

**SKILLPOINT ALLIANCE**  
**2008 Educator Conference**  
**Participant Exit Survey Results (N = 39)**

**Overall value of the event (n = 38)**

| Highest - 7 | Lowest - 1 | 7 | 6     | 5     | 4     | 3    | 2    | 1    | Total  | Average |
|-------------|------------|---|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|--------|---------|
|             |            | # | 12    | 21    | 5     | 0    | 0    | 0    | 38     |         |
|             |            | % | 31.6% | 55.3% | 13.2% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 100.0% | 6.18    |

**Presentation by Chris Engle (New Economies) (n = 38)**

| Highest - 7 | Lowest - 1 | 7 | 6     | 5     | 4     | 3    | 2    | 1    | Total  | Average |
|-------------|------------|---|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|--------|---------|
|             |            | # | 14    | 17    | 5     | 0    | 2    | 0    | 38     |         |
|             |            | % | 36.8% | 44.7% | 13.2% | 0.0% | 5.3% | 0.0% | 100.0% | 6.07    |

**Presentation by Chris King, Deanna Schexnayder (Ray Marshall Center) (n = 38)**

| Highest - 7 | Lowest - 1 | 7 | 6     | 5     | 4     | 3    | 2    | 1    | Total  | Average |
|-------------|------------|---|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|--------|---------|
|             |            | # | 8     | 20    | 8     | 2    | 0    | 0    | 38     |         |
|             |            | % | 21.1% | 52.6% | 21.1% | 5.3% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 100.0% | 5.89    |

**Presentation by Margo Dover (Skillpoint Alliance) (n = 37)**

| Highest - 7 | Lowest - 1 | 7 | 6    | 5     | 4     | 3     | 2    | 1    | Total  | Average |
|-------------|------------|---|------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|--------|---------|
|             |            | # | 3    | 14    | 7     | 8     | 2    | 3    | 37     |         |
|             |            | % | 8.1% | 37.8% | 18.9% | 21.6% | 5.4% | 8.1% | 100.0% | 4.97    |

**Value of the breakout sessions (n = 18)**

| Highest - 7                                      | Lowest - 1 | 7  | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | Total | Average |
|--------------------------------------------------|------------|----|---|---|---|---|---|---|-------|---------|
|                                                  |            | #  | # | # | # | # | # | # | #     |         |
| <i>Industry and Postsecondary Panels</i>         |            |    |   |   |   |   |   |   |       |         |
| Healthcare                                       |            | 4  | 6 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12    | 6.17    |
| Engineering & Technology                         |            | 5  | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9     | 6.33    |
| Digital Media                                    |            | 3  | 7 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11    | 6.18    |
| Biotech                                          |            | 1  | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3     | 5.33    |
| <i>Overall</i>                                   |            | 1  | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4     | 6.00    |
| <i>Secondary Educators Panel (group session)</i> |            |    |   |   |   |   |   |   |       |         |
| Healthcare                                       |            | 8  | 1 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 14    | 6.07    |
| Engineering & Technology                         |            | 10 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 15    | 6.40    |
| Digital Media                                    |            | 5  | 4 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 13    | 6.00    |
| Biotech                                          |            | 4  | 0 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12    | 5.33    |
| <i>Overall</i>                                   |            | 7  | 5 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 18    | 5.72    |

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**Value of the breakout sessions (n = 18) (cont.)**

| Highest - 7    Lowest - 1                        | 7     | 6     | 5     | 4     | 3    | 2    | 1    | Total  |
|--------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|--------|
|                                                  | %     | %     | %     | %     | %    | %    | %    | %      |
| <i>Industry and Postsecondary Panels</i>         |       |       |       |       |      |      |      |        |
| Healthcare                                       | 33.3% | 50.0% | 16.7% | 0.0%  | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 100.0% |
| Engineering & Technology                         | 55.6% | 33.3% | 0.0%  | 11.1% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 100.0% |
| Digital Media                                    | 27.3% | 63.6% | 9.1%  | 0.0%  | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 100.0% |
| Biotech                                          | 33.3% | 0.0%  | 33.3% | 33.3% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 100.0% |
| <i>Overall</i>                                   | 25.0% | 50.0% | 25.0% | 0.0%  | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 100.0% |
| <i>Secondary Educators Panel (group session)</i> |       |       |       |       |      |      |      |        |
| Healthcare                                       | 57.1% | 7.1%  | 21.4% | 14.3% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 100.0% |
| Engineering & Technology                         | 66.7% | 13.3% | 13.3% | 6.7%  | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 100.0% |
| Digital Media                                    | 38.5% | 30.8% | 23.1% | 7.7%  | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 100.0% |
| Biotech                                          | 33.3% | 0.0%  | 33.3% | 33.3% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 100.0% |
| <i>Overall</i>                                   | 38.9% | 27.8% | 11.1% | 16.7% | 0.0% | 5.6% | 0.0% | 100.0% |

**Value of the content presented in the Conference for various purposes (n = 38)**

| Highest - 7    Lowest - 1                                  | 7     | 6     | 5     | 4     | 3    | 2    | 1    | Total  | Average |
|------------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|--------|---------|
|                                                            | #     | #     | #     | #     | #    | #    | #    | #      |         |
| Help inform school district efforts in college preparation | 6     | 21    | 9     | 1     | 1    | 0    | 0    | 38     | 5.79    |
| Help inform school district efforts in career preparation  | 7     | 23    | 8     | 0     | 0    | 0    | 0    | 38     | 5.97    |
| Help districts in developing professional development      | 4     | 19    | 11    | 4     | 0    | 0    | 0    | 38     | 5.61    |
| Help businesses engage with school districts               | 7     | 18    | 6     | 3     | 3    | 0    | 0    | 37     | 5.62    |
|                                                            | %     | %     | %     | %     | %    | %    | %    | %      |         |
| Help inform school district efforts in college preparation | 15.8% | 55.3% | 23.7% | 2.6%  | 2.6% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 100.0% |         |
| Help inform school district efforts in career preparation  | 18.4% | 60.5% | 21.1% | 0.0%  | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 100.0% |         |
| Help districts in developing professional development      | 10.5% | 50.0% | 28.9% | 10.5% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 100.0% |         |
| Help businesses engage with school districts               | 18.9% | 48.6% | 16.2% | 8.1%  | 8.1% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 100.0% |         |

**Location for the event (ESC Region XIII) (n = 39)**

| Highest - 7    Lowest - 1 | 7     | 6     | 5    | 4    | 3    | 2    | 1    | Total  | Average |
|---------------------------|-------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|--------|---------|
|                           | #     | #     | #    | #    | #    | #    | #    | #      |         |
|                           | 27    | 9     | 2    | 1    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 39     |         |
|                           | %     | %     | %    | %    | %    | %    | %    | %      |         |
|                           | 69.2% | 23.1% | 5.1% | 2.6% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 100.0% | 6.59    |

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**Value of this kind of event for various audiences (n = 38)**

|                                                    | Highest - 7    Lowest - 1 |       | 7     | 6     | 5    | 4    | 3    | 2      | 1    | Total | Average |
|----------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|--------|------|-------|---------|
|                                                    | #                         | #     | #     | #     | #    | #    | #    | #      | #    | #     |         |
| Parents                                            | 6                         | 13    | 9     | 7     | 1    | 1    | 0    | 0      | 37   | 5.35  |         |
| Secondary educators                                | 14                        | 18    | 3     | 2     | 1    | 0    | 0    | 38     | 6.11 |       |         |
| Postsecondary educators                            | 10                        | 19    | 6     | 2     | 1    | 0    | 0    | 38     | 5.92 |       |         |
| Business executives                                | 13                        | 22    | 2     | 1     | 0    | 0    | 0    | 38     | 6.24 |       |         |
| Other                                              | 2                         | 2     | 0     | 0     | 0    | 0    | 0    | 4      | 6.50 |       |         |
|                                                    | %                         | %     | %     | %     | %    | %    | %    | %      | %    |       |         |
| Parents                                            | 16.2%                     | 35.1% | 24.3% | 18.9% | 2.7% | 2.7% | 0.0% | 100.0% |      |       |         |
| Secondary educators                                | 36.8%                     | 47.4% | 7.9%  | 5.3%  | 2.6% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 100.0% |      |       |         |
| Postsecondary educators                            | 26.3%                     | 50.0% | 15.8% | 5.3%  | 2.6% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 100.0% |      |       |         |
| Business executives                                | 34.2%                     | 57.9% | 5.3%  | 2.6%  | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 100.0% |      |       |         |
| Other (TEA, high school counselors, policy makers) | 50.0%                     | 50.0% | 0.0%  | 0.0%  | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 100.0% |      |       |         |

**Favorite/most useful aspect of the event (n = 36)**

|                                                   | #  | %     |
|---------------------------------------------------|----|-------|
| New Economies Strategies presentation             | 15 | 41.7% |
| Ray Marshall Center presentation                  | 13 | 36.1% |
| Lunch/TG Pipeline Texas presentation (Skillpoint) | 2  | 5.6%  |
| Industry and Postsecondary panels                 | 16 | 44.4% |
| Secondary Educators panel                         | 10 | 27.8% |

Percentages for this item are of the number of persons who selected one or more of the response choices. Because some persons selected more than one, the total number of responses is larger than the number of survey respondents. Percentages are of the total number of respondents.