

SUED Minutes April 14, 2010

Present: Carine Feyten (Miami University), Melissa Chase (Miami University), Teresa McGowan (Miami University), Roz Hammond (Bowling Green State University), Becky Pissanos (Bowling Green State University), Joanne Arhar (Kent State University), Renee Middleton (Ohio University), Cheryl Acterberg (The Ohio State University), Paul Madden (Shawnee State University), Mark Shermis (University of Akron), Karen Herrington (University of Akron), Regina Sapona (University of Cincinnati), Virginia Keil (University of Toledo), Charlotte Harris (Wright State University), Phil Ginnetti (Youngstown State University), Mary Lou diPillo (Youngstown State University), Tom Bordenkircher (Ohio Board of Regents).

Discussion Points

- In the meeting between the private IHEs and the public IHEs, agreement was reached on the following:
 - Both groups need to have more joint conversations with the Chancellor
 - Both groups agreed that there should be more communication between the two groups
 - ✓ Establish a communication network: OACTE under Mike Smith's leadership will unite the two groups (SUED and OAPCTE)
 - ✓ A joint meeting day for SUED and OAPCTE: part of the day will be spent in meetings specific to each group and the other part of the day will be spent in a joint meeting.

- SUED's Nominations for OACTE Board
 - Renee Middleton
 - Nancy Barbour
 - Sandy Stroot

- Donna Hanby will be asked if she is still willing to be appointed as President-elect of OACTE.

- Tom Bordenkircher Report
 - Striving for coordination of what is done for HLC, OBOR Program Review, and NCATE: all of these should dovetail
 - SUED members expressed that there is frustration that what is decided in committees is not what is being recorded
 - There should be minutes for sub-groups and combined meetings.
 - Ginny Keil asked if everyone had received drafts of what has been done.
 - The next Program Review Committee will be open to other people.
 - The next Metrics Committee meeting will be members only.
 - Renee Middleton asked for outcomes:
 - ✓ in line with Title II
 - ✓ common metrics
 - ✓ continuous improvement
 - ✓ excellence and innovation

- Woodrow Wilson
 - Grants
 - Transformation Initiative on NCATE review
- In response, Tom Bordenkircher said that he will revise the draft of the Metrics Committee work to include these outcomes
- Tom Bordenkircher noted that partnerships with struggling schools need to be recognized and fostered. This would contribute to the excellence metric.
- Race to the Top: Absence of involvement of higher education: The members of SUED questioned how SUED could influence ODE to provide more opportunities for IHEs to become involved in the RttT. Tom Bordenkircher will inform the Chancellor that he met with SUED about RttT and that he was asked to share the following:
 - Someone from higher education should be on the writing team
 - Higher education should also be involved with the design of what is involved.
 - The question as to whether or not higher ed should be involved in the collection and analysis of data was also raised.
 - IHEs can also be involved if the RttT is written up in such a way to include IHE partnerships with K-12.
- Holistic Approach to Impact on Student Learning
 - More than just test scores
 - Include attendance, graduation rates, population changes inschools
 - ODE want value-added
 - Amount of time our candidates are with the schools
- California Performance Assessment
 - Ohio is piloting this assessment: Ohio State, University of Dayton, Wright State University, and University of Cincinnati
 - California selected Ohio schools that they knew
 - Question raised as to AACTE's function in Ohio: this seemed like a "back door" approach
 - How can Ohio move this faster?
 - ✓ Tom will do a presentation at the next SUED meeting
 - ✓ Include student teaching coordinators and private institutions at this meeting
 - ✓ Joanne Arhar suggested that this should be and OACTE function, not SUED
- Outstanding Graduates Update
 - When sending information, send both an e-mail and hard copy
 - Template is on the website
 - Letter written by graduate
 - E-mail needs to be clear and needs to come from Dean with an explanation of what is coming.

- Woodrow Wilson Grant
 - The four schools participating (University of Cincinnati, Ohio State University, University of Akron, and John Carroll) received a phone call on April 14 and asked to name a coordinator by April 15.
 - Setting aside institution admission requirements
 - Only allowed to work with 1 school district
 - If RttT is replicating Woodrow Wilson, that would be a mistake.

- Ohio Resource Center: A representative wants to come to the next SUED meeting to discuss financial issues and suggestions SUED might have.

- Some of the phone numbers on the SUED stationery is still incorrect.

- At the next meeting on June 10 (May 13 meeting cancelled), the following topics need to be discussed:
 - Ohio Resource Center Presentation
 - De-brief Metrics and Program Review Committee work
 - OACTE Meeting about TPA