



**Ohio Association of Private Colleges for Teacher Education
Friday, August 15, 2014
Mount Vernon Nazarene University's Columbus-New Albany Site
5150 E. Dublin-Granville Road
Suite 120
Westerville, OH 43081**

Minutes August 15, 2014

Attendance

In Columbus: Baldwin-Wallace – Karen Kaye; CWR – Denise Davis; Capital – Jennifer Faison-Hodge; Heidelberg – Heidelberg – Robert Swanson; Lake Erie – Carol Ramsay; Marietta – Dottie Erb; Mt. Vernon Nazarene U. – Sharon Metcalf, Damon Osborne; Muskingum U. – Rae White; Notre Dame – Carol Ziegler; North Central State – TEACH – Teri Brannum; OBR – Melissa Cardenas, Matt Exline; OCCRRA – Donna Ruhland; ODE- John Soloninka; Ohio Dominican – JoAnn Hohenbrink; ONU – Sandy Calvert; Ohio Wesleyan – Amy McClure; Otterbein –Mary Lavin Crerand; Willmington – Martha Hendricks; Xavier – Sally Barnhart, Mark Meyers;

GoToMeeting: Sarah Cecire; Josh Francis; Harrison Collier, Jennnifer Shutt, Julie McIntosh, Katie Kinnucan-Welsch; Linda Billman; Ruth Riato, Catherine Rosemary, John Galovic, Gayle Trollinger, Rhoda Summers

Mark Meyer's called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. The session was projected through GoTo Meeting.

Introduction of Dr. Doug Fiorei, new Dean of Education, Ashland University

Mark Meyer called the meeting to order at 10:15 am.

Updates

No report from **AICUO**

Emily Tully

Ohio Board of Regents

Melissa Cardenas

1. Ohio Board of Regents
 - o Program Review –
 - CurricUNET
 - Initial program inquiries need to be sent by August 18, 2014
 - Proposals and documents due September 2, 2014 by 5 pm
 - Do not press submit button until cleared by OBR
 - Watch for new requirement for licensure name and licensure code
 - o If program is a dual license, select the two areas separately

- Let them know if need for name clarification for college/university
 - Log in even if not submitting in fall
 - Spring date for submission will be February 1 – 28
 - Rebecca will decide whether this will continue with specific dates or whether there may be rolling submissions
- Performance Report
 - General and Schedule
 - Redesign of the overall system and menus
 - EPPs will be able to download their own survey results
 - Those in summer student teaching can receive the survey
 - Webinars will begin next: two 30 minute sessions for quick reviews
 - One hour sessions for those who are new to the system
 - Possible webinar on technical assistance to find data on graduates – the person on campus who manipulates the OBR/ODE files
 - MRS System – data collection dates
 - Schedule coming out next week
 - MRS Report will be due October 31, 2014. MRS opens August 20
 - Deadline will be a hard deadline
 - Staff updates
 - Shane DeGarmo leaving OBR next Friday
 - Stephanie McCann moving to Shane’s position
 - Matt Exline moving to Madeline Smith’s position
 - Melissa Cardenas leaving August 29, 2014 and going to Bowling Green State University

2. ODE Announcements

John Soloninka

- Lori Lofton replaced by Julia Simmerer who comes from Standards Board
- Remind all new teachers and principals that they are supposed to have a mentor
- There should be a program coordinator for the mentors and new resident educators
- Resident Educators need to pass the RESA

3. Resident Educator License Renewal

- End of this year, June 2015 the Resident Educator license can expire
- For those teachers with a Resident Educator license who have successfully completed all required stages, they will move to Professional license
- Others who have not passed will have other options: Advance, Extend, or Renew
 - By January 1, 2015 applications will be available for extension or renewal process
 - Decisions need to be made about the resident educator’s progress to date
 - John described some possibilities for “back” registration for some of their work. That is handled on an individual basis.
 - Problem if the person/teacher never obtained a job. Jennifer Kangas’s Office is working on any new requirements for renewal.
 - Jennifer will come to OAPCTE next time.

- Remind Resident Educators of their responsibilities to progress through the Resident Educator Program. Teachers MUST also have a SAFE account. That account must be up to date.
- RESA.com is the place to obtain information on the Resident Educator Program and all the requirements. Resident Educators need to do five tasks. John pointed out that the importance of effective and accurate academic writing for their RESA. There will be clarity in guidelines about what program coordinators can and cannot do. RESA results will be delayed in efforts to validate and establish reliability.
- 4. Questions surfaced regarding community schools and aspects. The State is still clarifying questions regarding community schools/Charter schools.
- 5. OAEs are up and running
 - Concern about integrated Math and Integrated Social Studies. State had scores reduced. Official score remains the same. This was a mathematical calculation.
 - Small group working group looking at standards for MCE and the MCE tests. Rebecca Watts is gathering this group.
- 6. MCE licensure allows a teacher candidate to be licensed in one area but they must be prepared in two areas. There is not end target date for this option.
- 7. edTPA – no update
 - Question about edTPA as a licensure requirement
 - The Technical Committee has still not received all the data that they have requested
 - Once the Technical Committee makes up their mind, the State will move on the edTPA
 - EPPs might want to make a recommendation to the Standards Board re: edTPA
- 8. Race to the Top Funds – At the end of September 2014. RtT officially ends. Though the funding is over, money is left over in the State of Ohio. The districts have the money. The State/ODE has some money that they will funnel into the evaluation systems in place as well as the principal mentorship program.
- 9. 2017 – new requirement for ECE and MCE teacher candidates. These new teachers need to take a reading test as part of initial license. Pearson is designing a totally new reading test for the elementary level. Then these candidates will be qualified for the Third Grade Reading Guarantee.

Business Meeting

- President’s Remarks Mark Meyers
- Approval of June Minutes Carol Ziegler
 - Carol pointed out an error in the date. That error will be changed. We will approved minutes in September.
- Treasurer’s Report Sally Barnhart
 - Sally proposed paying for 20 scholarships for new faculty members who might come to the fall OCTEO Conference. Denise Davis made a motion that we approve the proposal. Rae seconded. The motion passed. EPPs need to send name to Sally Barnhart. The individual needs to then register online.
 - Daemon Osborne made a motion to accept the Treasurer’s Report and Carol Ramsay seconded. The Treasurer’s Report was approved.
- Old Business/Updates
 - Advocacy Committee Retreat
 - Rae White entertained any questions. The report was distributed with the agenda.
 - Remember to keep VPASA and President in the loop about NCTQ and any data requests from outside groups.

- Rae also pointed out that TfA continues to bring their teacher candidates to the State House to represent the TfA program.
 - CAEP Standards Amy McClure
 - Amy has been part of AACTE phone calls to clarify needs in the CAEP accreditation process
 - Amy requested specific information regarding “burning issues” in the CAEP accreditation process so that she and AACTE can navigate the challenges
 - Question arose about validity and reliability in light of INTASC standards. The INTASC Standards are challenging.
 - CAEP has not institutional memory because everyone is new.
 - Major concern about the lack of rubrics for each of the standards. Otherwise the process becomes very subjective and non-quantitative.
 - Concerns about the kind of data that is not related to teacher education
 - We do need to have some follow-up that we choose regarding our graduates. Mark reiterated the necessity of that secondary element to collect data on our graduates. The State level is pushing for this level of data.
 - CAEP responses are not consistent in light of the same questions.
 - Program Review with Feedback Update Mike Smith
 - Updates/Summer Activities to Support CAEP All
 - Mark sees the possibility of local work to support each other in the accreditation process. We need a discussion about assessments and assessment systems.
 - We need to create action steps that will help all of us move forward.
 - By the time an EPP has a site visit, the need for assistance is long past
 - Mark will convene sub-groups in the fall
 - Mark wants to build a directory for those in various roles at various EPPS, i.e., assessment coordinator, EPP Certification Officer, or CAEP Chair etc.
 - Remember, the new teachers receive their licensure number immediately upon the State’s acceptance. They just need the number when they are in schools applying for jobs. The districts can just click and see the license.
- New Business/Other
 - Karen Kaye distributed a survey regarding EPPs use of various data collection systems. Mark will distribute to those attending online.

Meeting adjourned at 12:20 pm

Next meeting is **Friday, September 12, 2014**