



PDAC Steering Committee Agenda

August 16, 2017

10:00AM – 3:00PM

Meeting

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.

- 10:00 AM** **Welcome and Introductions** – Marsha Hawley, Co-Chair
- Cathy Main
 - Claudia Fabian
- 10:05 AM** **Get-to-know You Activity**
- BINGO
- 10:20 AM** **Review and Approval of Minutes** – Marsha Hawley, Co-Chair
- May 10, 2017
- 10:25 AM** **Gateways Credentials and Competencies** - facilitated by Marsha Hawley
- Credential Frameworks – Teri Talan and Diana Rosenbrock, QC Co-Chairs
 - Career Lattice – Cerathel Burnett and Johnna Darragh Ernst, WDP Co-Chairs
 - Timelines – Joni Scritchlow
 - Technical Assistance – Stephanie Bernoteit
 - Next Steps/connecting points to larger landscape & PDAC Higher Ed Committee– Joni Scritchlow
 - Discussion
- 11:00 AM** **ECE Pipeline** – facilitated Marsha Hawley
- Children’s Cabinet Project: Provide Illinois children with high needs quality early care and education by (1) increasing the number of ECE professionals and trained caregivers, including those from diverse populations and
 - 1 B – Rebecca 1C – Beth 1D – Joni
 - 1E – Teri/Cathy 1F – Teri
 - (2) Creating clear pathways to increasing career opportunities
 - 2A 2B Marsha/Joni/Teri/Stephanie 2C – Teri/Joni/Stephanie -Webinar(s)
 - (3) Build upon existing information systems that collect and provide data to inform workforce development efforts - Joellyn
 - i2I Survey – Cathy Main
 - Advancing the Early Childhood Education Workforce – Stephanie
 - Senate Bill SB1829 – Teri/Joni
 - Implications/timeline
 - Connecting point for PDAC Higher Ed committee
 - Latino Policy Forum connecting work– Cathy/Stephanie/Joni
- 12:15 PM** **Working Lunch** (continue above topics)
- 12:50 PM** **Summary & Implications for PDAC: Next Steps**

- 1:00 PM PDAC Strategic Planning: Charge to Co-Chairs – Marsha Hawley and Deb Widenhofer**
- January 11-12, 2018 Retreat
 - PDAC Strategic Plan Phase VIII: July 1, 2018 – June 30, 2021
 - Draft timeline – Joni Scritchlow
 - Speaker/facilitator/theme – discussion for October 11, 2017
- 1:10 PM Statewide Updates in Relation to PDAC**
- Illinois State Board of Education –Karen McCarthy and Lynn Burgett
 - Illinois Head Start Association – Lauri Morrison Frichtl
 - Illinois Board of Higher Education – Stephanie Bernoteit
 - Illinois Department of Human Services – Claudia Fabian
 - Advocacy – Joyce Weiner
 - State Actions
 - DCFS Licensing Advisory Council – Cerathel Burnett
 - Power to the Profession – Teri Talan
- 2:00 PM Maximizing Opportunities at September and November PDAC meetings – discussion:**
- **September 15: Joint PDAC/ACCESS/ILAECTE – Marsha Hawley**
 - Movement of Gateways Credentials to Competencies
 - Workforce Data: Gateways Registry, i2I Survey, Child Care & Staffing Survey provided by Joellyn Whitehead and Cathy Main
 - Key State Agency information: ICCB, IBHE, IDHS, ISBE
 - ELC Quality Committee: Senate Bill 1829
 - NAEYC: Power to the Profession
 - **PDAC meeting will follow the joint meeting**
 - **November 17, 2017 Annual Meeting – Deb Widenhofer**
 - Potential Themes Include:
 - Increasing Capacity for the Illinois ECE Workforce....or
 - Capitalizing on Early Childhood’s Return on Investment
 - Potential Speakers:
 - Aisha Ray with Erikson (need to increase diversity of the ECE pipeline)
 - Professor Heckman with University of Chicago (recent research on ECE ROI)
 - Celebrate
 - New Website
 - Gateways Credential movement to Competencies
 - Possibly new Career Lattice/Frameworks
 - Opportunity to invite (new) state leaders
 - IDHS: Barb Payne
 - GOECD: Beth Purvis
 - ISBE: Marcy Johnson or Jason Heffler
 - IDCFS:
 - ICCB: Brian Durham
 - IBHE:
- 2:20 PM PDAC Qualifications and Credentials Recommendation(s) and IDC revisions – Teri Talan and Diana Rosenbrock, QC Co-Chairs**
- Professional Contributions Recommendation
 - IDC Competency: Pedagogy Strengthening

2:50 PM Resources:
ITTQI Recommendations published in June 2017– Beth Knight, Joellyn whitehead, Joni Scritchlow
Cultural and Linguistic Principles - Joni Scritchlow

2:55 PM Books

3:00 PM Adjourn

FY18 PDAC Steering Meetings:

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| October 11, 2017 Meeting | February 21, 2018 Telent |
| December 13, 2017 Telenet | March 21, 2018 Meeting |
| January 11/12, 2018 Retreat | June 20, 2018 Meeting |

FY18 PDAC Meetings:

September 15, 2017 ACCESS and ILCAETE Meeting
November 17, 2017 Annual Meeting
January 26, 2018 Telenet
April 27, 2018 Meeting
*June 20, 2018 *Potential Telenet

