# COLLEGE OF EDUCATION & HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

## **CEHD Insider - January 2019**

### **College, Student, Alumni News, and Special Events**

## CEHD News...

#### **Dean's Greeting**



Welcome back from what I trust was a restful and enjoyable holiday and winter break for all!

Thank you for your efforts in 2019 to continue to provide your unique and deep expertise, academic, scholarly, service and community engaged efforts at the University of Louisville and in the College of Education and Human Development. As we begin a new year, President Neeli Bendapudi has emphasized with the University's

Dean Ann E. Larson

leadership team the importance of our work as we know that our students' lives will be transformed through their educational and affiliated experiences, intellectual energies, collaboration with faculty, staff, each other and within the community, nationally and internationally, and experiences with diversity along their journeys to meaningful career and other human and life aspirations.

Our partners who employ our students in their workforce share frequently with us that they value the CEHD and the rigor and quality of our various and diverse academic programs. Despite stringent budget cuts and other challenges in the past several years, you have managed to not only maintain the academic quality in educating our 3,000+ students, you have increased the quality of education; created, revised, improved programs and partnerships; sought ways to support students academically, with scholarships, fellowships and other academic benefits; been active in recruitment and retention efforts; continued to produce high quality and transformational research; engaged in meaningful and participatory community engagement; and supported CEHD's critical Centers and affiliate units including the Early Learning Campus and Planetarium.

Our CEHD presence at the University's fall graduation was indeed impressive with the numbers and quality of our students represented at undergraduate, graduate and doctoral levels. And, among our graduates were several CEHD faculty and staff! I heard from numerous parents and others positive feedback about our faculty and staff.

As we embark on this first week of classes, we recognize that this is an intense and hectic period for faculty and staff. Please let me or others in the College and Departments know what we can do to support you in any way. We also have several critical faculty and staff searches underway and we have several new colleagues who have recently or will be soon joining us. Please support them in their transition and welcome them to the CEHD and their home department.

CEHD will continue to embrace opportunities and stand up to challenges, including overcoming the budgetary constraints we have faced in recent years. We are optimistic about this progress given a new, pending budget model under development for the University with incentives for academic, service and support units and in alignment with metrics from Frankfort.

Please join me in continuing to build on the successes of the 2018 fall semester. Also, please share your good news and accomplishments including student examples of success with Dorothy Vittitow for the monthly edition of the CEHD Insider where we strive to promote the College, programs and outreach. *Happy New Year 2019!* 

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#### **Guskey Joins ELEOD**

Thomas R. Guskey, professor emeritus in the College of Education at the University of Kentucky, has joined the Department of Educational Leadership, Evaluation and Organizational Development (ELEOD) as a part-time Senior Research Scholar. He is wellknown for his work and research in educational measurement, assessment, evaluation and

professional learning. Dr. Guskey will be working with the Educational Administration Leadership (EAL) program on curriculum development, supporting the EAL students, presenting on his expertise of grading/feedback, and exploring programming for international educational leaders. He is author/editor of 24 award-winning books, more than 250 book chapters, articles and professional papers. Dr. Guskey has received several prestigious awards, most recently the Albert Nelson Marquis Lifetime Achievement Award, and was named a Fellow in the American Educational Research Association (AERA). Read more about Dr. Guskey...

#### **CEHD and NCEE Welcome the 2019 AACTE Conference**

The Nystrand Center of Excellence and the CEHD are excited to be an integral part of the Association of American Colleges for Teacher Education (AACTE) 2019 conference that will be held in Louisville in February. CEHD is co-sponsoring with the Kentucky Public Deans of Education Council, which is made up of deans from the following colleges of education in Kentucky's Public universities: Eastern Kentucky University, Kentucky State University, Morehead State University, Murray State University, University of Kentucky, University of Louisville, University of Northern Kentucky, and Western Kentucky University. Numerous faculty from the CEHD will be attending and presenting at the conference. Learn more...

#### Submit Items for the Insider

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#### **Ingle to Serve on CPED Committee**



Kyle Ingle, PhD, assistant chair and associate professor in the Department of Educational Leadership, Evaluation and Organizational Development, was invited by the Carnegie Project on the Education Doctorate (CPED) to serve on its Program of the Year Award Committee. The

award is given annually to institutions whose CPED-influenced programs demonstrate that they are distinctive, innovative, and stimulate change among other programs.

#### **CEHD** Philanthropy Update



I hope everyone enjoyed their winter break and are looking forward to the spring semester. We believe that during 2019 we will see a significant increase in giving to the College and the University. The University has had some very difficult times during the past couple of years. Giving has been down across the University but the good news is that we have alumni and friends who continue to support the

College and there is also an increase in donations from those who have never given before. In future updates we would like to highlight alumni, faculty, staff, and friends who support the College.

As an ambassador, please remember our philanthropic goals for the year remain focused on student scholarships, international learning, the Cardinal Success Program, the Multicultural Teacher Recruitment Program (MTRP), initiatives in the Nystrand Center of Excellence in Education, and naming opportunities. However, when meeting with prospective donors, we work together to learn what they have a passion for in regards to programs and research in the College. We may find that a particular research project and its potential impacts may be of personal interest to them. If so, I will schedule a meeting with the researchers/faculty members and the donor to discuss further details about their work. We do not limit our possibilities of giving to the College when a donor wants to create a legacy or make a difference in the community.

If you have a project you'd like to discuss, or if you have questions about donating to the College, please drop me an email, jonathan.israel@louisville.edu.

Thank you,

Make a Gift to the CEHD

Jonathan Israel Director of Development College of Education and Human Development

## **Student News**

Allison Fowler, a doctoral student in the Educational Psychology, Evaluation and Measurement program, and coauthors, Kate Snyder, PhD, associate professor in the Department of Counseling Psychology and Human Development, and Jill Adelson, PhD, Duke University, published a federal grant report, "Executive Summary of Project Reaching Academic Potential (RAP) Evaluation Data, December 2018," that was submitted to the Kentucky Department of Education and to the Institute of Education Sciences.

**Brittany Crawford**, a doctoral student in the Department of Counseling and Human Development's Educational Psychology, Evaluation and Measurement program, and Jill Adelson, PhD, Duke University, are co-authors of the article, "Exploring Obstacles Faced by Gifted Minority Students Through Bronfenbrenner's Bioecological Systems Theory," which will be published in an up-coming issue of High Ability Studies.

## Alumni News

**CEHD Grads Featured in Louisville Magazine** The December issue of Louisville Magazine named Jefferson County Public Schools (JCPS) Teachers as Persons of the Year. The article featured several teachers in the district and three were CEHD graduates:

- Jama Vogt MAT in Secondary Education with a concentration in English, Atherton High School
- Jennifer Wade-Hesse MEd in Counseling and Personnel Services with a concentration in College Student Personnel, Olmsted Academy South
- Theresa Reilly MEd in Elementary Education, Noe Middle School.

Link to the article...

#### **CEHD Grad Finalist for KASA Award**

**Steve Miracle**, a graduate of the EdD in Educational Administration and Leadership program and superintendent of Trimble County Schools, was named a finalist for the Kentucky Association of School Administrators (KASA) 2019 Kentucky School Superintendent of the Year.

## **Upcoming Events**

- Tuesday, January 15, 2019, 3 4 p.m. Office of Diversity and Inclusion Monthly Dialogue and Discussion Series:
  "The Importance of "Inclusion"" Porter Education Building, room 110
- **Tuesday, February 26, 2019, 1 3 p.m.** CEHD Diversity Day Porter Education Building Lobby

The Event is hosted by the CEHD Student Government Council's Diversity Initiatives Committee and the CEHD Diversity Committee. Representatives from various campus student organizations will setup booths/stations displaying information about culture, cutural jewelry, clothing, and food specific to different cultures. There will also be dance performances by UofL cultural dance groups.



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