# **Guided Pathways Advisory Council**

Thursday, June 1st

9:00-10:45 a.m. (Virtual)

Meeting Minutes

Attendance: Chris Bailey, Nekaycha Cavil, Jason Engle, Debra Gilchrist, Jean Hernandez, Lesley Hogan, Sayumi Irey, Pamela Jetter, Jon Kerr, Kerry Levett, Carli Schiffner, Andrew Mcgee, Kimberlee Messina, Valerie Palton, Val Sundby, Monica Wilson, Tim Wyre

### Guided Pathway updates

1. New Hire: Policy Associate for Math Pathways and Placement- Dawn Draus
2. New position being posted soon: Policy Associate for Pathway Navigation and Student Success
   * 1. Collaboration with student services
     2. Focus on advising and navigation, enrollment and onboarding, career discernment, holistic student supports

### Annual Reporting and Evaluations

1. Annual 2158 Funding Survey is Facilitated by SBCTC and will be Released on May 1st and will be due in August. This report will identify how you have utilized the WEIA investment for guided pathways work and what are the results and did covid impact your spending decisions. This report will be sent to the legislature, please include all the data and what you have used to support this work.
2. Washington Institute for Public Policy preliminary report due December 2023, this report evaluates qualitative data for guided pathways on early student outcomes and reviews the implementation of the model in Washington. They also pull an evaluation from College Spark Washington, Community College Research Center, Dr. Debra Bragg
3. Bob Watrus and Deena Heg will be conducting a final College Spark Washington grant evaluation by interviewing individuals from across the state and examining data. There will be a presentation in the fall for the findings

### Guided Pathway Workplan

1. No workplan for 2023-2024
2. Working collaboratively to develop a work plan that is aligned with required Biennial Equity Strategic Plans
3. Consideration of what the system wants and needs, what has and hasn’t worked
4. Timeline
   1. Summer- draft available for comment
   2. Fall- work plan released
   3. Spring-work plan due

### Professional Development

1. Purpose: Provide collaborative learning opportunities leading to data informed action that enhances equity and student success.
2. June 26th and June 27th [National Equity Project: Coaching for Equity Workshop](https://forms.gle/qSJVTNYz9fnXGGMh8)
3. August 9th [Rural Colleges convening (In person)](https://eventactions.com/eareg.aspx?ea=Rsvp&invite=05pbz9r3903entu9j8yjzjrakv6wy7t9zp9v969bagdd9d9jysfb)

### In action

1. Quarterly cluster convenings
2. Communities of Practice and Learning Communities
3. Guided Pathways Promising Practice Exchange
4. Monthly Lunch and Learn series
5. New Faculty Institute (fall) possibly a hybrid option
6. Assessment Teaching and Learning Conference (spring)
7. Coaching and Leadership Academy (fall start)
8. Guided Pathways 101+
9. Collaboration across commissions and councils
10. Calendar and announcements with dates will follow

### GPAC Structure brainstorming

1. Potentially adding GPAC to the WACT structure
   1. What does cross representation look like
2. The commission leaders should decide who represents in GPAC
3. Moving GPAC to a different date or time

### Items to think about:

1. A guided pathways summit that included inviting the legislature
2. Incorporating Bobs and Deena’s report in the WSIPP preliminary report.
3. Data sharing from the Universities