



# Breakthrough Public Schools

## Academic Excellence Committee Meeting

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### Date and Time

Tuesday November 19, 2024 at 5:00 PM EST

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### Agenda

	Purpose	Presenter	Time
<b>I. Opening Items</b>			<b>5:00 PM</b>
<b>A.</b> Record Attendance			
<b>B.</b> Call the Meeting to Order			
<b>C.</b> Check-in		Aditi Garg	10 m
		What's one memory from your school days that still inspires you today?	
<b>D.</b> Minutes Approval	Approve Minutes	Aditi Garg	
<b>II. Strategic Items</b>			<b>5:10 PM</b>
		The AEC will review, discuss, and (when necessary) approve items relevant to academic strategy and/or the self-governance items for the Academic Excellence Committee.	
<b>A.</b> Evaluation and Decision-Making on Posting for a New Chief Schools Officer	Discuss	Andrew McRae	25 m
		<b>Objective:</b> Assist the CEO in assessing the need for a new Chief Schools Officer (CSO) to support strategic priorities and network leadership capacity.	

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**Purpose:**

- Evaluate the current leadership structure and its alignment with the network's strategic goals and priorities.
- Provide insights on the potential impact of hiring a CSO on academic outcomes, principal support, and leadership stability.

**Key Questions:**

- What are the immediate and long-term benefits of hiring a CSO versus reallocating responsibilities within the current leadership team?
- How would the presence of a CSO impact principal trust and investment in the network vision, given recent leadership transitions?

**B. Reestablishing Trust with Principals Post-Leadership Transitions**

Discuss

Andrew McRae

25 m

**Objective:** Identify challenges stemming from recent leadership transitions and their impact on principal trust.

- **Purpose:** Explore key concerns raised by school leaders regarding communication, collaboration, and leadership continuity.
- **Key Questions:**
  - What are the primary areas of concern for principals in the current leadership context?
  - How can the network demonstrate accountability and transparency to rebuild trust?

**III. Closing Items**

**6:00 PM**

**A. Adjourn Meeting**

Vote

Aditi Garg