Non-traditional No More: Policy Solutions for Adult Learners
Financing/Financial Aid Working Group Agenda
Dennis Jones, facilitator

SCHEDULE
10:15 am – 12:00 pm Work Session #1
12:00 – 1:00 pm Lunch
1:00 – 1:45 pm Work Session #2

- Greetings and Introductions
- Review of tasks and products expected from the day’s activities
- Review of the project’s goals
- Discussion of “definitions”
  - Non-traditional student, adult student, and ready adult
- A basic primer on higher education finance
- The Guts of the Day – Gap Analysis and Solutions
  - Revisit and Possibly Redefine the Gaps
  - Discuss Possible Solutions
    - Within Today’s Reality
    - Pie in the Sky
    - Prioritizing the Change Agenda
  - Bringing it all together
    - Prioritizing data needs
    - Prioritizing policy change needs
    - Prioritizing financial resource needs and possibilities