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Action

Executive Committee

Educator Preparation Student Liaison

Executive Summary: This agenda item presents possible appointees for Educator Preparation Student Liaison to the Commission.

Recommended Action: That the Executive Committee select and appoint an Educator Preparation Student Liaison to the Commission.

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Strategic Plan Goal

III: Communication and Engagement

- ◆ Maintain and strengthen working relationships with the Commission's diverse stakeholder community.

September 2013

Educator Preparation Student Liaison

Introduction

This agenda item presents up to three selected applicants for Educator Preparation Student Liaison to the Commission for possible appointment by the Commission's Executive Committee.

Background

At its June 13-14, 2013 meeting the Commission's Executive Committee amended the Policy Manual of the Commission on Teacher Credentialing to add §201 which provides for the appointment of a student enrolled in an educator preparation program. This Educator Preparation Student Liaison will represent the views and experiences of students to the Commission.

Application and Selection Process for Educator Preparation Student Liaison

Staff developed an application form and instructions regarding the application process. These items were disseminated to the public, stakeholders, and deans and directors of Commission approved educator preparation programs at institutions of higher education and local education agencies through direct email. Additionally, information was posted to the Commission's website and announced on the Commission's Facebook and Twitter pages.¹

Interested parties were instructed to complete the application form and send it, with all additional requested attachments, to the attention of the Executive Office at the address provided on the form. The application deadline was set at September 13, 2013.

Commission Chair Dr. Linda Darling Hammond directed staff to work with two Commissioners to select as many as three applicants for consideration by the Commission's Executive Committee. Selected application(s) will be presented as an agenda insert. The Executive Committee will select one applicant for appointment as Educator Preparation Student Liaison to the Commission.

Possible Educator Preparation Student Liaison Attendance

Because this is a one-year appointment that begins on October 1, the Educator Preparation Student Liaison may be in attendance at the following meetings:

December 12-13, 2013
February 13-14, 2014
April 10-11, 2014

June 19-20, 2014
August 14-15, 2014

Recommended Action

That the Executive Committee select and appoint an Educator Preparation Student Liaison to the Commission.

¹ <http://www.ctc.ca.gov/commission/educator-prep-liaison.html>