

The <u>Consortium for School Networking (CoSN)</u> is honored to support the work of current and aspiring superintendents and district leadership teams through the <u>Association of Educational Service Agencies</u> in leading all aspects of digital learning transformations.

CoSN 2025 Future of Work Report

CoSN recently published a resource for school leaders on "The Future of Work" which is a supplement to the CoSN 2025 Driving K-12 Innovation Report. As the world we are living in today and the world our students will be living in tomorrow rapidly changes, the priorities for what and how students learn must also change and adapt. CoSN's 2025 Future of Work Report underscores the transformative impact that AI has and will continue to have on what the Future of Work looks like. The reality of AI's impact requires educators to evaluate the technology skills students will need in their futures, regardless of their career choices. In addition, educators must have an understanding the impact of robotics, machine learning and more on the future career options for all students.

CoSN's 2025 Future of Work resource includes specific tips and recommendations for education leaders when it comes to prioritizing student engagement, teacher training and cultivating a culture where lifelong learning is the expectation — not the exception — for all students.

All are invited to learn more by accessing the CoSN 2025 Future of Work Report at:

Driving K-12 Innovation: 2025 The Future of Work

Access to the complete 2025 Driving K-12 Innovation Report is provided at:

Driving K-12 Innovation: 2025 Hurdles, Accelerators, and Tech

CoSN 2026 Annual Conference – Call for Proposals and Proposal Reviewers

The CoSN 2026 Annual Conference is scheduled to take place on April 13-15, 2026, at the Sheraton Grand Chicago Riverwalk in Chicago, Illinois.

The opportunity to submit proposals for the CoSN 2026 Annual Conference is now open. CoSN requires that proposals for CoSN 2026 may only be submitted by Educators. The deadline for submitting a CoSN 2026 Annual Conference Proposal is July 14, 2025, 11:59 PM ET.

Additionally, CoSN is seeking volunteers to review the Educator Proposals that are submitted for the CoSN 2026 Annual Conference.

Learn more about the plans for CoSN's 2026 Annual Conference as well as the proposal process and opportunity to volunteer as a proposal reviewer at https://www.cosn.org/cosn2026/.

CoSN Membership:

Join other Educational Service Agencies by taking advantage of **CoSN's Bulk Membership Program** today! At CoSN, we believe in fostering a community where every school district, regardless of size, can thrive and excel in the digital age.

Here's what we offer:

• 10% Discount for Medium, Large, and Mega Large Districts: We understand the challenges faced by districts with larger student populations. That's why we're thrilled to offer a generous 10% discount on

- membership dues for districts classified as Medium, Large, and Mega Large. Dive into a wealth of resources, tools, and networking opportunities at a fraction of the cost.
- Complimentary Membership for Small Districts: We're committed to leveling the playing field for all districts, including those with smaller enrollments. With our Bulk Membership Program, school districts with fewer than 2,500 students receive complimentary membership. Yes, you read that right—access our resources and connect with industry experts without spending a dime on membership dues!

Why CoSN?

- Access Unparalleled Resources and Networking: Gain exclusive access to cutting-edge insights, best
 practices, and research-driven solutions tailored to the unique needs of educational leaders. Forge
 invaluable connections with peers, industry experts, and thought leaders, propelling your district
 towards digital excellence.
- Stay Ahead of the Curve: In today's rapidly evolving educational landscape, staying ahead of the curve is non-negotiable. CoSN equips you with the knowledge, tools, and strategies needed to navigate the complexities of digital learning, ensuring your district remains at the forefront of innovation.

If you are interested in receiving a quote for your districts, please contact Me'Shell Sheffield at msheffield@cosn.org.