## The Study Council at Syracuse University

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## ARTICLE I - Name: The Study Council at Syracuse University

ARTICLE II – General Purpose of the Study Council at Syracuse University is:

- 1) As part of the School of Education, Syracuse University, to promote educational improvement and to promote mutually supportive relationships between schools, school districts, educational agencies, and higher education.
- 2) To accomplish this purpose through the cooperative study of common education problems; through professional development and the stimulation of active participation of administrators; school board members, teachers, school personnel, students and the community in educational planning and activity.

**ARTICLE III – Council participation** will be confirmed by an annual program fee and consist of all participating districts.

- As Executive Committee will consist of between 15 and 19 partnership members who will be representative of the school districts and BOCES areas that participate in the Study Council. These representatives will advise the School of Education on all Council matters. New committee members will be recommended for membership on the Executive Committee by current members of the Executive Council.
- 2) Two representatives from the School of Education assigned by the Dean of the School of Education will be part of the Executive Committee. One will be a faculty member.
- 3) The Executive Committee partnership members advise the School of Education and their responsibilities may include:
  - a) Identifying problems and/or interests within the total Council population
  - b) Acting as a 'sounding board' for council members
  - c) Serving as a communication or liaison agent for the Council of the School of Education.
  - d) Recommending Council programs and projects to the School of Education.
  - e) Meeting regularly to take action on necessary decisions for the good of the Council, its member districts and the School of Education.

## **ARTICLE IV – Executive Committee Officers**

- 1) Election of Officers
  - The officers of the Executive Committee are President and Vice President
  - Officers will be elected by the Executive Committee
  - Officers serve in an advisory capacity to the School of Education Dean's representative who directs the Study Council at Syracuse University