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Raising Expectations by Closing Schools that Fail

Read about how a change in Texas law had a direct, transformative effect on the quality of charter schools in the Lone Star state. This case study is part of our ongoing work to ramp up the quantity and quality of state-specific information available on our website and expands on the “Case Study in Brief on Texas,” released as part of our *2015 State Policy Analysis*.

Getting Out of the Bunker

While we might be peace-loving, many of us fall back on war metaphors when we talk about our work. Gail Greely is no exception. As she says, "Wars are about life and death, and education is about life and death for kids. It really is."

Watch or read (or both!) Part 2 of this California authorizer's thoughts on her armor, getting out of the bunker, and the boot camp she's developing—all to make sure kids get to go to good schools.

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OPPORTUNITIES

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Kingsman Academy,
Washington, D.C.

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Alliance College-Ready Public Schools,
Los Angeles

Special Education Coordinator
Monument Academy Public Charter School,
District of Columbia

DC Scholars PCS School Director (Middle School)
Scholar Academies,
Philadelphia

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Clear Education

No, There is no Charter School 'Bubble'
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