

**SUED Minutes**  
**September 3, 2020**

**I. Introductions:** Sherri Theaker, Jesse Spencer

**In attendance:** Dawn Shinew (BGSU), Alicia Crowe (Kent), Brian Yusko (Cleveland State), Greg Webb (Wright State), Jennifer Walton-Fisette (Kent), Joseph Keferl (Wright State), Kathy Zarges (Kent), Lisa Lenhart (Akron), Mary Murray (BGSU), Mike Englert (Kent), Gina Parker (Miami), Rebecca Schneider (Toledo), Richard Welsch (Toledo), Sherrill Sellers (Miami), Tachelle Banks (Cleveland), Tami Augustine (OSU), Tracy Huziak-Clark (BGSU), Wendy Adams (OU), Renee Middleton (OU), Connie Patterson (OU), Xin Liang (Shawnee), Zachariah Sajit (Cleveland State), Zaki Sharif (Central State); Krista Maxson (ODHE), Jesse Spencer (ODHE), Ann Shelly, Ray Witte (Toledo), Thomas McGhee (ODE), Yanetta Harper (ODE), Gina Parker (Miami), Kelsy Krise (Toledo), Paul Madden (Shawnee)

**II. Approval of June 4, 2020 Minutes** (approved by consensus)

**III. Invited Guests/Reports/Updates**

- A. Yenetta Harper and/or Tom McGee, Ohio Department of Education
- B. Krista Maxson, Ohio Department of Higher Education
  - a. Participation in Education TAG Review (Jessica Spencer, Director of Policy, Budget, and Constituent Relations, Ohio Articulation and Transfer Network)
  - b. Schedule for Program Review
- C. Wendy Adams and/or Tracy Huziak-Clark (Standards Board)
- D. Ann Shelley, OACTE Legislative Update
- E. Brian Yusko, OACTE Update
- F. Michael Dantley and Mary Murray, AACTE Update

**Yenetta Harper Report**

The Ohio Department of Education's Reset and Restart Education Planning webpage has information and resources for schools and districts as they plan for the start of the 2020-2021 school year. (See: <http://education.ohio.gov/Topics/Reset-and-Restart>)

Increase amount of Educators Rising chapters and clubs this school year. As they develop it, they will bring information back. Hoping to grow numbers into university programs. Received funds that can be used for a grant program. Most of the content will be directed towards teachers in the field but principles can be used by pre-service teachers.

Creating documents and programs to support teachers of color and the modules will be available and made available for pre-service teachers as well.

ODE will be working from home until May 28<sup>th</sup> at the earliest. Working to make resources available to folks and develop resources to assist teachers in the field.

Developing a grant program for human capital in the schools. Want them to make a connection with the local university as well. Recruit teachers with an equity focus.

Ohio Teacher of the Year – Anthony Coy Gonzalez – would like to speak with SUED and engage with pre-service teachers

### **Tom McGee - Report**

Office of Educator Licensure/ Effectiveness

Temporary licenses – applications accepted through December 1<sup>st</sup>, 2020. If there are any significant issues students are having, please let ODE know. The license will be good through July 1, 2021.

Administrative Specialist license – is now one license instead of having teaching fields under the license. Having difficulties with the CORE system and IT team to make changes. If anyone is ready for the new license without the fields, please reach out to Tom and they will help get the candidate taken care of while the fixes are being made.

Everything is ready for edTPA scores and will be receiving them electronically by Pearson. Can still request they be sent and have them sent as well.

### **Krista Maxson - ODHE**

Shared a video of Hilliard Superintendent

Wait one year after approval before asking EPP's to submit all their programs for review.

Don't have to abide by the CAEP schedule. Can create our own process.

Options for EPP's to think about the new review:

How do you want to schedule the state reviews?

To stay in compliance, do we want to continue to submit as usual as they become due until the EPP is ready for the full review (knowing you will have to submit them again).

Do you want to submit everything now and then go through the new process when the 7 years is up.

Seek approval for extensions.

How long do you want to know before your reviews due?

Will send the questions to Dawn to send out to the group.

### **Jessi Spencer – TAG and Education Pathways**

ODHE was contacted about transfer issues (TAG) not transferring to some EPP's across the state. Focusing around the 5 education TAG courses and 7 pathways.

A task force will be formed to review the education TAG's and pathways. They will review the challenges.

Asking for volunteers to be on the task force.

They are looking to make sure the TAG's are where they should be. Also going to discuss what happens when an EPP doesn't accept the TAG's.

### **Sherri Theaker – ODHE**

76 faculty have volunteered from the publics and privates.

Met with the leads from each of the program bundles.

Going through the program review forms and how it can be made a better process.

All spring 2020 and fall 2020 submissions are going through the reviews.

Meet monthly with program chairs.

Will be reaching out the EPP's that may need clarification from on their submissions.

60 programs being reviewed right now.

EPPRR – looking to share the forms soon for feedback.

### **Tracy Huziak-Clark – Report**

Diversifying the pipeline.

Status of Schools presentation – Restart Ohio

Remote EdEx Grant – devices to connect to broadband

Standards Committee – created resolution condemning racism and Ed Standards will be crafting one as well

### **Ann Shelly – Legislative Update**

See Ann's Legislative Update.

Bills in green color have passed.

Bills in salmon color are pending.

Not many changes from the election so our contacts are still intact.

HB322- Still in committee, about Resident Educator program.

HB2 and HB4 – both passed.

Loan repayment program for eligible teachers. May get a lot of attention.

Standards for mental health education. Work would go on EPP's list of things to do.

HB9- in Conference Committee, a lot of changes that will be proposed by the committee.

Mandate life skill programs.

Dyslexia will be back on the agenda. Language is awkward but talks about need for in-service and pre-service training.

SB342- teaching financial literacy in high schools. Will pick up pieces.

Use phonics for primary reading and writing.

Will go into lame duck and will act fast.

### **Brian Yusko, OACTE Update**

Thank you for everyone who participated (162) registered and 174 with guests and speakers

Joint Deans Compact and OCTEP for spring is January 13th-15<sup>th</sup>

Will be entering into negotiations about dates for fall in person conference in October 2021 (26-27).

OACTE Board has agreed to sign on to the CAEP Standard 3.2 letter

Three standing committees – Advocacy, Inquiry and Diversity

The committees are developing strategic plans for the next three years.

Inquiry – common research topics about teacher advocacy and teacher preparation

Professional Advancement – Gap Grants and planning of conferences

Advocacy Committee – planning to work with Krista and the EPPRR committee. Looking at OAC codes to make sure it lines up with the processes they are developing.

Nominate new members to the Board of Trustees.: Paul Madden, Lynn Kline and Joe Keferl will be rotating off. Julie McIntosh will be working on the invitations.

Richard Welsch, Leah Chamberlain and Jennifer Walton-Fisette are nominations recommended for SUED.

Purchased a subscription to Constant Contact.

Will look to negotiate a reduction in what has been done in the past due to travel restrictions and personal choices to not travel.

**Michael Dantley and Mary Murray, AACTE Update**

Diversity equity and inclusion meetings taking place monthly to update the strategic plan

Hoping AACTE can serve state chapters in a more comprehensive way

**IV. Discussion Items**

- A. Debriefing from Chancellor Gardner and Joint OAPCTE Meeting
- B. Feedback from PK-12 Partners for Placements in Spring 2020
- C. Collaborating on SARA Reporting (Licensure Reciprocity)
- D. Tracking SUED Enrollment Data?
- E. Proposed SUED Restructuring
- F. Other Issues?

**VII. Confirmation of Action Items**

**Upcoming SUED Meetings**

- Meetings for 2020-2021 (assuming videoconferencing unless something changes) with meetings occurring from 10 am – noon:
  - December 3, 2020
  - January 7, 2021
  - February 4, 2021
  - March 4, 2021
  - April 1, 2021
  - May 6, 2021