

As a nonprofit leader, you know how important it is to strengthen your team's capabilities, so you can be more effective, equitable, innovative, and sustainable. But with limited time and resources, it can be challenging to identify and leverage the right capacity building approaches and providers. That's where Catalyst:Ed comes in. As a member of our nonprofit community, you will have full access to our team's expertise, so you can intentionally plan for your capacity needs and make progress on critical priorities. ultimately transforming your organizational practices, systems, and culture, to better serve students, families, and communities.

### Why join the Catalyst:Ed Nonprofit Community?

- **Trusted Advisors:** Our team brings deep expertise in equity-centered capacity-building as well as experience in the education and nonprofit sectors.
- **Broad Expert Network:** Our diverse network includes nationally known organizations, research entities, and leaders with deep knowledge of issues and communities.
- **Equity Focus:** We have a diverse team and a commitment to equity that shows up in all our work.

### How the Membership Works

As a member of Catalyst:Ed's nonprofit community, you will have access to:

- **Unlimited access to our signature matching service** without the per project matching fee
- **A dedicated Capacity Advisor** who will serve as a thought partner and connector as you move along your organizational capacity-building journey
- **Access to member-only tools and webinars** to help you broaden your network and get the most out of coaching and consulting partnerships

### How You Benefit



#### Get Stuff Done

Quickly and proactively access talent for your biggest needs



#### Use Resources Wisely

Invest time and money in projects that maximize your impact



#### Work With The Right Provider

Identify vetted providers who are the right fit for your needs



#### Embed Equity in Your Work

Infuse equity principles across all your projects

### About Catalyst:Ed

Catalyst:Ed is a national nonprofit that helps education agencies and nonprofits build capacity and deepen their impact by connecting them to the expertise, resources, and hands-on support they need to drive transformational outcomes for students, especially those from underserved communities. Schools, systems, and nonprofits connect with our diverse expert network of vetted education leaders and technical assistance providers to access critical knowledge and insights and power organizational learning and capacity building. Key elements of our work include:

- **Activate:** We build and activate diverse networks of expert talent
- **Connect:** We leverage networks, know-how and technology to connect education leaders with the right support
- **Inform:** We capture and disseminate insights to build sector knowledge.

**The Catalyst:Ed Provider Network** is a coalition of 830+ mission-aligned organizations and individuals with deep expertise and experience relevant to schools, systems, and other education organizations. Providers range from large, nationally known organizations to smaller, regional teams and independent consultants. All network members go through a rigorous three-step vetting process (applications, interviews, references).

**Since 2020, more than 1,000 education organizations around the country have used our help to access expertise for their mission-critical projects, with 94% of projects meeting or exceeding their goals.**