

EdPolicyResidents

ExcelinEd's Education Policy Residents program equips policy-minded professionals with the essential skills, policy expertise, advocacy acumen, networking and mentorship opportunities, and dedicated career support for a thriving career as an education policy leader.

What Residency Offers

During the two-year residency, participants will:

- Collaborate and learn from the nation's foremost experts in education policy
- Master the art of crafting, advancing and implementing transformative education policy
- Foster connections with key education policy leaders
- Attend impactful education policy conferences
- Walk the halls as state legislatures shape and reimagine education
- Receive personalized career counseling and support in securing post-residency placement

What Residents Gain

After the two-year residency, participants will:

- Possess expertise across a broad range of transformative state education policies
- Be primed and ready to serve as catalysts for innovation and change
- Be ready to impact lives by serving in pivotal advisory roles at the highest levels of state government

“ Changing policy is the single most powerful lever for transforming education, unlocking opportunity and success for each and every student and strengthening our nation. ”

~Patricia Levesque, CEO, ExcelinEd

What Residents Learn

Education Policies

School Accountability & Assessments
Early & Adolescent Literacy
Education Funding
Teacher Recruitment & Retention
Education to Workforce Pathways
College Acceleration
21st Century Skills
Public School Choice
Private School Choice
Alternative Learning Models

Policy & Advocacy Skills

Policy Development
Writing Model Policies, White Papers
Developing Policy Toolkits
Conducting Policy Research
Policy Advocacy Strategies
Coalition Building
Legislative & Executive Processes
Policy Implementation
Network Facilitation
Partner Engagement

Forging Education Policy All-Stars

- Full-time fully remote two-year position with competitive salary and benefits
- Immersion in ExcelinEd's student-centered policy agenda and mission
- Work-based learning and experience in education policy and advocacy
- Facilitated networking with education policy leaders
- Dedicated career support and post-residency placement
- Cohorts begin April 1 and October 1 annually



Who Should Apply?

Mid-level public policy professionals with 5-7 years of experience, school leaders, current or former teachers with policy experience and other unconventional candidates with a passion for changing students' lives through policy.

Apply Today

Applications are accepted on a rolling basis. Learn more and apply here

