

# FEBRUARY 2019 NETWORK CONNECTION MEETING: **SCHOOL START, CAREER SMART**



The goal of this graphic is to share highlights from the network connection meeting. See relevant resources in our upcoming March 2019 Newsletter!

## CO-HOST SPOTLIGHT:

### Boston School Finder

BSF launched their new & improved website! With the goal of increasing accessibility for parents, the website is now available in **eight languages** and includes a **glossary of key terms** often found in the school searching process.



RESOURCE HIGHLIGHT: SCHOOL VISIT CHECKLIST

It can be hard to know what to look for when you visit. So BSF has put together a list of questions and a checklist that may be helpful. Click on the clipboard to check it out!



### ABCD Youth Services

ABCD came to the table with an abundance of resources for young Bostonians to gain **employment experience**, earn a **paycheck**, and **explore career options!**

EXPLORE ABCD'S YOUTH PROGRAMS BELOW

WorkSMART

SummerWorks

Career Explorations

Future Protectors Initiative

### Celebrating Black History Month

In recognition of Black History Month, we opened the Meeting with Ella's Song, a tribute to Ella Baker performed by Sweet Honey in the Rock. Haji Shearer (Boston Basics,) then shared selected poems from poet Dudley Randall.

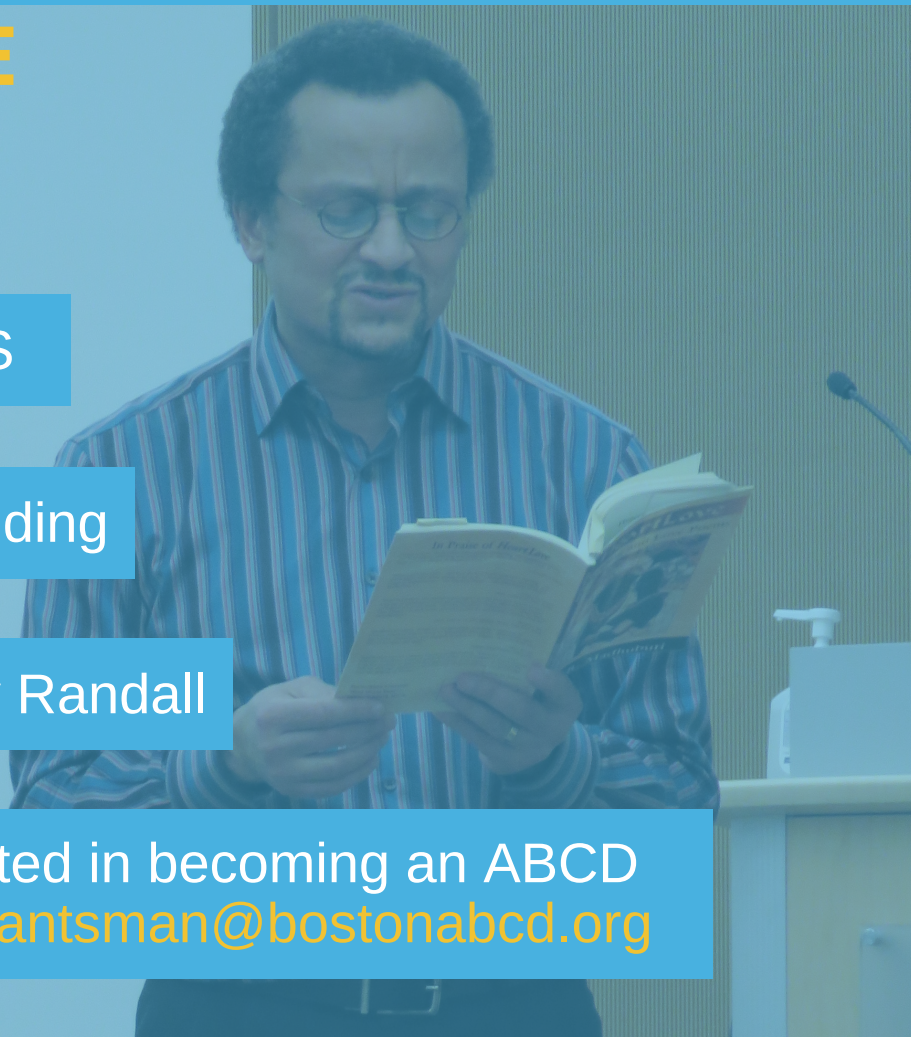
## CONTINUING THE CONVERSATION:

Learn more about BuildBPS

Advocate for fair school funding

Read more work by Dudley Randall

Is your organization interested in becoming an ABCD work site? Contact: [Yuliya.lantsman@bostonabcd.org](mailto:Yuliya.lantsman@bostonabcd.org)



*To me young people come first, they have the courage where we fail  
And if I can, shed some light as they carry us through the gale.*



ELLA'S SONG - DR. BERNICE JOHNSON REAGON

UPCOMING MARCH NETWORK CONNECTION MEETING:  
*Recruitment and Retention Strategies: Parent Involvement at Every Step*

RSVP here!