**REGION TO REGION EXCHANGE**

November 14, 2019 2:00pm EST

Attendees:

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**GEOGRAPHIC UNITS INTERACTION WITH INSTITUTES**

* Carl Sutter (Region 3) is contacting the Institute Chapters to inform them of the activities in their Region.
* Ali Mustapha (Region 5) said the Louisiana Section has 4 Institute Chapters who they work closely with. They share speakers and have Institute reps come to the Section meetings and Section reps attend the Institute meetings. The Louisiana Section is also signing an MOU for a UESI Institute.
* Matt Roblez (Region 8) The Utah Section invites the Institute Chapter to every Board meeting and Institute members also serve on the Section Board. The Section provides funding to the Institute Chapter.
* LTC is holding a Best Practice Institute Breakout at the MRLC’s.
* Bobbie Shields (Region 4) The North Carolina is reviewing an MOU to create an UESI Institute Chapter.
* Darren Hippenstiel (Region 8) The Region signed an MOU to have a UESI Chapter in Canada.

**REGION COMMITTEES**

* Some Regions have grants to help facilitate Section Government Relations activities such as Report Cards.
* Region 1 developed a Communications Committee and a Student Member Committee. They recruited volunteers for these committees at the Assembly meetings.

**CRIES FOR HELP**

* Region 1 helps support Section/Branch/Student Chapter activities through grants

**STUDENT ENGAGEMENT**

* Illinois students are engaged when the opportunity rises to interact with members who may be seeking employment. Arrange for resume review activities, mentoring programs with social activities.
* Southern Idaho Section is thinking about having a “Plan” reading course.
* Southern Idaho Section Section is sponsoring expenses for students to attend Assemblies.

**FUTURE WORLD VISION**

* Regions are encouraging their members to check out the activities on the FWV web site.