



# Middle leaders, pedagogy and wellbeing workshop

Wednesday 6 November 2024, 9.00am-4.00pm | Online by ZOOM

Professional learning for K-12 teachers and middle leaders



## Develop your leadership skills in your central role as a middle leader and support teachers and students in your school in pedagogy and wellbeing.

Middle leaders in schools have the capacity to directly influence pedagogical approaches and practises that enhance student outcomes whilst supporting the wellbeing of students and colleagues. At the same time, the role of middle leaders in schools is not always certain or consistent.

Presenters Christine Grice and Fiona Davies have worked alongside middle leaders and recognise a growing need to connect middle leadership and pedagogy with wellbeing for the benefit of student outcomes. At the same time, they are aware that there are enablers and constraints in schools for developing these leadership skills in order for middle leaders to play a central role in leading pedagogy and wellbeing effectively.

### PRESENTERS

**Dr Christine Grice** is a Senior Lecturer in Educational Leadership at the University of Sydney. She is also a former school principal and middle leader. Her research focus is on leading learning and the practices of pedagogical leadership for school leaders.

**Dr Fiona Davies** is a Clinical and Organisational Psychologist working with Dr Christine Grice at the University of Sydney. She has worked in a leadership position in organisational development, in implementation research, and as a Clinical Psychologist with adults, children and adolescents. She has a special interest in wellbeing at work.

### Session outlines:

1. The expansive roles of middle leaders: what do you do, what could you do?
2. Wellbeing – what is wellbeing and what can you do to increase it? What is the role of leaders in this area and why is it important?
3. Connecting pedagogy and wellbeing through job crafting - how can you make work more engaging and prevent burnout? Why is this worth your time as a leader?
4. Developing your leadership capability
5. Middle leaders and agency: how to make a difference in your school
6. Leading beyond the middle: advocating for your team and for your students

*This workshop is suitable for K-12 teachers and middle leaders.*

### Registration & fees

\$330 per person (GST Incl). Includes full-day online workshop and electronic resources bundle.

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