- Implement powerful scaffolding and differentiating instruction strategies to better meet student needs.

Presenter Martina Wagner, Ed.D:

Dr. Martina Wagner has served English Language learners for over twenty years in grades pre-K through adult education. Her expertise includes best practice and programming for ELs, Sheltered Instruction, Co-teaching, Special Education Identification of ELs, WIDA standards, and English Language Learning assessments and data. Martina's background in co-teaching spans from classroom to district implementation, professional development, instructional coaching, as well as strategic district action planning and implementation. Martina has done extensive research throughout the United States on co-teaching and currently serves public, private, and charter schools as a professional development consultant.

Registration Information: \$140 Metro ECSU Member; \$250 Non-member (lunch included) Register online: www.metroecsu.org/registration/events Registration Deadline: October 4, 2017 Cancellation Deadline: October 2, 2017 Registration Contact: Angela Skrade, 612.638.1528; angela.skrade@metroecsu.org Program Contact: Martina Wagner, 612.638.1509; martina.wagner@metroecsu.org Location: Metro ECSU (Anderson Center, Bethel University), 2 Pine Tree Dr, Arden Hills, MN 55112

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"After co-teaching for several years with the same co-teacher, this session helped us fine tune our partnership. It's amazing what we found out about how to differentiate for our co-taught students!" Workshop participant.