

## **ECE Department Meeting**

March 14, 2019

1:30 p.m., U-202B

Present: Kathie DiLascio, David Koehler, Elizabeth Perdomo, Kelly Roy, Laura Osgood, Mary Harder, Jenna Thompson, Joyce Rollins

- I. Approval of 2/7/19 minutes: David Koehler moved to accept the minutes of the 2/7/19 ECE Department Meeting as distributed. Laura Osgood seconded the motion. The motion was carried and the minutes of the 2/7/19 ECE Department Meeting were approved as distributed and placed on Document Manager.
- II. Legislative Update: Kelly reported on the most updated legislative updates and asked if anyone would like a copy. Julia Kroeker would like a copy. Kelly will send to her.
- III. NCEF Center in Naples Update: Kelly reported that we are in negotiations for funding. Hopes are to get the center up and running within the next year starting with infants beginning in Fall 2019.
- IV. Field Placement Update: Liz distributed a handout of all ECE Centers and the current status of each one. She asked that faculty share the names and contact information of the ones that have been approved. Kelly reported that the 2020 Catalog will include the number of hours students are expected to complete.
- V. Review of Data (DARE) and Effectiveness: Laura presented a comprehensive review of the evidence she has collected that will be submitted in June 2019. This included the following SWOT analysis:
  - a. Strengths:
    - i. Certificates
    - ii. State College of Florida
    - iii. "C" or better in all ECE coursework
    - iv. Specs grading
    - v. More completers
  - b. Weaknesses:

- i. Students who do not wish to be successful
- ii. Scholarship opportunities
- c. Opportunities:
  - i. State College of Florida
  - ii. Specs grading
  - iii. Time online
  - iv. More institutions to accept AS ECE degree
  - v. "C" or better in all ECE coursework
  - vi. Scholarship monies
- d. Threats:
  - i. No framework available from the State
  - ii. Time spent online,
  - iii. Canvas data
  - iv. Better ways to measure actual online learning

Laura will review grades from Fall 2018 as compared to Spring 2019 for CHD 1134.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:00 p.m.