

Conference Call Agenda
Family & Consumer Sciences Taskforce for Program Advancement
October 15, 2007, 2:30 p.m. Mountain, 3:30 p.m. Central, 4:30 p.m. Eastern
Dial into AAFCS 703-706-4600 if you have prepaid phone service or 800-424-8080.

Taskforce Participants:

Ann Austin, HEU Graduate Commission; Duane Whitbeck, HEU Undergraduate Commission; Jorge Atilas, University of Georgia, Extension representative to this taskforce; Bonnie Braun, AAFCS President-Elect; Billie Collier, Past President of Council of Administrators of FCS (CAFCS); Janet Pope, Chair, CAFCS; Gearldean Johnson, Council of 1890s FCS Administrators; Barbara Stewart, College, University and Research section of AAFCS, University & Research Section; Virginia Vincenti, AAFCS, Past President; Gay Nell McGinnis, AAFCS Credentialing Director; and Steve Jorgensen, Chair, AAFCS HEU; Francille Firebaugh, Senior Consultant to the Provost, Visiting Fellow International Agriculture, & Former Dean of the College of Human Ecology.

Taskforce Goal: To proactively and collaboratively strengthen FCS higher education programs.

Volunteer to take the minutes. When taking the minutes, change the heading of AGENDA to MINUTES.

The July 23, 2007 minutes were distributed by Barbara Stewart.

Adjustments to the agenda if needed.

Old Business:

[If you cannot participate in the conference call (or if it would save us time during our conference call), please email your report to the task force members before the conference call. This will save time for discussion of other issues.]

Update on sessions at AAFCS (Duane)

Update on Nomenclature work (letters to AERA & ETS,
(List of all "places" where HE has been changed to FCS)
(Duane)

Case study examples, of recent structural changes, OK State U., KSU (Steve)

Update on TFPA-WIS database project (Ginny)

New Business:

TFPA as an AAFCS Community (Duane)

Future funding for TFPA-WIS w/ another org for continuing funding

New leader for TFPA-WIS

New Chair for TFPA

Headcounter on TFPA website (one for each page) (Steve)
New website contact since Steve is rotating off the committee??

Other challenges we should be addressing?

Questions researchers should be addressing about our field/discipline/profession in higher education?

Next conf call date and time will be _____ at _____ EDST, _____ CDST, _____ EDST.
(Remember for Barbara Stewart to participate 3:00 p.m. CDST is 6:00 a.m. Melbourne, AU time.)