

## ECCE IFCC Meeting

Central Georgia Technical College, Milledgeville campus

February 22, 2018

### Attendees:

Betsy	Bouwhuizen	Valerie	Misch
Tamika	Brundidge	Benita	Moore
Paula	Clifton	Beth	Newton
Jaye	Cripe	Charlotte	Pelz
Anita	Dailey	lisa	penton
Katie	Day	William	Phillips
Ann	Dunn	Tamara	Rawlings
Karen	Freeman	Jennifer	Roberts
Jim	Gale	ArKimberly	Robinson
Debra	Gordon	Gena	Sapp
Linda	Grant	Tara	Scott
Megan	Graves	Kelly	Smith
Kalista	Green	Songelyn	Smith
Diane	Griffin	Amy	Southers
Pamela	Hall	Cristina	Tippy
Beth	Hefner	Valerie	Tisby
Cathy	Hoover	Nan	Walker
Carla	Hutchings	Lisa	White
Jane	Hyche	Stephanie	Wilkerson
Carolyn F.	Jones	Kay	Wilson
Jean	Jones	Cinda	Young
Susan	Kendrick		
Becky	Lansing	TCSG	
Sherry	Lowery	Benita	Moore
Paula	McGhee	Karen	Howard
Leslie	McKenzie		
Angie	Minish		

### Welcome

Sherry Lowery, IFCC State Chair, started the meeting at 10 a.m. with introductions of consortia members and attendees by having them answer "What if your ECCE staff were a situational comedy? What would you be and why?" The attending VPAA was Dr. Debra Gordon from Georgia Piedmont Technical College.

### TCSG Report

Changes and updates by Benita Moore

New Commissioner- Matt Arthur

New Deputy Commissioner- Martha Ann Todd

Commissioner Corbin is now CEO of the Committee of Lottery

Joe Dan Banker is now the Asst. Commissioner of Workforce Development

Karen Howard is now working with Benita Moore (khoward@tcsgeu.edu)

Student Services now reports to Linda Smith

### Old Business

- Approval of October 2017 meeting minutes.

Motion to approve minutes by Kay Wilson and seconded by Gina Sapp. The minutes approved unanimously.

- Approval of proposed curriculum changes for ECCE 2330 and 2332.  
Motion to approve changes by Anita Daily and seconded by Susan Kendrick. Motion approved/motion unanimously.
- Update from committee for rewrite of ECCE 2201, 2360, and 2362.  
There will be a vote on proposed changes during the next meeting in October. Standards were consolidated and streamlined/clarified. There were no changes. New standard for incorporation of RTI into ECCE 2201. Headings **[Competencies?]** for KMS are the same except for ECCE 2362 because some heading **[competencies]** had no standard. The following was removed from 2360: Under observations; prepare detailed reports of effectiveness. A suggestion was made to add **504** to 2201 and 2360. Another suggestion was to add SPED process to laws/regulations section for 2360. Changes will be emailed to instructors and voted on at the October IFCC meeting.
- Rewrite of ECCE 2245 and 2246.  
Proposed changes: technically the courses have the same standards. Send any suggestions to the committee. The current wording reflects NAEYC accreditation requirements and should be reflected in all courses.
- Consideration and discussion on potential change to name of ECCE 2245 and 2246 by Cinda Young. There is an assumption that all internships (regardless of the program area) are equal at TCSG and shouldn't count toward faculty load. Cinda proposed that further research should be conducted on the scope of ECCE internships and demands on faculty time to monitor interns.

A survey will be sent out to see the hours various colleges are receiving for internships. No vote on 2245 internship name change at this time. It was suggested to extract data from colleges to share with President's Council. Send questions/input for 2245 internship to Cinda Young or to Karen Howard at [khoward@tcsge.edu](mailto:khoward@tcsge.edu).

#### Region Reports:

- Central Region: Kay Wilson Oconee Fall Line – The college GOAL winter was an ECCE student  
West Georgia - education collaboration with business  
Southern Crescent- received a \$2500 grant for children's books Central Georgia; working on practicums/doing well  
Ogeechee - Jenny is retiring and two students are competing in SkillsUSA; August 2018 GOAL Student of the Year and Instructor of the Year; March 31st 30th annual EC and Development Conference
- South Region: Cinda Young  
Valdosta has alphabet relay with over 1000 students visiting on this day

#### Reports from the field:

- Charlotte Pelz, DECAL scholarship program representative  
She is willing to speak about the program and has updated materials for your classes.
- Beth Newton, Augusta Tech  
Beth shared with us the story of her son's murder and the "Something for Alex" charity

she and her family has started to collect clothes and etc...She talked about kindness cards and being kind to others hoping something good with will come out of tragedy.

Announcements:

- Anita Dailey - Cengage Unlimited \$119.00/semester, lets students get eBooks for the semester. The cost is \$8 per book rental or \$20 to buy. \$240 for two years (includes MindTap and Study Guide)
- Benita Moore - 2 GEN Project (helps the parent help the child/not just one generation)  
\*211 United Way Resources, 877-GA-Kids Child care options
- Beth Newton - Georgia Preschool Association is has a free one year membership for graduates

The meeting adjourned at 12:45 p.m.