

GLR Learning Tuesdays Webinar
Scaling High Dosage Tutoring: A Strategy for Learning Loss Recovery

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Moderator, Co-Presenter and Commentator Bios

MODERATOR

John Gomperts

Former President & CEO, America's Promise Alliance



John Gomperts is a long-time leader in non-profits and government organizations devoted to civic engagement and to creating greater opportunity for children and youth. From 2012 - 2020, John served as President & CEO of America's Promise Alliance. Prior to that, John served as the Director of AmeriCorps in the Obama Administration. Earlier in his career, John worked in the US Senate (Sens. Wofford, Kerry, Daschle), practiced law and served as a judicial clerk. John earned his JD from Georgetown University Law Center and his AB in History from University of California, Berkeley. John has served on a wide range of boards including FoodCorps (Chair), Points of Light, Presidio Institute, News Literacy Project, and others.

CO-PRESENTERS

Naila Bolus

Chief Executive Officer, Jumpstart



Naila Bolus is the CEO of Jumpstart, a national early education organization that advances equitable learning outcomes for young children in underserved communities by recruiting and supporting caring adults to deliver high-quality programming to children and drive systems change through teaching, advocacy, and leadership. During Naila's tenure, Jumpstart has significantly expanded its scale and impact: increasing the number of children served annually, revising its curriculum to improve academic and social-emotional outcomes for children, and developing new programming to increase the number of high-quality early educators and influence the adoption of policies that promote equitable early education opportunities.

Lindsay Dolce

Chief Advancement Officer, Serve Minnesota and the Reading & Math Foundation



Lindsay Dolce serves as the Chief Advancement Officer for ServeMinnesota and the Reading and Math Foundation. She is responsible for leading the Development team at ServeMinnesota to secure the resources necessary to support continuous improvement and scaling of all strategic initiatives. Additionally, she is responsible for sourcing growth capital and working with emerging states to successfully start up and implement the Reading Corps, Math Corps, and Recovery Corps

models. Dolce brings extensive national and state-level advocacy and outreach experience to the position, having served as Executive Director of Serve Colorado, the state's service commission, and Colorado Reads - Colorado's Early Literacy Initiative. Dolce received her B.A. in English, Political Science and International Relations from William Jewell College, studied at St. Peter's College at Oxford University and received her Juris Doctorate from the University of Missouri.

Michelle Sioson Hyman

Senior Vice President for Programs and Partnerships, Raising a Reader



As Senior Vice President of Program and Partnerships, Michelle is responsible for overseeing program development, growth and impact. Michelle has worked within the philanthropic sector and across the public systems that are in place to support the education, health and well-being of young children. She serves as Deputy Director, Center for Early Learning at Silicon Valley Community Foundation and program officer for First 5 San Mateo and First 5 Santa Cruz Counties. Michelle has also worked directly alongside children

and families as birth support doula which has fueled her passion to ensure that family is at the center of both program and public policy decisions. Michelle earned her bachelor's degree in English and anthropology from Case Western Reserve University and her master's in public health from Yale University.

Mioshi Moses

Vice President, Experience Corps at AARP Foundation



Prior to joining AARP Foundation, Mioshi Moses served as the Executive Director of Genesys Works National Capital Region, a national workforce development social enterprise that provides life-changing work opportunities to high school students in underserved communities. Mioshi led the vision and strategy for the organization's growth in the region and promoted innovation in the program. An accomplished professional in corporate and nonprofit sectors, Mioshi's background spans

leadership and consulting positions at the Children's National Health System, Leadership Greater Washington, Booz Allen Hamilton, and Ernst & Young. She has extensive experience in organizational growth, strategic planning and implementation, and partnership development. Mioshi is also a trained attorney with a specialty in tax law.

Mioshi earned her Juris Doctorate from the George Washington University, and her bachelor's degree in economics from Spellman College.

Adeola Whitney

Chief Executive Officer, Reading Partners



Prior to being named CEO of Reading Partners, Ola provided leadership around the expansion and implementation of iMentor's college-success program, serving 10,000 pairs of students and their mentors nationally. In this role, she oversaw executive leadership and partnered with over 15 nonprofit organizations nationwide to ensure the effective application of iMentor's program. Before joining iMentor, Ola served as Reading Partners' chief regional operations officer, managing 14+ executive directors across the country. Prior to this, Ola served as executive director for Playworks for the Greater New York / Greater Newark region. Ola earned her bachelor's degree from Oberlin college where she majored in English and African-American studies.

COMMENTATOR

Michael Lombardo

Chief Executive Officer and Founder, BookNook



Michael Lombardo is the Founder & CEO of BookNook, an award-winning social enterprise that uses artificial intelligence and other adaptive technologies to support reading skill growth at school, at home, and in the community. Previously, he served as CEO of Reading Partners, building it into one of the largest children's literacy nonprofits in America and publishing seminal research on volunteer-based reading programs. A frequent author on education policy, social entrepreneurship, and nonprofit governance, Michael also serves as a Social Entrepreneur in Residence at Stanford University and is a founding Advisory Council member of the My Brother's Keeper Alliance, President Obama's signature initiative focused on supporting boys and young men of color.