Local Research Network Meeting
Douglass Truth Library
Friday, March 30th 10am - 12pm

Agenda

10:00   **Grab food and Introductions**
Shelby
- Name, role, organization
- Briefly share a turning point in your career or experience that resulted in growth

10:30   **Norms**
Jose   Confidentiality, safe-space

Conversation norms
- Speak your truth
- Listen for understanding
- Stay engaged
- Expect non-closure
- Give room for everyone to share
- Impacted communities are at the center

10:40   **Give/Gain Activity** within this network, what do you want to gain and contribute?
Shelby

Instructions: Each person has two stacks of sticky notes and writes down what they want to contribute or receive from this group on these topics, followed by whole group reflections.

- **Methodology** (e.g., predictive analysis, qualitative coding)
- **Tools** (e.g., R, SAS, Tableau or process toolkits)
- **Content** area (e.g., Early Learning)
- **Collaboration/Staff capacity** (e.g., Access to interns, mentors or colleagues)
- **Resources/PD** (e.g., Academic journals, lectures, conference listservs, courses)

11:00   **Resources**
Shelby   What are our common needs? What Resources/PD do you currently have in-staff?

11:15   **Processes**
Jose   How are projects (or data requests) initiated and how do you deal with time or resource constraints? –being responsive to requestor urgency as it may impact rigor. Other constraints to research quality, racial equity in reporting or community accountability?

11:30   **Closing**
Shelby
- At its best, how could a network like this support your work?
- Based on these goals what should the format and frequency be for meetings?
- Looking at the Give/Gain Activity, who are we missing? –sectors or skill sets