



Founding Board Member

School Innovation Collaborative

Mission: The *School Innovation Collaborative* exists to **develop, empower and support great school leaders** to design and lead partner networks **resulting in more great Texas schools.**

The collaborative is looking to identify three founding board members. These founding board members will play a critical role in supporting and advancing the initiative over the first 12 months of the partnership.



Who would be an ideal founding board member?

- **Share a commitment to the mission of the organization**
- Possess relevant expertise in the following applicable fields: community leadership, education, youth development, accounting/finance, or fundraising.

What are the roles and responsibilities of the founding board?

- **To advance the mission and purposes of the School Innovation Collaborative**
- To set organizational goals and goal progress measures
- Evaluate the CEO or executive director in alignment with the established goals
- To ensure school leaders and partner networks operate in an autonomous & accountable environment
- To establish a routine for monitoring school performance in alignment with targets outlined in the partner contract
- Ensure the organization is fiscally responsible and meeting applicable legal requirements

What are the expectations (time/training commitment) for founding board members?

- **All founding board members should be willing to commit approximately two hours a week to the organization.** (including a monthly progress update calls with the CEO or executive director)
- Participation in the Lone Star Governance board member training program

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