

SYMPOSIUM BREAKOUT SESSION TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2022 | 12:00-1:00 PM ET

### Exploring the Role of Assessments in the Shift to Personalized, Competency-Based Learning

#### PANEL DISCUSSANTS:

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- Robin Kanaan, KnowledgeWorks
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#### **Introductions**



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## South Carolina Implementation, Assessment, and Research Context

- PCBL implementation started in 2017-18 school year, focused on professional development and coaching
- Strong partnership between KnowledgeWorks and the South Carolina DOE
   Office of Personalized Learning
- Pursuing work at 3 levels of implementation: Explore, Launch, and Lighthouse (Transform) districts

# South Carolina Assessment & Research – Emerging Path Forward

- State Impact Assessments include both formative and summative components –
  partnership with The Riley Institute through three phases: survey analytics,
  qualitative data collection and analysis, and outcomes analysis
- Continuous Quality Improvement (CQI) components as integral part of our data equity approach to democratize research, data ownership, and analytics capability – will be pursued in close partnership between KW and SC OPL
- To date, assessment and research have included qualitative data collection for PD and coaching components, an early implementers study led by The Riley Institute, and administration of PCBL implementation surveys among learners and school staff

### **Panel Discussion**

The "P/p" in PCBL: issues and considerations

Assessing a competency-based learning system

 Measuring impact on a large scale and surfacing the story of transformation







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