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# MTSS Summer Institute



*Come with a team. Leave with a plan.*

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**JUNE 17-19, 2019  
CROWNE PLAZA HOTEL  
BLOOMINGTON, MN**

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# About the Institute

## Institute Description

Is your district or building implementing a Multi-Tiered System of Support (MTSS) or RtI framework but ready to refine your process and move implementation to the next level? Or, is your building exploring implementation of the framework? Regardless of where you are at in your implementation journey, send a team to take your building or district to the next level! The main focus of the institute will be to help your building and district teams build and sustain the infrastructure needed to support effective MTSS/RtI implementation. Your teams will have time to conduct an audit of your current needs and identify an action plan for moving forward. At the end of the 3-day institute, your teams will have the knowledge and skills needed to effectively identify at-risk students, use data to evaluate the effectiveness of core, supplemental, and intensive instruction, select from a repertoire of research-based interventions, set goals and monitor progress, and learn how to evaluate the fidelity of both interventions and the framework as a whole. In addition, your teams will have an action plan for continued implementation. We strongly encourage you to send teams that have balanced representation between general and special education staff along with a building administrator. **THIS CONFERENCE SOLD OUT QUICKLY LAST YEAR, SO REGISTER EARLY!**

## Speakers



**Kim Gibbons, Ph.D.**, is a sought-after expert on implementation of an MTSS framework. She spent 20 years working at the St. Croix River Education District (SCRED), a group of six school districts that have received national recognition for their MTSS implementation efforts. Currently, she is the Director of the Center for Applied Research and Educational Improvement at the University of Minnesota. Dr. Gibbons has authored or co-authored four books on RtI/MTSS and has numerous other peer-reviewed publications. She has given numerous MTSS workshops across the nation.



**Benjamin Silbergliitt, Ph.D.**, has been leading systems-level data-driven decision making efforts in education for nearly 20 years. He led implementation of a PreK-12 assessment system to support MTSS at SCRED, and has directed and consulted with development of software systems for MTSS implementation. He is a nationally-recognized leader in the field, with numerous publications and presentations on the use of data, assessment, and RtI/MTSS. Dr. Silbergliitt is currently the Executive Director of Research, Outcomes, and Implementation at Intermediate District 287.

# Institute Schedule

## MONDAY, JUNE 17TH, 8:30-3:30

- Infrastructure needed for sustainability of MTSS including recent trends
- Assessments and data-based decision-making within an MTSS framework
- Quality components of universal instruction including classwide interventions
- Teams needed for effective implementation including “team protocols”
- Evaluating fidelity of core instruction

## TUESDAY, JUNE 18TH, 8:00 – 3:30

- Equity in the context of MTSS
- Quality components of supplemental interventions (Tier 2) including scheduling and intervention logistics and resources.
- Issues related to progress monitoring in academics and behavior including goal setting
- Student engagement and Relationships
- Evaluating Tier 2 supports

## WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19TH, 8:00 – 3:30

- Quality components of intensive interventions (Tier 3) including high-leverage practices
- Effective Problem Solving Teams
- Protocols for evaluating fidelity of implementation and improved outcomes
- Implementation and Sustainability
- Team analysis of building needs and action planning

# Conference Location and Rates

## Location

- Crowne Plaza, Three Appletree Square, Bloomington, MN 55425 (I-494 & 34<sup>th</sup> Ave)
- Rooms are discounted at \$129 per night!
- Call the hotel at (952) 854-9000 or (800) 227-6963 for reservations. Please indicate that you are in the block code MTS.
- Book rooms online using block code MTS: <http://bit.ly/SummerMTSS2019>

## Rates

- \$475 per person for registrations received by April 20<sup>th</sup>, 2018.
- \$500 per person for registrations received after April 20<sup>th</sup>, 2018.
- Registration includes continental breakfast, breaks, and lunch.
- **Cancellation Policy: No refunds will be made for cancellations received after May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018. Substitutions are welcome by contacting [info@kingibbons.org](mailto:info@kingibbons.org)**
- Confirmation will be sent by e-mail only.

## Registration Procedures

- Acceptable forms of payment include personal check, district check, purchase order, or credit card.
- Register and pay online using a credit card at [www.kingibbons.org](http://www.kingibbons.org)
- All checks should be made out to **Problem Solving Solutions**.
- Purchase Orders may be scanned to [info@kingibbons.org](mailto:info@kingibbons.org) or mailed to:  
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- For more information, contact Aaron Gibbons via phone at 651-303-3202 or email at [info@kingibbons.org](mailto:info@kingibbons.org)

## Materials

- Each participant will receive a conference workbook, access to all conference materials, and additional resources and intervention tools.