

Oregon Cluster Network Leadership Council Meeting

Monday, August 29, 2005

11:30 - 2:00 pm

Multnomah Athletic Club

1849 SW Salmon St

Portland, OR

AGENDA

- 11:30 am- Introductions & Welcome
 - Leadership Council purpose & structure (Wally)
 - Oregon Business Plan Cluster Submissions (Duncan)
 - Cluster Data Needs and October 5 Leadership Council Meeting Topic (Liz)
- 11:45 am- What did we learn from July 20 Cluster Network Meeting? What can we do to improve the relationships between clusters and university research offices?
 - Leadership Council Roundtable
- 12:10 pm – What are the needs of traded sector clusters concerning workforce development? How can we improve the relationships between industry and the workforce system? (Moderated by Agnes Balassa)
 - The Panel of Cluster Practitioners Includes:
 - Leslie Lehmann, Oregon Forest Resources Institute
 - Eileen Drake, Metals Industry Consortium
 - Lynn Oetting, Semiconductor Workforce Consortium
- 12:30 pm- How are clusters' needs currently being met by the workforce system? (Moderated by Lita Colligan)
 - The Workforce Panel Includes:
 - Dr. Stephen Hobbs, Associate Dean of the OSU College of Forestry and Associate Director of the Forest Research Lab
 - Kevin Jeans-Gail, K-12 and the Metals Industry Consortium
 - Paul Molino, Mt. Hood Community College and the SWC
- 12:50 pm- What specific actions can the Oregon Cluster Network Leadership Council perform immediately to support these clusters in their workforce efforts? What needs to be changed for more effective long-term relationships between industry and the workforce training system?
 - Guided Discussion led by Duncan/Wally Including:
 - Industry & Cluster Practitioner Response
 - Leadership Committee Roundtable Discussion
 - Full Room Q & A and Open Discussion
- 1:45 pm- Discussion Wrap-Up, Key Learnings, & Final Thoughts for Moving Forward