



University Teacher Education Council (UTEC)

June 6, 2014

OSU Faculty Club, Rooms A, B, C

Minutes June 2014

Present: Mollie Blackburn, Richard Blatti, Erica Brownstein, Caroline Clark, Alexis Collier, Steven Fink, Howard Greene, Garrett Heysel, Alan Kalish, Peter March, Greg Rose, Gary Straquadine, Mindy Wright, Andy Zircher

Absent/excused: Cheryl Achterberg, Eric Anderman, Diane Birckbichler, Patti Brosnan, Moira Konrad, William MacDonald, James Moore, Susan Olesik, Randy Smith, Debbie Smith-Shank

1. Greeting and introductions
 - Welcome by Erica Brownstein
 - Introductions
2. New Business
 - Developed Module I which addresses state-wide requirements for all licensure areas such as the Ohio Professional Development Standards, Ohio Standards for the Teaching Profession, Ohio Resident Educator Program, and Ohio Operating Standards
 - It is complete and has been well received throughout the state
 - Will be shared with other IHEs what components to be re-branded
 - Fits with our land grant mission to serve the State of Ohio
 - Module II: Dyslexia Module
 - Is also being developed in iTunes U and addresses the new state curriculum requirements for dyslexia for all initial licenses. Those programs with a 12 hour reading core (early childhood education, middle childhood education, and intervention specialists) address those dyslexia standards in the phonics course. All other initial licensure programs will take Module II.
 - When completed, will be shared with the public and private IHEs in Ohio
 - New CAEP requirements
 - Assessments must be valid and reliable
 - Race to the Top funds (\$149K) will be used to develop valid and reliable instruments for initial licensure programs at the Unit level and for specific individual programs, starting with secondary mathematics (AYA Math)
 - Public and private institutions have been invited to join and work will begin this summer
3. Old Business
 - NCATE/CAEP Spring 2015 visit update
 - Official date is April 25-29
 - Debriefing occurs on Wednesday April 29, 2014
 - They will read our initial report in September 2014 and then the final report will be submitted December 2014
 - Agenda will be set by the visiting committee in December 2014
 - Data requests will continue to be collected over summer, with further data collected through December
 - Gates Subcommittee Report: Recommendation for UTEC Appeals Subcommittee
 - Review of handouts
 - Should be endorsed by UTEC to become effective autumn 2014 semester
 - UTEC committee will correspond with Erica about any needed changes and approve via e-mail by July 1, 2014
 - Document will be given to Randy Smith for further university review



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- University edTPA data results and handbook changes (handout)
 - Opportunities for improvement are seen in Rubric 13: Student Use of Feedback, and Rubric 14: Analyzing Students' Language Use and Learning
 - The SUEd (State University Education Deans) meeting expressed concerns about special education results, especially in the moderate to intensive licensure area. There is a consideration that the assessment may lack a match to this area
We are performing well above the state average
- 4. Future agenda items
 - Survey of employers and alumni
 - Student program booklet
 - Loan default rate for completers
 - Program fees
 - Tripod P-12 Student Survey
- 5. Next meeting: Friday, August 1, 2014 (no July meeting)