Educational Services Advisory Committee Minutes 1/8/2025, 10:00am Zoom meeting

**Present:** Megan Benson (BU); Jessica Philippe **Excused:** Brian D. Lee (4CLS); Laura Kuo (IC); Lauren Delaubell (SUNY Cortland); Jenny Shonk (FLLS)

## Minutes from July 31, 2024

## Updates

**Megan:** Megan is working on a proposal for AASL along with BT BOCES staff Alicia and Nikki to share their collaboration on a workshop series to prepare students for the High School to college transition.

The recent events review was shared in the meeting agenda.

Upcoming Events listed below in case you want to register or share with colleagues:

- Ask the HR Expert: New Laws in the New Year, 1/24
- Hold. Fold? Walk. Run! Dealing with Difficult Conversations, 1/28
- Creating Equitable Library Policies, 2/14
- Benefits of SCRLC's FirstSearch/WorldCat Discovery Subscription, 2/19
- Resource Sharing: ILL and Beyond Virtual Conference (with CLRC), 2/27
- Ask the HR Expert: Innovations in Employee Benefits, 2/28
- ESLN Academic Library Leadership Series: Budget Management, 3/12
- Ask the HR Expert: AI On the (GLAM) Job, 3/28
- ESLN Academic Library Leadership Series: Impactful Mentoring, 4/9
- Lunch & Learn: Occupational Stress, 4/24
- Ask the HR Expert: Open Ask HR, 4/25

## **Discussion Topics**

- We talked about generally including CE topics that are a little lighter and more fun or hands on.
- Specifically, for next year's ESLN luncheon at the NYLA conference, I mentioned possibly hosting an author talk and Megan suggested the idea of bringing in a comic.
- For the July PILLARS Conference, which focuses on the High School to College transition, the theme will be AI. Megan shared that she has used Elicit and Research Rabbit and BU will be getting 300 licenses for ChatGPT.

## Upcoming Meeting Schedule- mark your calendars!

Thursday, April 17, 2025, 10:00-11:00am (Zoom) Thursday, July 17,2025, 10:00-11:00am (in person?)