2009

23rd Annual Faculty to Faculty Conference October 9, 2009

Sheraton Denver Tech Center/Arapahoe Community College Denver, Colorado

Colorado's 23rd Annual Faculty to Faculty Conference What:

Friday October 9, 2009 When:

Locations:

Sheraton Denver Tech Center Arapahoe Community College 7007 South Clinton Street Main Campus Building 5900 South Santa Fe Drive Englewood, CO 80112 (866) 716-8134 Littleton, CO 80120-1801

303-797-4222

Time: *8:00am - 3:30 pm

*Check-in/Breakfast will commence at 8:00am; conference program will begin at

9:00am.

* To convene faculty from Colorado's two and four-year public, post-secondary **Purpose:** institutions from across the state who will:

> • Engage in discipline discussions with faculty from other state institutions;

- Review specific majors and programs, including issues regarding advising and lower division course offerings within majors;
- Complement current state efforts to up-date institutional transfer guides;
- Explore the feasibility of creating additional statewide transfer articulation agreements.

Invitation to Participate

This year's conference will feature faculty discussions in the following disciplines:

- Biology
- History
- Psychology
- Economics
- Mathematics
- Spanish
- Early Childhood Education
- Elementary Education
- Business

<u>Please note</u>: Criminal Justice courses/majors will be discussed Friday, October 23, 2009 at CCCS. More details to follow.

The faculty discipline groups for Biology, History, Psychology, Economics, Mathematics and Spanish will meet at the Denver Tech Center. These groups will each include a maximum of 20 faculty from Colorado's public, post-secondary two and four-year sector institutions. Each institution is encouraged to send <u>one</u> individual to the conference for the discussions of these disciplines. This individual can either be faculty or staff (such as professional advising staff). Institutions are encouraged to send <u>experienced</u> faculty or staff who have knowledge of majors as well as programs and/or academic advising.

The faculty discipline groups of Early Childhood, Elementary Education, and Business will meet at Arapahoe Community College. Each institution is encouraged to send three individuals to the conference for the discussions of these disciplines. These individuals can either be faculty or staff (such as professional advising staff). Institutions are encouraged to send experienced faculty or staff who have knowledge of majors as well as programs and/or academic advising. The articulation agreements already in place for these disciplines will be the focus of the discussions.

*Please note: The CCCS is invited to send 7-8 faculty/advisors who will represent their 13-member system; the two community college districts will each send their own delegations (separate from the CCCS).

**Please send a list of your institution's delegation (for each of the disciplines mentioned), by September 30, to:

Maia Blom Colorado Department of Higher Education 303-866-2724 maia.blom@dhe.state.co.us

Your institutional lists should include the first and last name of each attendee, their title, and the discipline they're representing.

**Please email your institution's transfer guidelines for each discipline to Maia Blom, by Tuesday, October 6, 2009. These documents will be used as the basis of discussion. They do not have to be in final form. Please send your guidelines, even if your institution is not able to be present at the conference.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact Vicki A. Leal, Academic Policy Officer, DHE, 303-866-2723; vicki.leal@dhe.state.co.us