



TEACHER EDUCATION COMMITTEE March 15, 2011

Approved Minutes (Approved April 19, 2011)

Members present: Mary Ellen Adams, Chad Becker, Dan Clark, Hema Ganapathy-Coleman, Eric Hampton, Rebecca Hinshaw, Barbara Clauss, Steve Gruenert, Brad Venable, Sue Kiger, Sharron Watkins, Catherine Tucker (chair), Kara Harris, Lisa Calvin, Yong Joon Park, Jennifer Perez

Members absent: Steven Pontius, Marie Theisz, Amy Walker

Ex Officio Members present: Susan Powers, Judy Sheese

1. **Call to Order:** C. Tucker called the meeting to order at 3:35.
2. **Approval of Minutes for February 15, 2011:** E. Hampton moved to approve and C. Becker seconded. No discussion. Minutes approved (10-0-0).
3. **Old Business:** There was no old business.
4. **New Business:**
 - a) **Report on SPA Reports:** S. Powers shared that nearly all of the SPA Reports have been submitted and that five other SPA Reports have shifted to a Sept. 1st submission date.
 - b) **Progress Report from UAS Committee:** E. Hampton shared a document that the four subcommittees are using to look at each instrument: the Diversity Assessment, Disposition Assessment, Work Product and Technology Assessment. He noted that most of the subcommittees have met and provided feedback to him. He added that each subcommittee's feedback will be combined in a document and that next year we will make revisions. D. Clark questioned whether all the committees have met and the timeline. E. Hampton shared that all but the Technology Assessment group have met and that the goal is to complete the task by the end of the semester with information shared at Assessment Day in the fall.
 - c) **Open Discussion – Regarding legislation changes:**
S. Powers shared that nothing has happened with the State Senate bill 1 which among other things, proposes to eliminate the Transition to Teaching program requirement.
5. **Dean's Report – Susan Powers**
S. Powers shared that we were asked to participate in the US News World Report and that additional information about the format of the data will be shared with

faculty in late spring or early fall. Also, we have hired a new faculty member in the CDCSEP Dept., Dr. Sailes, formerly at IUPUI.

6. Associate Dean's Report-Susan Powers

S. Powers shared that Dean Balch is doing well.

7. ESS Report - Judy Sheese

Dr. Sheese shared that updated information about licensing is available on the Indiana DOE website including approved Licensing Assessment Changes (i.e. new scores, effective date for traditional programs and effective date for REPA testing additions). Also, we will continue under Rules 2002 until Aug. 2013. Licensure under REPA is similar in language-initial is a 2 year license and requires residency rather than internship. The 10-years license is renewable for 10 years and renewed the same way. D. Clark questioned about the Social Studies tests. Dr. Sheese noted that students can take the current test until 2012, but they will not be highly qualified so they need to take Praxis 2 in each area except sociology and psychology. As for Emergency Permits, individuals must go directly to the state rather than ESS.

8. Adjournment-C. Tucker adjourned the meeting at 4:15.

Respectfully submitted by,
Rebecca Hinshaw, TEC Secretary