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Fairness Access Opportunity



Schott's Mission »

The Schott Foundation for Public Education seeks to develop and strengthen a broad-based and representative movement to achieve fully-resourced, high quality pre-kindergarten to grade 12 public education.

Message from the President/CEO »

I thank the many people who attended the welcome receptions held for me in Boston on Oct. 15 and in New York City on Oct. 22. I was moved and inspired by everyone's warm welcome and their deep commitment to improve public education--with a particular emphasis on the most vulnerable students. I am especially grateful to Paul Grogan, President and CEO of the Boston Foundation, for hosting the Boston reception at the Boston Foundation and to New York City Council Member Robert Jackson for the thoughtful remarks he gave during the New York City reception. I look forward to the work we will accomplish together as we strive to ensure fairness, opportunity and access to a high quality public education for all children.

» Early Childhood Education

Cambridge, MA – The Schott Fellowship in Early Care and Education at Cambridge College Publishes Policy Briefs Addressing Key Issues Related to Universal and High Quality Early Education in Massachusetts.

The policy briefs address critical issues that can support children and families. The information helps parents, field professionals and policy makers better understand some of the challenges and possible solutions around Massachusetts' plan for universal early education.

[Read the policy brief on health and safety.](#)

» Equity in Public Education

New York, NY - Where Will the Money Go?

Complete Campaign for Fiscal Equity (CFE) releases analysis of the proposed New York City Contract for Excellence. Read the groundbreaking report which reveals that over 40% of CFE funds intended for the neediest students in the lowest performing schools will go to already high performing schools according to the City's proposed plan for its \$258 million Contract for Excellence. Also, CFE and the Alliance for Quality Education (AQE) praise state budget proposal as "delivering on educational excellence."

[Click here to read more.](#)

[Read the policy brief on statewide assessment.](#)



Representative Leadership Development

Boston, MA - Governor of Massachusetts names Schott Fellow to Chair State Early Education Board.

Governor Deval Patrick named Schott Fellow alumna Sharon Scott-Chandler -- vice president of Action for Boston Community Development (ABCD) for Head Start and Children's Services -- to the Massachusetts' Board of Early Education and Care. She will also serve as chair of this Board.

The Schott Fellows are a group of senior early childhood leaders who come together for one year to develop policy skills and undertake a project that is timely, directly relevant and actionable to what is happening in Massachusetts.

[Click here to read more.](#)



Gender Equity

New York, NY - Schott Foundation Enters Into Strategic, \$1 Million Partnership With Deutsche Bank to Increase Recruitment of Black Male Teachers in NYC Public Schools.

The Schott Foundation for Public Education solidifies \$1 million partnership with The Deutsche Bank Americas Foundation as a part of an initiative which will develop models for recruiting and retaining African American male teachers. This first phase of the grant will be used to implement the *Teachers as Leaders* initiative -- which will expand teacher and public policy leadership opportunities for black males entering the teaching profession.

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Other News of Interest »

The Schott Foundation for Public Education wants all children to graduate from excellent and well-resourced public schools, capable of college success and full participation in a democratic society - especially children that school systems have historically failed such as poor children and children of color. We invite you to learn about and get involved in ensuring that all children experience fairness, access and opportunity in quality public schools.

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