



**AAML Mathematics Leader's Conference:
Mathematics Leadership in a Culture of Change**

November 2, 2016, 8:45-3:30

Registration: 8:30am
Little Rock Marriott, Salon A

8:45-9:00 Welcome and Introductions, Tim Brister, President

9:00 - 10:30 Keynote:

Mathematics Education Leadership for the Future

John Staley, NCSM President

How might we change the teaching and learning of mathematics so that our students no longer grow up to tell about their negative experiences in mathematics class? I am sure that each of us can share a story... "Math didn't make sense to me" or "I was never good at math."

Now is the time for us-mathematics education leaders-to change the conversation from one where our students' mathematical journey "ends" with a sense of hopelessness. Now is the time for the mathematics education leadership to unite to ensure that all students

- *have access to high quality mathematics learning experiences;*
- *achieve at high levels and grow academically;*
- *are engaged in mathematics that is meaningful, relevant and accessible;*
- *graduate college and career ready; and*
- *are prepared to contribute to society as mathematically literate citizens.*

10:40-11:45: Panel Discussion

"Moving Learning Forward in the Midst of Change"

This panel consists of people serving in different levels of leadership roles from across the state. Each member has been asked to consider: What are some things that have worked in math leadership at your schools and/or what are ways you plan to address coming changes in education?

Alyssa Folk, Teacher/Lead Teacher, El Dorado High School
Mona Starr, K-4 Math Coach, Bentonville School District
Mark Wagner, K-12 Math Coach, WCC
Karl Romain -- District Level Leader

11:45-12:00: Coaching Issues Brainstorm

**12:00PM - 1:00 PM
AAML Luncheon and Meeting**

Sara McDaniel -- Teacher Created Materials
Robb Wilson -- Texas Instruments
AAML Meeting -- AAML Executive Committee
Arkansas Ballroom

1:00 - 2:10: Math Coach mini-EdCamp

Seeking solutions to coaching issues. Discuss issues that matter to you with mathematics leaders from across the state.

2:20-3:20: ADE Reports on Assessment, Computer Science, and other pressing issues

Staci Smith, Assistant Commissioner
Anthony Owen, Coordinator of Computer Science
Hope Allen, ADE Learning Services Special Advisor (Assessment)
Thomas Coy, ADE Curriculum and Instruction

3:20-3:30 Reflections and Wrap Up
Tom Simmons, AAML President-Elect

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