



State Collaborative on Assessment and Student Standards (SCASS)  
**Formative Assessment for Students and Teachers (FAST)**  
 October 23-24, 2008  
 Sheraton Nashville Downtown  
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### Meeting Objectives

- Enjoy lively and productive conversations, share information and ideas, and advance our community of practice;
- Engage in substantive professional and leadership development, including sessions by invited speakers addressing specific areas of focus;
- Review and adopt the 2008-09 Charter; identify potential state policies and strategies to support formative assessment: consider potential activities associated with 2009 National Conference; share state updates; and
- Discussion possible agenda items for the Winter meeting.

### Meeting Agenda

———— Thursday October 23, 2008 ————

Time	Activity/Topic	Room
7:00 – 8:30 a.m.	Registration and Buffet Breakfast	
8:30 – 9:00 a.m.	Welcome and Introductions - Duncan MacQuarrie	
9:00 – 10:00 a.m.	SCASS Evaluation and Directions – Bob Olsen	
10:00 – 10:30 a.m.	Break & Networking – All	
10:30 – 11:30 a.m.	FAST Charter Review/Adoption – Duncan •	
11:30 - Noon	TILSA Interim Assessment Paper Review – Bob	
Noon – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch – All	
1:00 – 2:00 p.m.	• FAST States Update – Each State •	
2:00 – 2:45 p.m.	Formative Assessment State Survey Results – Duncan	
2:45 – 3:15 p.m.	Break & Networking – All	
3:15 – 4:30 p.m.	Implications from State Updates and Survey Results – Bob & Duncan	
4:30 – 5:00 p.m.	Daily Review – Bob	
5:00 p.m.	Adjourn for day	

———— Friday October 24, 2008 ————

Time	Activity/Topic	Room
7:00 – 8:30 a.m.	Registration and Buffet Breakfast	
8:30 – 9:15 a.m.	Specification/Requirements for Technology to Support FA - Bob	
9:15 – 10:00 a.m.	Reflections on '08 National Conference – Implications for FAST work - Bob	
10:00 – 10:30 a.m.	Break & Networking - All	

**———— Friday October 24, 2008 Continued ————**

10:30 - Noon	Generating & Implementing Effective State Policies to Support FA – Bob
Noon – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch – All
1:00 – 2:00 p.m.	Generating & Implementing Effective State Policies to Support FA – continued - Bob
2:00 – 3:00 p.m.	FAST Action Steps & Priorities – Bob & Duncan
3:00 – 3:15 p.m.	FAST Winter Meeting Planning – Bob
3:30 p.m.	Meeting Adjourn