Leadership Council Meeting Minutes
22 February 2017

Attendance: Craig Kennedy, Brian Glaser, Barbara Crawford, Andy Garber, Ralph Knapp, Cynthia Dillard, Cindy Vail, Stacey Neuharst-Prichett, Kathleen Demarrais, Janet Buckworth, Ashley Farris, Anne Marcotte, Jen Williams, Elizabeth Kozak, Ellen Evans, Anneliese Singh

Faculty Senate Updates (Ellen Evans)
- Met on 22FEB17 with Jen Williams to discuss ways to enhance the faculty-Communications Office interface
- Administrative and Department Heads Feedback Survey closing soon.
- Last round of elections being planned for COE Faculty Senate, internal committees, and Graduate Council to occur in March.

DEI Conference (Anneliese Singh)
- March 24, 2017 from 8:15 – 12:30 pm
- Dr. Derald Wing Sue, the top cited multicultural researcher and investigator of microaggressions, will deliver the keynote (“Understanding and Facilitating Difficult Dialogues on Race and Pressing Contemporary Issues”) and closing panel (“Courageous Conversations: Next Steps in Everyday Life, Research, and Practice (with Dr. Dawn Bennett-Alexander, Dr. Adel Amer, Jason Wallace, Anneliese Singh)
- Courageous Conversations: Engaging in Dialogues that Bring People Together

Double Dawgs (Stacey Neuharst-Prichett)
- Thanks to those who submitted double dawg programs.
- Will advance 5 programs: (1) Division of Biological Sciences and Master of Arts in Science Education, (2) Psychology/Masters in Applied Behavior Analysis, (3) Statistics/Masters in Educational Psychology, Quantitative Methodology; (4) Human Development and Family Studies/Masters in Special Education (Birth to 5 emphasis); and Family and Consumer Science Education/Masters in Workforce Education.
- These programs will draw new students into the COE and into our teaching and applied fields.

Nominations 40 Under 40 and Bulldog 100 (Elizabeth Kozak)
- Please let Elizabeth Kozak know if any nominations for both of these programs from all departments.
- 40 Under 40 are run centrally by the Alumni organization, and way to showcase the stellar alumni. Typically 600 people apply, and prestigious award from UGA, and a great way to show off how diverse COE alumni are and the various ways they use their degrees...
• The Bulldog 100 is an event where 100 business owners are selected and honored for their success as alumni. This is really about social entrepreneurship. As an example, the number one Bulldog 100 from a past year was a social work alumni who owns a community mental health organization – so think broadly about nominations.
• For both events, the nominee receives an email notifying them they have been nominated, so the nominee completes the bulk of the work of the nomination.

Announcements
From Janet Buckworth regarding Kinesiology speakers:
• Lewis Lecturer: Dr. Dane Cook, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Wednesday, February 22, 3:30 GA Center
• Candidate for the Endowed Professorship in Kinesiology: Dr. Chris Modlesky, research lecture: 10:00-11:00 AM Research Presentation: “Enhancing Musculoskeletal Health in Children with Cerebral Palsy,” 202 Ramsey