UCEDD Director Meeting at AUCD 2018

**Topic:** Roundtable 8: Partnering with Minority Serving Institutions

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**Discussion and examples:**
- Developing partnerships with smaller institutions in state and territories
- Collaborating on federal grants
- Received MIP planning grant
- Working with tribal colleges, respecting cultures and different learning models
- Unions at institutions prohibit teaching at other universities

**Strategies:**
- Create a course and allow students from minority institutions to attend
- Collaborate with [RRTC on research and capacity building for minority entities at Langston University](https://www.langston.edu)
- Reciprocal relationship to accept credits
- Use distance learning technologies
- Sell to administration as marketing
- Semester internship at each institution
- Embrace minority institution teaching

**Next steps:**
- How many UCEDDs are from minority institutions?
- Develop courses in areas of expertise and share across UCEDDs as models of collaboration
- Bring those partnering and interested together to have discussions and collaborate
- Link with cultural diversity and cultural linguistic competency efforts
- Advocate for grants that target partnerships with multiple UCEDDs collaborating with minority institutions to complete
- Invite minority institutions to attend AUCD conference