

COSA Seaside Conference Pre-Conference Session

Embracing Continuous School Improvement through the Cognia Accreditation Process



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2022 COSA Seaside Conference
Seaside Civic and Convention Center

Join Cognia™ experts for a learning opportunity exclusively for current Cognia accredited schools and Cognia candidacy schools who are preparing for their accreditation reviews in 2022/23 or 2023/24. During this pre-conference session, you'll:

- Get information on updates to Cognia Performance Standards and how to apply them to your institution's continuous improvement journey
- Learn more about the required accreditation steps and work in Cognia tools to begin the required training for the engagement review
- Gain greater understanding of additional services offered by Cognia including Teacher Observation Tool, Cognia Learning Community, Leadership Circle, and various surveys and professional development

About the presenters



Dale Kleinert, Vice President, Northwest Region

Dale Kleinert previously served for 36 years in Montana and Idaho in a variety of capacities including principal and superintendent of schools. His work at Cognia includes helping schools and districts with intensive support and improvement training

sessions to long-term strategic planning engagements. He has also served on and led countless Cognia Engagement Review and STEM Certification teams throughout the United States and abroad.



Becky Wells, Regional Director, Oregon

Becky Wells has been a public educator for 41 years before retiring in 2019. She joined the Cognia team in 2020. Her experience spans from special education teacher to superintendent roles in rural and urban districts in Eastern Washington. Ms. Wells has served as an ESD

legislative representative, member of NAFIS (National Association of Federally Impacted Schools) advocating in our Nation's capital and been the recipient of the WASA ESD 105 Student Achievement Leadership Award in 2012 and 2019.

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