



Partner School Network

## **Human Resource Directors' Meeting and Luncheon**

### **Attendees**

Mr. Jeff Branham, Human Resource Director  
Harris County School District

Ms. Kathy Tessin, Human Resource Director  
Muscogee County School District

Ms. Jackie Adamczyk, Council Secretary  
Administrative Assistant for Assessment and Accreditation  
College of Education and Health Professions

Mr. Roger Hatcher, Director  
Center for Quality Teaching and Learning  
College of Education and Health Professions

Dr. Deirdre Greer, Dean  
College of Education and Health Professions

Dr. Sallie Miller, Associate Dean for Assessment and Accreditation (Council Chair)  
College of Education and Health Professions

### Guest

Ms. Pam Wetherington, edTPA Coordinator and Faculty  
Department of Teacher Education  
College of Education and Health Professions

### **Meeting Purpose and Summary of Discussion Topics**

The purpose of the Human Resource Directors' meeting was to discuss education news, updates, teacher candidate prospects for substitute teaching and other incentives related to high needs schools, teacher evaluations, sharing of data, collaborative action research for certification renewals, and other collaborative opportunities.

- Mr. Roger Hatcher shared news from the Center for Quality Teaching and Learning related to CSU-COEHP teacher candidates and substitute teaching.

- Ms. Pam Wetherington distributed an edTPA packet. The Council discussed the edTPA assessment used to evaluate if teacher candidates are effectively trained to be classroom-ready teachers. Teacher candidates must pass edTPA to become certified teachers.
- Ms. Kathy Tessin with Muscogee County School District presented information on the *Teacher Effectiveness Measures* (TEM) and how the District is using the data.
- Mr. Jeff Branham with the Harris County School District presented updates regarding *Teacher Effectiveness Measures* (TEM). He distributed a packet that included the *Teacher Keys Effectiveness System Implementation Handbook* and other pertinent information.
- Dr. Deirdre Greer presented news from the Dean's Office that included information on collaborative action research that leads to certification renewal. In addition, she consulted with the Council on how we might meet the needs of our region's hard-to-staff schools.
- Dr. Sallie Miller facilitated discussion on the following topics:
  1. Distributed CAEP Standards and asked the Council to review and discuss Standard 4 (4.3 and 4.4 Employers and Completers Satisfaction Surveys) on Program Impact.
  2. Circulated and reviewed the Harris County School District and Muscogee County School District Memoranda of Understanding. The Council then deliberated on the need for next year's survey data and revised information forms.
  3. Disseminated the *2014-2015 Alumni and Employee Satisfaction Survey* results. The Council discussed the survey results in terms of mean scores and sample size.
  4. Shared briefly about the U.S. News & World Report Survey –Best Graduate Schools. Dr. Miller asked council members to recommend additional school district survey contacts for next year.

**The next Council meeting is scheduled for Spring 2016.**

Submitted by: Jackie Adamczyk, Council Secretary