



GATEWAYS TO OPPORTUNITY

Illinois Professional Development System

PDAC Steering Committee
March 21, 2014
Webinar Agenda 10AM – 12:30 PM

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.

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| 10:00 AM | Welcome |
| 10:05 AM | Review and Approval of Minutes <ul style="list-style-type: none">• January 9 and January 10, 2014 |
| 10:10 AM | Recommendation for Approval <ul style="list-style-type: none">• PDAC Strategic Plan Phase VI, 2013-2015, Governance Committee Goal #4 |
| 10:30 AM | edTPA Presentation – <i>Elisa Palmer</i> , edTPA Coordinator, ISU College of Education |
| 11:10 AM | Discussion on Stacie Goffin's "Early Childhood Education for a New Era" and the Role of PDAC Steering <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Summary of January Discussion: Next Steps |
| 11:25 AM | Early Head Start Child Care Partnerships |
| 11:40 AM | Moving Forward: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• ELC PSQ Workforce Compensation• SA and YD Credential Pilots• Gateways Higher Education Forum/HELP Committee• ISU-McCormick Conversation with Erika Hunt Follow-Up |
| 12:00 AM | Steering Committee Spring Retreat <ul style="list-style-type: none">• May 14 and 15, 2014 Wheeling, Illinois |
| 12:10 PM | Committee Announcements/Updates |
| 12:30 PM | Adjourn |

PDAC Steering Meeting:

May 14 and 15, 2014 Wheeling, IL

PDAC Meetings:

April 11, 2014

June 30, 2014

