# Faculty Outreach and Engagement Council and Outreach and Engagement Community of Practice Bi-Monthly Convening

**REVISED STATEMENTS** 

**FOEC Purpose**: in an advisory capacity - champion, advocate, promote, and support Auburn University Outreach, community/public/civic engagement, extension and engaged scholarship carried out by faculty, staff, students, and community partners.

**O&E COP Purpose**: a collective of Auburn University faculty, staff and students who produce timely, impactful and responsive outreach, community engagement, applied research, extension and engaged scholarship; and who seek to advance the outreach and engagement enterprise, and actively learn how to apply best practices as they interact regularly.

**FOEC & COP Joint Purpose:** a collective of Auburn University faculty, staff and students who produce, champion, and advise outreach, community engagement, applied research, extension and engaged scholarship; to advance the outreach and engagement enterprise and actively learn how to apply timely, impactful, and responsive best practices as they interact regularly.

Friday, March 3, 2017 11:00 – 1:00 p.m. Pebble Hill AGENDA & NOTES

**11:00-11:20 – Introductions, and Lunch -** Dr. Chippewa Thomas, Director, Office of Faculty Engagement

**Participants:** Brigitta Brunner, Ken Thomas, Barbara Baker, David Riese, Paul Jungernickel, Ralph Foster, Jean Dubois, Linda Shook, Joe Sumners, Susan Hubbard, Giovanna Summerfield, Cheryl Seals, Virginia Davis, Christine Fleming, Brenda Allen, Michelle Cole, and Chippewa Thomas

### 11:20-12:40 – Information Sharing

- 18th Annual Engagement Scholarship Consortium Conference update
  - Update on Proposals numbers received and a thank you for the people that will serve as panelists
  - Update on Conference Events
  - University of Kentucky looking at joining ESC
  - o Looking at Registration on April 3
  - Encourage as people to attend as possible
  - Questions

- Paul Jungernickel Colleagues interested in presenting about the Opioid Crisis - Can there be more than 1 presenter for a paper? Yes – no stipulation on limits of how many people can present.
- If they weren't selected as a paper, willing to do a poster but no place to select a secondary preference? Applicants would be contacted after the paper selections have been made to find out secondary selections.
- Will be another offer later on
- First time for roundtable presentations at the ESC conference. How would that work? You will sit at a table with 1 or few presenters and will go to that table if you are interested in that topic? Time is 1.5 hours
- What is the level of interest in stem outreach? Is it something that would be an interest? Absolutely. Will probably have a lot of STEM Engagement/Stem related presentation
- Educational and Cultural Delegations update
  - o Ghana Summer 2017
  - Cuba August 6-12
  - Cuba November 2-6
  - Several Colleges, Schools and Programs interested in going to Cuba to see about possibilities
- AU and Cuba Roundtable and Executive Briefing update
  - o Friday, May 5
  - o Ballroom B, AUHCC
  - Presentation of all things Auburn and Cuba
  - Use this event to leverage a statewide conference of all things statewide and Cuba
  - If you know of constituents are groups that might want to attend
  - Will it just be from an Outreach Standpoint? It would behoove us to have it broader and include other groups from around campus that are going to Cuba.
     Be inclusive of all groups but have some focus on who is presenting so that there is a wide variety of information presented of everything Auburn related going on in Cuba
- Alabama and Cuba Roundtable and Executive Briefing
  - o December 2017
  - Marriot Grand National
- Faculty Awards and Recognition
  - o Dr. Barb Struempler
  - Recipient, Faculty Award for Excellence in Outreach
  - 2017 Competitive Outreach Scholarship Grants
    - Recognition of Panelists serving on the COSG Review Panel
    - Has supported over 100 faculty and countless students
  - Upcoming Award Opportunities
    - W.K. Kellogg Foundation Community Engagement Scholarship Award
    - C. Peter Magrath Community Engagement Scholarship Award

- Is it still true that they will only take 1 nomination per university?
  Dr. Thomas believes so
- Could we share the information regarding dissemination of the information regarding this Scholarship Award and its process?
- There is talk of a new offering a joint grant with University Outreach and the Office of Institutional Research to support creative and engaged scholarship to a grant recipient. Will be something new beginning this fall.
  - Send a call to those who have received/put in for a grant in years past
- Survey of Public Faculty Engagement report
- Engagement Spotlight Brigitta Brunner
  - Book chronologies Civic Engagement over the last 10 years. How can University Faculty engage the Community and University to the benefit of both?
  - New Journal on Campus.
    - Looking for a variety of articles from Journalism, Political Science, etc.
    - Looking for both academic scholarship and practical scholarship
- Other
  - Beyond Auburn Magazine Contribution
  - o Academy of Civic Professionalism (Now is the Academy of Civic Engagement)
  - o May 9-11
  - All auburn faculty and students are free of charge

### 12:40-12:50 - Reminders

- Future council meetings (on Fridays -please check your availability)
  - o June 2, 2017
- Appreciation for Championing Outreach about campus and beyond
- Meeting Scribe Amy Chitwood

### 12:55-1:00 – Other Announcements

- Virginia Davis
  - o Greater East Alabama Regional Science Fair
    - Thursday, March 9
    - 8:00 am to 4:30 pm
  - Nano Days is the evening of March 29<sup>th</sup>

## 1:00 - Adjourn