

## AGENDA

### Senate Committee on Education House Committee on Education Meeting Jointly

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Monday, July 18, 2016

01:30 PM

Room 171, State Capitol  
Little Rock, Arkansas

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Sen. Jane English, Chair  
Sen. Uvalde Lindsey, Vice Chair  
Sen. Eddie Joe Williams  
Sen. Alan Clark  
Sen. Bobby J. Pierce  
Sen. Jim Hendren  
Sen. Eddie Cheatham  
Sen. Blake Johnson

Rep. Bruce Cozart, Chair  
Rep. Sheilla E. Lampkin, Vice Chair  
Rep. Greg Leding  
Rep. Reginald Murdock  
Rep. Gary Deffenbaugh  
Rep. Justin T. Harris  
Rep. Jon S. Eubanks  
Rep. James Ratliff  
Rep. Jeremy Gillam  
Rep. John W. Walker

Rep. Nate Bell  
Rep. Scott Baltz  
Rep. Charlotte V. Douglas  
Rep. Mark Lowery  
Rep. Mark D. McElroy  
Rep. Charles L. Armstrong  
Rep. Bill Gossage  
Rep. Warwick Sabin  
Rep. Grant Hodges  
Rep. Michael John Gray

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- A. Call to Order – 1:30 P.M.
- B. Remarks by the Chairs
- C. Approval of the Minutes of the June 22, 2016 Meeting [**Exhibit C**]
- D. Update on [Closing the Gap 2020](#): A Master Plan for Arkansas Higher Education  
**Dr. Brett Powell**, Director, Arkansas Department of Higher Education
- E. Update on Arkansas Public School Computer Network (APSCN) Broadband Upgrade  
**Mr. Mark Myers**, Director, Arkansas Department of Information Systems
- F. Discussion of Issues Related to Career and Technical Education (CTE)  
**Dr. Charisse Childers**, Director, Arkansas Department of Career Education  
**Ms. Kathi Turner**, Deputy Director, Division of Career and Technical Education, Arkansas Department of Career Education  
**Mr. Brian Rogers**, Deputy Director, Office of Skills Development, Arkansas Department of Career Education
- G. Other Business
- H. Adjournment

**Note:** All exhibits for this meeting are available by electronic means and are accessible on the General Assembly's website at [www.arkleg.state.ar.us](http://www.arkleg.state.ar.us)

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