# Adult Learning Committee Meeting Agenda Monday, January 11, 2016 1:00 pm ~ 2:00 pm

<u>Attendees:</u> Gail Markle, Harrison Long, Bob Mattox, Jim Rutherfoord, Leslie Himot, Sam Pierquet, Judy Abbott, Elke Leeds

Virtual Attendees: Keith Tudor, Diana Gregory, John Smith, Alice Pate

**Guests**: David Kirkland

### **Agenda:**

#### 1:00pm – Welcome and Review/Approval of the Minutes

o Motion to approve: Leslie Himot, First; Jim Rutherfoord, Seconded

# 1:10pm - Introduction to Materials in D2L Course Site

- o D2L Section Name: ALC Committee
  - All members added as instructors
- o Materials will be copied from Shared File Folders to D2L
- o BB Collaborate will be used to allow for virtual attendance of meetings
- o Members can also utilize D2L tools (chat, discussions, etc) for working groups

### 1:20pm – Digital Badge in PLA – David Kirkland

- o Course review and updates
  - Request that members of the committee review the course
    - Username is the member's email address
    - David will send an email with the password
  - Will be requesting Catherine Marieneau (CAEL) and Mary Ellen Dallman to review as well
- o Deadline to complete is January 29th
- o Launch to greater USG community after the deadline
  - No charge for KSU Faculty to complete the course
  - Outside faculty will be charged a fee
- o Wonderful credentialing opportunity for people
  - Very few opportunities are available at a low price point to introduce faculty to PLA
  - Not credit-based or Carnegie-based, but shows learning
  - Can be placed on a résumé or LinkedIn profile

# 1:30pm – University PLA Coordinator

- o Position approved by Faculty Affairs
  - Next step is to post the internal position through AAF and the KSU Inform
    update, internal searches are not posted to PeopleAdmin

- Once posted, will be provided to the committee to share with their colleges/departments
- o Committee will serve as the search committee
  - Will investigate possible summer release for those qualified applicants
- o Records will be kept of applicant questions and responses
  - This information will be available to the committee for search purposes
- o Updates shortly on posting, timeline, INFORM announcement, and process

# 1:45pm - Current Items

- o Departmental Coordinator Updates
  - Many of the departmental positions have been filled
    - Jim Rutherfoord several new department chairs will have to determine which faculty will be appointed
    - Elke will follow up with missing departments to determine representation
- Website Updates
  - Several updates to happen within the next two weeks
    - Planning on having site ready to begin committee review by January 29
  - Plan is to keep the site very clean and simple
  - Some areas will be listed as Coming Soon
    - PLA University Coordinator, for example
  - Want to ensure information at transfer.kennesaw.edu matches what is presented on pla.kennesaw.edu

#### 1:50pm – Future Items

- o PLA Retreat Full day for ALC and Departmental PLA contacts
  - Off-site location for 65-70 people
  - Allow the departmental coordinators to meet and greet
  - Introduction of the University PLA Coordinator
  - Working meeting to coordinate departmental PLA plans
- Hold the date(s) Friday March 25<sup>th</sup>; Friday April 22<sup>nd</sup>; CONFIRMED Friday April 29<sup>th</sup>
- o Determine invited speakers, topics, and agenda at February Meeting
  - Would like to secure Catherine Marieneau (CAEL), USG Specialists, Military Credit Specialists