

MELFA

Mississippi Educational Leadership Faculty Association

Thursday, July 22, 2021

11:00-2:00

Agenda

<https://belhaven.zoom.us/j/91332074888>

- 10:50 Meet and Greet
- 11:00 Minutes and Agenda Review Dr. Tharp
- Minutes Review
 - Discussion
 - Move to accept
 - Second
 - All in favor
 - Agenda Review
 - Discussion
 - Move to accept
 - Second
 - All in favor
- 11:05 MELFA Executive Committee Dr. Tharp
- Voting for 2021-2022 President-elect
 - Nominations
 - Voting
 - MELFA Executive Committee Representative Discussion Dr. Tharp
- 11:15 MDE Updates and MELFA Expectations Drs. Burson & Stoulig
- 11:30 Pilot Focus Group Discussions
- | | | |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| Purpose | | Dr. Tharp |
| Updates on Focus Groups | School Safety | Dr. Tharp |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Focus Group Process• Findings• Next Steps | |
| | Community Management | Dr. Stafford |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Focus Group Process• Findings• Next Steps | |
| | Professional Growth System | Dr. Carter |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Focus Group Process• Findings | |

MELFA

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Next Steps School Improvement	Dr. Wilkins
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Focus Group Process• Findings• Next Steps	
Next Steps	Short and Long-range Plans Discussion	Dr. Tharp
12:30	Prezi Training Modules Update <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Accessing Ole Miss Site Demonstration• http://training.education.olemiss.edu/• Faculty Access Notification Discussion	Dr. Wilkins Dr. Tharp
12:45	MELFA Vision, Mission, Goals Discussion	Dr. Tharp
	MELFA'S MISSION to support personal and professional growth of educational leaders to impact teaching, leading, and learning in Mississippi.	
	MELFA'S VISION to provide a mechanism for collaboration among educational leadership faculty across the state of Mississippi in order to present a collective voice to advocate for policy and practice yielding highly effective P-16 educational programs.	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• President's Thoughts for Consideration• Vision Discussion• Mission Discussion• Goals for 2021-2022 Discussion	
1:15	MELFA Committees	Dr. Tharp
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Committees Sufficiency Discussion• Membership 2021-2022 Consideration Discussion• Committee Reports and Next Steps In Consideration of MDE/MELFA Vision (See attached MELFA Committee Ongoing Agenda)	Committee Chairs
1:45	President 2021-2022 Plans Comments:	Dr. Tharp

MELFA

2:00 Next ZOOM Meeting tentatively scheduled for: Thursday, August 27, 2021 from
11:00 – 2:00

Adjourned at

MELFA

MELFA'S MISSION to support personal and professional growth of educational leaders to impact teaching, leading, and learning in Mississippi.

MELFA'S VISION to provide a mechanism for collaboration among educational leadership faculty across the state of Mississippi in order to present a collective voice to advocate for policy and practice yielding highly effective P-16 educational programs.

MDE Vision for MELFA:

MELFA Goals for 2021-2022:

MELFA 2020-2021 Standing Committees

COMMUNITY/PUBLIC RELATIONS	COLLABORATION/PROFESSIONAL LEADERSHIP	SUPPORTING RESEARCH/CANDIDATE DEVELOPMENT
Dr. D. Bunch*	Dr. K. Benton	Dr. P. Tharp*
Dr. A. Carter	Dr. D. Lee	Dr. C. Wilkins
Dr. L. Reed	Dr. L. Todd	Dr. D. Bunch
	Dr. N. Cochran*#	Dr. K. Sellers #
Chair*		
# non-voting		

MELFA 2021-2022 Standing Committees Draft

COMMUNITY/PUBLIC RELATIONS	COLLABORATION/PROFESSIONAL LEADERSHIP	SUPPORTING RESEARCH/CANDIDATE DEVELOPMENT
Dr. D. Bunch*	Dr. K. Benton	Dr. P. Tharp*
Dr. A. Carter	Dr. D. Lee	Dr. C. Wilkins
Dr. L. Reed	Dr. L. Todd	Dr. D. Bunch
	Dr. N. Cochran*#	Dr. K. Sellers #
Chair*		
# non-voting		

Public Relations Committee – Albert Carter Chair

Vision

Goals

July 2021 Update:

June 2021 Update:

- PR website being developed and is currently work in progress
- Collecting bios and information
- Delta State will be able to host the site

3/1/2022

MELFA

Collaboration and Professional Leadership – Dr. Cochran Chair

Vision
Goals

July 2021 Update:

June 2021 Update:

- No updates – working on a flyer (posted into Share Drive)
- Flyer used with meeting with PREPS
- Website will be great springboard for partnership with PR Committee

Research Committee – Dr. Tharp Chair

Vision
Goals

July 2021 Update:

June 2021 Update:

- Names of outstanding candidates collected and sent to MACTE
MACTE included these candidates in the spring 2021 awardee
- Request MELFA follow up with awardees to send letter of congratulations on behalf of MELFA and request information to post on website
 - Belhaven – Dr. Sandra Childs-Jones schildsJones@belhaven.edu
 - MSU – Mr. Hilute Hudson – Kemper County School District
hudson@kemper.k12.ms.us
 - William Carey – Ashley Bowen ambowen322357@gmail.com
 - JSU – Chandra Brown – LeFlore County School District
chandra.a.brown@students.jsums.edu
 - Mississippi College – Lindsey Martin tcmartin1657@gmail.com
 - Delta State – Emily Schallotk emilyl@schsc.k12.in.us
 - Southern – Joshua Broussard (email not available yet)
 - UMW – no name (proposal for discontinuing the program)
 - Ole Miss – no name (Dr. Tharp will contact Dr. Bunch)