



# ECB Policy Conference Evaluation Results

(Based on 51 evaluation forms)

## A - ECB Goals for this Policy Conference

Circle the number which best reflects your opinion for each question using the scale — 1 = not at all; 2 = a small amount; 3 = somewhat; 4 = to a great extent.

	<u>Average Score</u>	<u>% Responses</u>
1. To what extent did you learn about the policy issues related to:		<b>3 &amp; 4</b>
a. NCLB-driven accountability and student performance? .....	3.2	78%
b. Value Added Assessment?.....	3.4	86%
c. Status and impact of the CFE court case? .....	3.2	75%
d. Fiscal accountability in public schools?.....	2.3	41%
2. To what extent were you able to engage in meaningful discussion about policy issues with other conference attendees? .....	2.8	63%
3. To what extent was your knowledge of the Educational Conference Board increased? .....	3.0	68%

## B - Effectiveness of Conference Program Elements

Circle the number which best reflects your rating of the effectiveness of the program elements using the scale — 1 = not effective; 2 = minimally effective; 3 = somewhat effective; 4 = very effective.

	<u>Average Score</u>	<u>% Responses</u>
1. Keynote speakers:		<b>3 &amp; 4</b>
a. Ira Schwartz.....	3.7	94%
b. Dr. William Sanders .....	3.4	92%
c. Michael Rebell .....	3.4	85%
d. Mark Pattison.....	2.2	37%
2. Small group discussion facilitators .....	2.6	56%
3. Conference Schedule, Location, and Accommodations:		
a. Time of conference – December.....	3.2	84%
b. Length of the conference – one day .....	3.5	92%
c. Location of the conference – Crowne Plaza, Albany .....	3.4	90%
d. Conference facilities and food.....	3.3	92%

## C - Affiliation

1. ECB membership groups - please circle your group

NEA-NY	NYSASBO	NYSPTA	NYSCOSS	NYSSBA	NYSUT	SAANYS
5%	2%	16%	5%	19%	25%	14%

2. Other organizations and groups: **24%**