**TEC Meeting DATES**

August 12, 2020

September 9, 2020

October 14, 2020

November 11, 2020

January 13, 2021

February 10, 2021

March 17, 2021

April 14, 2021

**All materials available in OneDrive**

Save the Date

Thursday, September 24, 2020

NCACTE Fall Forum Registration for the Fall Forum is free but required Register

**Welcome Dean Loury Ollison Floyd**

Greetings,

It is a privilege to lead our UNCP Educator Preparation faculty. My first two months have afforded me the opportunity to engage a dynamic group of committed professional educators. I invite you to join me in thoughtful discussions surrounding teaching and learning in a pluralistic global society. It is essential that we create responsive learning environments that challenge students to think critically, collaborate, communicate, and serve our community. This newsletter is designed to keep you informed, engaged, and connected as we work together in providing high quality licensure programs through research, effective teaching, field experiences, internships, and ongoing formative assessments.

I look forward to an amazing year!

Loury Ollison Floyd

Dean

**SPOTLIGHT ON:**

September 14

Teaching Music in Covid Times

October 12

How to Prepare Virtual Performances

November 9

Building Outstanding Music Programs

January 11

Instrument Repair

February 8

Diversity in Music Ed

March 8

Alumni Roundtable

**Contact**

Dr. José Rivera

**SOE Admission Updates**

NEW! Formal Admission Deadlines:

November 1, 2020 — April 1, 2021 — August 1, 2021

49 students were admitted for Teacher Education this fall. Our next admission report will be at the November TEC, November 11. All materials must be in TaskStream no later than November 1 and Program Coordinators should contact Michelle Locklear with student names and any notes or any extenuating circumstances to be reviewed

(i.e. pending successful completion of EDN 2100 or no Praxis Score required).

\* in compliance with SL2020-3 students do not need a 2.7 GPA or passing Praxis Core scores for admission May 4, 2020 – June 30, 2021

**Upcoming Major’s Meetings**

We’re taking the major’s meetings on the road this semester. In lieu of the meetings previously hosted in the School of Education, Program Coordinators and Directors will schedule program meetings for each licensure area and contact Querida Jones to schedule on Dr. Floyd’s calendar. Check OneDrive for the scheduled meetings and claim your time today! We look forward to seeing you and meeting our students.

**Good News!**

Dr. Cecilia Lara, Spanish Education Program Coordinator Congratulations to Cecilia who is participating in the BRIDGES Academic Leadership for Women this year BRIDGES cohorts gather each fall for professional development.

**CAEP Continuous Improvement**

Stay tuned for updates

We are currently reviewing standards and alignment with our evidences and data.

**UNCP CAEP Timeline**

Fall 2020- Pilot Cohort

Spring 2021- Cohort 1

Summer 2021

Fall 2021- Cohort 2

Spring 2022- Cohort 3 Mock Visit

Summer 2022- Self Study Report Due

Fall 2022- Formative Feedback Report

Spring 2023- On Site Visit April 2-4

**Thank you to our 2020-2021 TEC subcommittee chairs.**

Assessment- Dr. Mary Ash

Candidate Quality, Recruitment and Selectivity- Dr. Naomi Lifschitz-Grant & Dr. Jennifer Whittington

Clinical Practice- Dr. Kelly Ficklin

Curriculum & Instructional Practice- Dr. Kim Sellers & Dr. Serina Cinnamon

Policy- Dr. José Rivera

Professional Studies Core- Dr. Gretchen Robinson

**University-School Partnership and Clinical Practice DATES**

October 1- Out-of-Area Placement Requests due

November 20- Spring 2021 Student Teaching Internship documentation due

**In our schools…**

This semester, 63 students began their semester-long internships in regional public and charter schools. We are currently placing pre-interns for the Spring 2021 semester and anticipate 86 students completing their internship this spring. For more information, contact the University-School Partnerships and Clinical Placement office

**edTPA**

Our first round of submissions will take place on October 21st 4:30-6:30 p.m. Upcoming Support Sessions

• Graduate Students Monday, September 22nd 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. webex

\*Webinar Resources for the edTPA Community

edTPA Support for Unaffiliated Candidates webinar series A Guide to Completing edTPA

edTPA Overview for Mentor and Cooperating Teachers webinar series

Completing edTPA in Virtual Learning Environments webinars

edTPA 101 and Task by Task Deep Dives webinar series

**Our New #Hashtag#**

**#**BraveEducators

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