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## **State K-12 Facilities Officials Partner at EDspaces 2020**

(Silver Spring, MD) — The [Education Market Association \(EDmarket\)](#) is pleased to announce that the National Council on School Facilities (NCSF) will be partnering with EDmarket to hold their annual meeting at [EDspaces](#), November 11-13, 2020 at the Charlotte Convention Center in North Carolina.

The NCSF annual meeting is an invitation-only gathering of state-level K-12 public school-facilities directors to learn about recent research and advance PK-12 facilities best practices for state and federal policy, budget, and standards.

“We are excited that this year our members will have the opportunity to attend educational sessions at EDspaces and become familiar with current trends in school design so crucial to upgrading schools,” says Mary Filardo, Executive Director of NCSF. “There is a lot of synergy between our two groups of key decisionmakers focused on improving learning environments.”

“We are honored that NCSF has chosen EDspaces as the home of their 2020 annual meeting,” says Jim McGarry, President/CEO. “These important public school officials add incredible value to the conversation surrounding the impact of space on student outcomes.”

The NCSF annual meeting will be integrated into EDspaces to allow for maximum interaction between the two groups. NCSF will share a “state of the states” reporting with EDspaces attendees interested in finding out what’s on the minds of state facility directors on Tuesday, November 10 during a pre-conference session in addition to facilitating a discussion on what stakeholders can do to secure sustained federal support for PK-12 buildings and grounds on Thursday, November 12.

**About EDspaces:** *EDspaces is the premiere event to explore how the convergence of pedagogy, space and technology combined with innovation affects facility design and use and, ultimately, student outcomes. Learn more at [www.ed-spaces.com](http://www.ed-spaces.com)*