



GATEWAYS TO OPPORTUNITY®

Illinois Professional Development System

PDAC Qualifications and Credentials (QC) Committee

Tuesday, November 5, 2019

1:30 PM—3:00 PM

Agenda

Phone #: 1-866-951-1151

Conference ID: 2386140

- 1:00 PM Welcome, Review and Approval of Minutes**
- September 11, 2019
- 1:10 PM Updates from PDAC Steering Committee – Stephanie Hellmer**
- School-Age & Youth Development Career Lattice approved
 - Family Specialist Career Lattice question (attachments 3, 4, 5, & 6)
- 1:30 PM Timeframe Credential Applications Remain Open – Stephanie Hellmer**
- Follow-Up Question (attachment 7)
 - Potential recommendation (attachment 8)
- 1:45 PM ESL & Bilingual Credential Recommendation (attachments 9, 10, & 11) – TBD**
- 2:00 PM Updates: Gateways Credential Competencies & Faculty Fellows Work – Joni Scritchlow**
- Assessment Toolboxes
 - Regional Meetings Underway
- 2:15 PM NAEYC P2P – Teri Talan**
- 2:45 PM Announcements**
- PDAC Strategic Plan – Committee Follow-Up
 - Credentialing Opportunities
 - Southern Illinois Center Program Staff (PDG B-5)
 - Chicago Early Learning Workforce – ITC & FSC
- 3:00 PM Adjourn**

FY20 PDAC Qualifications & Credentials (QC) meetings:

Q3: Tuesday, February 4th, 2020 Telenet 1:30 PM – 3:00 PM

Q4: Tuesday, May 5th, 2020 Telenet 1:30 PM – 3:00 PM

Goal 1: Ensure Gateways to Opportunity Credentials align with state and national initiatives, incorporate current research and validated practices, and are responsive to workforce needs.

Goal 2: Guide the development and implementation of a Gateways ESL/Bilingual Credential to ensure workforce capacity in meeting the needs of Illinois' diverse children and families.

Goal 3: Coordinate Illinois' response to national and local workforce development initiatives (e.g., Power to the Profession; i2I Innovation to Incubation) through the lens of the QC committee.

Goal 4: Promote and incentivize Gateways to Opportunity Credentials.

