



Ohio Association of Private Colleges for Teacher Education

Wednesday, March 4, 2015

General and Executive Board Meeting at the OCTEO Conference

Embassy Salon

Dublin, Ohio

5:00-6:30 p.m.

Minutes

Participants: Yvonne Allen (Notre Dame), Mary Lou Andrews (U Dayton), Nancy Baird (Notre Dame), Sally Barnhart (Xavier), Sandra Beam (Cincinnati Christian), Linda Bigham (Mt Union), Matthew Brock (Wooster), Sarah Cecire (Bluffton), Harrison Collier (Mt St. Joseph), Sue Corbin (Notre Dame), Mary Lavin Crerand (Otterbein), Denise Davis (Case) Melissa Edgehouse (Mt Union), Jeremy Ervin (Cedarville), Cindy Gayer (Cedarville), Martha Hendricks (Wilmington), Gary Jacobs (Walsh), Karen Jones (Heidelberg), Julie Kugler Acley (Xavier), Ian MacGregor (Defiance), Amy McClure (Ohio Wesleyan), Sharon Metcalfe (Mt Vernon Nazarene), Mark Meyers (Xavier), Judith Monseur (Antioch), Damon Osborne (Mt Vernon Nazarene), Tanya Pucella (Marietta), Carol Ramsay (Lake Erie), Cathy Rosemary (John Carroll), Richard Santoro (Mt St. Joseph), Michael Smith (Lourdes), Jennifer Shutt (Wooster), Jean Sternad (Ursuline), Jeannie VonDeylen (Defiance), Katie Kinnucan-Welsch (U Dayton), Rae White (Muskingum), Caro Ziegler (Notre Dame)

I. Opening Remarks – Mark Meyers called the meeting order at 5:32

II. Updates

- a. Minutes from the October meeting. Damon Osborne made a motion to accept the October 2014 minutes Carol Ramsay seconded. The October 2014 minutes were approved. Last year's Spring OAPCTE/ March Minutes (2014) were reviewed. Damon Osborne made a motion to accept the March 2014 minutes. Sally Barnhart seconded. The March 2014 minutes were approved.
- b. Sally presented the updated Treasurer's report
 - Balance is \$11,736.86
 - A motion was made by Damon Osborne to accept the report. Mike Smith seconded. The Treasurer's Report was approved.

III. Business

- a. edTPA and the Educator Standards Board (ESB)
 - Clarity on local use – Higher eds may use the materials without charging students for the edTPA
 - A discussion ensued noting that edTPA only looks at the impact of teaching on two students rather than entire class. This is a concern for student teachers and for accreditation. Task 3 in edTPA is not enough for accreditation. The question will be raised in the SCALE session tomorrow.

- A question was raised about the percentage of the student teaching grade that is allotted to edTPA.
 - Program requirement in some higher ed institutions. The edTPA is required but a benchmark grade is not set. Student teachers must pass the edTPA.
 - Thirteen institutions present today count the edTPA for a range of 25% – 60% of student teaching grade.
 - Another 10 institutions use edTPA as a program requirement. Students must pass but the edTPA assessment is not a portion of the student teaching grade.
 - Three highlights
 - Price is going to rise for edTPA
 - Pearson and Ohio hope institutions to use edTPA to make decisions for program change
 - All institutions should have the validity and reliability requirements from CAEP
- Note that ETS is creating a performance assessment for student teachers that also involves the cooperating teacher.
- A question arose about the use of various platforms to convey the edTPA to Pearson. A number of institutions use platforms like: Chalk & Wire, Tk20, or TaskStream, and others
- Institutions that confirm continued national scoring – 14 (25 of 37 private institutions present at OCTEO) 56% of those present 38% of total private institutions confirming
- Institutions continued local scoring - 6 (24% private institutions present confirmed local scoring)
- Institutions still making a decision – 5 (20% private institutions present still making decisions)
- NOTE: 12 private EPPs (32 % of total private institutions in Ohio) were not present at meeting today
- Some institutions are getting the edTPA fee on the student teachers' financial aid package

b. Questions concerning CAEP

- A Crisis of Confidence vote took place at AACTE regarding CAEP accreditation. Five concerns were raised.
 - a) The CAEP Standards
 - b) The planned accreditation process
 - c) Costs associated with accreditation
 - d) Capacity issues at CAEP in regard to the accreditation process
 - e) Concerns about the governance structure
- The pre-conference at AACTE regarding CAEP was not well received.
- Mark Meyers re-issued the request to verify each institution's CAEP date.
- CAEP is having trouble filling in positions to oversee the CAEP visits. They do not have enough individuals to review the required assessments.
- This crisis could open the door for NCTQ to assume accrediting responsibilities
- Each institution might want to focus on best practice and pedagogical professional responsibilities that you need to communicate to candidates.

c. RESA Updates

- ODE is granting a one-year extension for year.

- The two year extension has a cost
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- d. Spring OAPCTE Elections
- Gary Jacobs was added to the ballot for Secretary
 - Cathy Rosemary was added for the Northeast District. Julie Ackley was added for the Southwest District.
 - Election results for 2015 – 2017 terms:
 - a) Secretary – Gary Jacobs (Walsh)
 - b) Northwest - Mike Smith (Lourdes)
 - c) Northeast – Cathy Rosemary (John Carroll)
 - d) Southeast – Amy McClure (Ohio Wesleyan)
 - e) Southwest – Harrison Collier (Mount St. Joseph)
 - f) At Large – Karen Kaye (Baldwin-Wallace) and Dottie Erb (Marietta)
- e. Day on the Square updates
- f. A brief discussion surfaced regarding GoToMeeting. Mark will look into the price increase so that all who want to participate can be accommodated. Mark reminded members to use his cell if they have trouble logging into the meeting. Cell phone for Mark Meyers: 513-240-3133.

The meeting adjourned at Adjourn by 6:35 pm