

EPP Meeting March 16, 2022 at 3:30pm in Delta Center Rm 103

In attendance: Lance Bryant, Mary Jane Bradley, Prathima Pattada, Bo Hendrix, Antwanet Wade, Alicia Shaw, Jackie McBride, Jacques Singleton, Julie Lamb-Milligan, Karen Farley, Kimberley Davis, Robert Williams, Blair Dean, Mitch Mathis, Valarie Hilson, Allison Paolini, Audrey Bowser, Beverly Gilbert, David Holman, Diana Williams, Dixie Keyes, Jeonghee Choi, Joan Henley, Joanna Grymes, Karen Graham, Michele Johnson, Minghui Gao, Nicole Covey, Ron Towery, Ryan Kelly, Tonja Fillippino, Zelda McMurtry, Amanda Lambertus, Lisa Rice, Susan Whiteland

- Call to order by Dr. Bryant
- Dr. Bradley- Welcome
- Dr. Bradley- Forward Arkansas Grant
 - Report came back last Wednesday
 - First meeting set with Andrew Bonaparte to unpack by Spring Break
 - Kickoff in Little Rock March 29- the team + Dr. Bryant to attend
- Dr. Gilbert
 - \$426,000 grant to prepare 100 teachers for initial licensure for PreK from DESE, Grad level only
 - Kern Family Foundation Convening- emphasized Ed Leadership focus
- Dr. Covey- CAEP
 - Double check your program assessments, names should match
 - Assessment Day is April 8th from 9a-noon in HPESS
 - Looking at the prior three years' data
 - Submit data by Monday prior
- Dr. Bowser- Licensure
 - See handout for important dates
 - Tell your interns to expect an email from Dr. Bowser
 - Attendance forms should go directly to PEP
 - Test Summative takes the place of PLT
 - They are still responsible for the EdTPA task
 - Remind them that free help is available
 - Interns can't be full time subs until after May 3rd
 - Admissions- please send the one page verification form for each interview to PEP
- Dr. Shaw- COPE
 - Next meeting is April 11th at 3:30pm
 - Dr. Grymes is working on edits for the governance document
- Dr. Fillippino- Technology
 - Tech committee beginning next steps to implement plan
- Dr. Gilbert- Recruitment
 - Finalizing content to move on to Dr. Bryant
- Dr. J. Singleton- IPAC
 - Meeting to review final draft

- Dr. Williams- APAC
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- Dr. Bradley for Dr. Clogston- ERZ
 - SEL is April 22 from 8:30am to 3:30pm for schools and co-ops, Byron McClure to speak
 - March 29- High Quality Instruction Materials in Little Rock
 - March 7- Session on Social Emotional Learning
 - Honor Banquet April 11
- Dr. Mathis- HPESS
 - March 29- Cornhole Tournament
 - April 8-10- Pickleball Tournament
 - April 14- District 4 Workshop
- Dr. Keyes
 - Bo Hendrix maintains CoEBS Facebook
 - Send events and promotions
- Dr. Bradley
 - Send Spotlight Students to the dean's office to submit to Bill Smith
- Dr. Bryant
 - April 14th meeting will be last meeting
- Dr. Bryant- meeting adjourned

Announcements from Professional Education Programs

Dr. Bowser, Director

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New Admission Requirements

* **Reminder:** Teacher candidates must submit the [Online Application for Admission](#) (Blackboard/Organizations, Admission to Teacher Education Program Information)

* Faculty **MUST** submit the **signed Signature Verification Form** to document a personal interview before the Department of Screening Committee

Important Dates for University Supervisors with Capstone Interns

2nd 8-week Assignment Forms due – March 18

Spring 2022 Capstone internship LiveText portfolios due – April 28

Last full day of Spring 2022 teaching internship – April 29

Spring 2022 Exit Evaluation (virtual) – May 2

Submit Spring 2022 Evaluation Packets to Dropbox – May 3

Post all final grades to Banner Self Service by 12:00 noon – May 6

TESS Summative Evaluation Pilot

Capstone interns will **not be required to take and pass the PLT** as long as they meet a minimum average score of 2.0 (Progressing). Submit the TESS Summative Evaluation on LiveText by May 3

NOTE: Candidates in **EVERY** program still have to complete the **3 edTPA Tasks** as part of their capstone portfolio (20%) that is uploaded and scored in LiveText because it is a key assessment for CAEP.

Licensure Assessment Changes

Licensure Content Area	Current Exam	New Version Praxis	New Cut Score	Start Date
Mathematics: Content Knowledge	5161	5165	152	9/01/2022
Middle School Mathematics	5169	5164	150	9/01/2022

Licensure Assessment Ready News – Michael Rowland

DESE is sponsoring Praxis tutoring sessions for several low pass rate and/or high volume tests. **All sessions are free**, virtual, and facilitated by an expert in the content area. The most current information can be found on the [Licensure Assessment Ready website](#)

Several Rules are out for public comment: Click here for links to make public comments - [Division of Elementary and Secondary Education - Offices - Legal Services - Rules - Pending \(arkansas.gov\)](#)

- DESE Rules Governing Educator Licensure Public Comment Deadline: March 17, 2022

Higher Education Program Revisions for 2022

[Arkansas competencies](#) for many licensure areas have been updated in response to changes to national standards and licensure assessments. The following areas need to submit Program Revisions by **July 1, 2022**: Middle School ELA (4-8), Chemistry & Physics (7-12); Instrumental Music (K-12); Vocal Music (K-12);

CONGRATULATIONS! Revisions to Programs Approved

Age 3-4 Endorsement, Middle School Social Studies (4-8), Math (7-12), PE/Health (K-12), Life Science-Biology (7-12), Gifted & Talented (K-12), and Guidance & School Counseling (K-12).

Detailed information available is on the [Arkansas DESE website](#). The contact is Ann Crosser, Program Advisor, ann.crosser@ade.arkansas.gov.