

## *News from the Office of Educator Preparation*

---

### **New Forms!**

The UTEC Forms Subcommittee has been working diligently. New forms to be implemented THIS SEMESTER include:

1. Student teaching 3-way conference midterm and summative evaluation form
2. Student teaching disposition midterm and summative evaluation form
3. Admission to the program disposition rubric (new requirement in Ohio)

See your program manager or your program Buckeye Box for a copy of the form.

### **NCATE/CAEP Accreditation Update**

The Office of Educator Preparation is in the process of collecting data for the 2015 NCATE/CAEP accreditation visit. Thank you to those who have already responded to surveys and inquiries. Other individuals and departments will likely be receiving requests for information from our office in the coming months. If you have any questions about the process, please do not hesitate to contact Dr. Erica Brownstein at [brownstein.2@osu.edu](mailto:brownstein.2@osu.edu).

### **State of Ohio Educator Performance Report**

The 2013 Educator Preparation Program Performance Reports are now posted. These reports have data about each program that is reported to the state. To see the report for The Ohio State University Ed Prep Unit and for most initial licensure programs, click [here](#).

### **OATE Award Nominations**

It is time to think about nominating a colleague for a much deserved award! The OATE (Ohio Association of Teacher Educators) sponsors several awards: Outstanding Cooperating Teacher, College Supervisor, Mentor, Student Teacher, and Field Experience Program. The Martha Alcock Award for Outstanding Research/Scholarship and Distinguished Service to OATE are also awarded. Access the applications [here](#). Please submit nomination materials by February 14th to: Crystal Ratican at [clratican@ysu.edu](mailto:clratican@ysu.edu).

### **Tk20 Update**

Representatives from TK20 made a visit to the Columbus Campus last week to outline and detail upcoming product features and releases and to gather input from administrators and staff. Future summits will include a larger audience.

The next release of TK20 is due this summer, and includes improvements to: student and faculty user interface, reporting capability, and accreditation management tools; and better integration with external data sources.

### **Staff Spotlight**

The Office of Educator Preparation would like to introduce Casey Clarridge, the Education Assessment Data Coordinator. She uploads rubrics and assessments into TK20, handles enrollment of students in Professional Development Courses, and is the background check contact in the Office of Educator Preparation. Please refer questions pertaining to background checks to [clarridge.7@osu.edu](mailto:clarridge.7@osu.edu), or phone (614)292-2742. Background check walk-in hours are 8-11 a.m., and 1-4:00 p.m. Welcome Casey!



### **Correction**

In the January 17, 2014 edition of *News from the Office of Educator Preparation*, there was an error to the Background Check link for the Columbus campus. To access the correct link, click [here](#).

### **More Information**

Up to date information is available on our website at <http://go.osu.edu/edPrep> on topics such as assessments, background checks, OSU Ed Prep Conceptual Framework, field placement, licensure, and Tk20. The newsletters will be archived there as well.

We are interested in news from your area. Please send to [boger.7@osu.edu](mailto:boger.7@osu.edu)

To unsubscribe from this publication, please click [here](#) and type unsubscribe in the subject line or email [boger.7@osu.edu](mailto:boger.7@osu.edu).