



STATE SUPERINTENDENT'S CAREER-READY COMMISSION

Tuesday, July 28, 2009
NC Biotechnology Center, RTP
Board of Directors Room
 9:30 am – 3:00 pm

OBJECTIVES:

- Hear about key issues influencing seamless K-20 education in NC
- Begin formulating recommendations for policy development and change

9:00 – 9:30 am	Beverages	
9:30 – 10:00 am	Opening <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Summary of Last Meeting • Agenda Overview 	June Atkinson <i>State Superintendent</i> <i>NC Department of Public Instruction</i>
10:00 – 10:15 am	Workforce Boards in NC	Beth Lucas <i>Director, Policy & Governance</i> <i>NC Department of Commerce</i>
10:15 – 10:25 am	Career-Readiness Certification	David Hollars <i>Executive Director, Centralina</i> <i>Workforce Development Board, Inc.</i>
10:25 – 10:40 am	Break	
10:40 – 11:15 am	Community College Completion Rates and Placement Tests	Scott Ralls <i>President</i> <i>NC Community College System</i>
11:15 am – 12:00 pm	Preparation for Group Work <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Criteria for Recommendations • Review of Blackboard Responses • Group Instructions 	June Atkinson <i>State Superintendent</i> <i>NC Department of Public Instruction</i>
12:00 – 12:45 pm	Lunch	
12:45 – 2:00 pm	Development of Recommendations	
2:00 – 2:45 pm	Group Reporting	
2:45 – 3:00 pm	Closing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Summary • Next Steps 	June Atkinson <i>State Superintendent</i> <i>NC Department of Public Instruction</i>