

**PDAC Committee Agenda**

**10:00AM – 12:00PM**

**September 7, 2022**

**Mission:** To promote, support and recognize professional preparation and training for all current and future early care and education, school-age, and youth development practitioners.

**Vision:** Illinois early care and education, school-age, and youth development practitioners are well-qualified professionals who educate, nurture, and meet the needs of children and youth in partnership with their families.

**Values:** We believe an effective professional development system is inclusive of practitioners in all settings serving children, youth, and families; service providers and program staff; and educators and trainers.

**10:00AM**      **Welcome and Review of Minutes** – Johnna Darragh Ernst, Stephanie Bernoteit and Marsha Hawley

- June 1, 2022

**10:05AM**      **Recommendations from Workforce Development and Pathways Committee**

- Definition of Professional Development
- Definition of Job-embedded Professional Development

**10:30AM**      **Gateways to Opportunity Credentials and Curriculum** – Joni Scritchlow

- Higher Education Institutions: Gateways ECE Credential Competency-based Curriculum
  - Gateways ECE Competency-based Curriculum: Level 2 Spanish translation
- Higher Education Institutions: Gateways ECE 5 to PEL Competency-based Curriculum
- Gateways Infant Toddler Credential Competency-based Curriculum Pilot
- Gateways Illinois Director Credential Competency-based Curriculum Development
- Gateways ECE Credential Level 2 Assessment of Prior Learning – roll-out
- Gateways Credential Applications

**11:10AM**      **Reports**

- Illinois Department of Human Services – Olga Torres and Hollie Hoole
- Illinois Board of Higher Education – Stephanie Bernoteit and Christi Chadwick
- Illinois Head Start Association – Lauri Morrison Frichtl
- Illinois Community College Board – Marcus Brown
- Illinois State Board of Education – Norma Moore

**11:40AM**      **PDAC Strategic Plan**

**11:45AM**      **New ECEC Enrollment Campaign “I Got Love/¡Siento Amor!”**

**11:55AM**      **Announcements**

**12:00PM**      **Adjourn**