

Kishwaukee College **Early Childhood Education** Fall 2021 Advisory Committee

Meeting Date: October 1st, 2021 Time: 8:00am-9:00am

Location: Kishwaukee College Room B1234 or via Zoom link

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Agenda

I. Introductions (5 minutes)

- a. Purpose of Advisory Committee
- b. Member Introductions (Name Organization Position)
- c. Review member list for updates and corrections

II. Program Update (10 minutes)

- a. Review Previous Meeting Minutes (April 20, 2021)
- b. Program Enrollment, Completions, Revenue/Expenditures
- c. Outcome Data and Pass Rates
- d. Equipment, Supply, and Staff Needs

III. Curriculum & Instruction Updates

- a. Curriculum Update
 - Competency Based Education (CBE) update
 - Open Education Resources (OER) update
- b. Clinical and Community Partnerships
- c. Adjunct Faculty Recruitment
- d. Discussion
 - How is aligned is KC's curriculum with industry needs?
 - Suggestions for keeping the program "state of the art," to ensure ensuring that the program is poised to meet future skill needs.

IV. Industry Update & Labor Market Discussion

- a. Illinois Early Childhood Access Consortium for Equity (attached PDF)
- b. Discussion
 - What are the future employment opportunities for graduates?
 - What are your current or projected employment needs of your organization over the next 2-3 years?
 - What challenges is your industry and organization facing?

V. Work-Based Learning

- a. Apprenticeships, Internships, Clinical, and On-the-job Training
- b. Discussion
 - Are there any opportunities for current students to engage in work-based learning?
 - How can we prepare students more effectively for clinical training?

VI. Facilities & Maintenance of Program (if time permits)

- a. Current Facilities
- b. Discussion
 - Does KC have the necessary facilities, equipment, and tools to prepare students to work in their field?

VII. Plans for Next Meeting