

Igniting the Leader Within: A Fresh Look at School Leadership



August 2, 2023, and August 3, 2023

9:00am-4:00pm, In-person at Bethel University, Anderson Center

For Principals, Asst. Principals, Directors, and any others who Lead People in Schools

Are you ready to level up your leadership and take your staff and school to new heights? Then join us for “*Igniting the Leader Within: A Fresh Look at School Leadership.*” In this workshop, we will delve into the three crucial steps to becoming a dynamic and effective school leader.

In this 2-day experience, we'll explore ways to cultivate a healthy culture and climate by connecting with your values and identifying behaviors that drive action. Next, we'll explore how to amplify your leadership voice and empower your people. And finally, we'll discuss strategies for thriving in times of chaos and conflict.

Throughout this session, you will have the opportunity to learn and apply these steps, so that you can confidently lead with assurance and purpose. Leave with tools you'll use for your own leadership and adapt them to meet your onsite staff development needs.

As a result of this workshop, participants will be able to:

- Reconnect to the WHY that drives your success while being able to model a way of being that sparks effort + energy in others
- Grow your strengths so that you staff can see you at your best while also championing the best in them
- Level up your own expectations on accountability so that your staff will do the same

Co-Facilitators: Jeff Stafford, Orange Slice Training & Chris Streiff Oji, Metro ECSU



Jeff Stafford, owner and founder of Orange Slice Training + Coaching, is an ICF Certified Coach and workshop facilitator. He brings 20 years of experience that has been concentrated in the areas of higher education, non-profit, and Minnesota county organizations. As a coach, Jeff partners with leaders who want to bring a confidence and skill set that will serve them best in their role. He has a Master's in Counseling & Student Personnel and served as the Director of Campus Life at Augsburg College before moving into the areas of talent and leadership development. **Areas of expertise include:** *Leadership Coaching, Employee Engagement, Emotional Intelligence, Team Building, Communications, Manager & Leaders Training, and Strengths.*

Registration Information

Register Online (<https://metroecsu.myquickreg.com/register/event/>)

Fee: Metro ECSU member districts: \$300; Non-member districts: \$375

Location: Bethel University, Anderson Center, 2 Pine Tree Dr, Arden Hills, MN, 55112

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