



NAAE Convention Committee Report November 2009

Committee: Professional Growth Committee

	Name	State
Committee Chair:	<u>Cherie Hoffman</u>	<u>IN</u>
Committee Vice Chair:	<u>Scott Stone</u>	<u>MO</u>
Committee Consultant (NAAE Board Member)	<u>Hugh Mooney</u>	<u>CA</u>
Committee Members	Name	State

Region I	<u>Kristina Vetter-Harger</u>	<u>WA</u>
Region I	<u>Marlene Mensch</u>	<u>OR</u>
Region II	<u>Carrol Marks</u>	<u>LA</u>
Region II	<u>Leslie Clark</u>	<u>AR</u>
Region III	<u>Kristyn Harms</u>	<u>NE</u>
Region III	<u>Natasha Mortenson</u>	<u>MN</u>
Region IV	<u>Kellie Warner</u>	<u>OH</u>
Region IV	<u>Heather Obert</u>	<u>IL</u>
Region V	<u>Dale Tucker</u>	<u>TN</u>
Region V	<u>Chris Wilder</u>	<u>FL</u>
Region VI	<u>Jeffery Wilt</u>	<u>VA</u>
Region VI	<u>E. Sherisa Nailor</u>	<u>PA</u>

Item:

Review of Committee Minutes from Summer Meeting

Motion:

None

Key strategic priority areas supported by this activity:**Discussion (Background/Purpose/Advantage/Disadvantages):****Action Taken:**

None

Item:

Discussion of Teacher Turn the Key Data

Motion:

None

Key strategic priority areas supported by this activity:

A1a4

Discussion (Background/Purpose/Advantage/Disadvantages):

The committee was presented information on past participation.

Action Taken:

None

Item:

Teacher Turn the Key Application

Motion:

Heather Obert moved and Kristyn Harms seconded the following motion, "That there is a sample of Teacher Turn the Key placed on the communities of practices.

Key strategic priority areas supported by this activity:

A1a4

Discussion (Background/Purpose/Advantage/Disadvantages):

Were presented information about the selection process and application process. Many of the small states do not have enough people to fill out the application. Several though that the application is good in the fact that it mirrors the other applications.

Action Taken:

Passed

Item:

Communities of Practice

Motion:

Natasha Mortenson moved and Leslie Clark seconded the following motion, "Encourage states to introduce the upper level college students and during the mentor induction participants to the Communities of Practice. NAAE will develop a "How to Guide" to facilitate this process."

Key strategic priority areas supported by this activity:

A1a7

Discussion (Background/Purpose/Advantage/Disadvantages):

We were provided information about the workshops offered at the conference. Committee Chair Hoffman discussed how the process works CoP works. The number of users has doubled since last year. There was some discussion about the ease of use and some frustration about finding information. How do we get information presented to the local agriculture that do not attend national and regional meetings.

We need to look into have the state institutions presenting CoP to their students so they have exposure to the options. We would like to see if mentor inductions could include information. Present more facts specific to CoP.

Action Taken:

Passed

Item:

Review of Strategic Plan as it relates to Professional Growth

Motion:**Key strategic priority areas supported by this activity:****Discussion (Background/Purpose/Advantage/Disadvantages):**

We were encouraged to review the Strategic Plan and make suggestions or recommendations.

Action Taken:

None

Item:

Motion:

Key strategic priority areas supported by this activity:

Discussion (Background/Purpose/Advantage/Disadvantages):

Action Taken:

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Election of 2010 Committee Chair	Heather Obert	IL
Election of 2010 Committee Chair:	Scott Stone	MO

Adjournment:

Kristina Vetter-Harger and Carol Marks moved to adjourn. Motion passed.