

2nd PAC Progress Report

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PAC Field of Study: Secondary Education

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Project Status

Briefly describe the PACs progress to date.

Content was submitted to the Desire2Learn website, specifically:

- ENGLISH
- SOCIAL STUDIES
- MATHEMATICS
- PHYSICS
- GENERAL SCIENCE
- CHEMISTRY
- BIOLOGY
- EARTH SCIENCE

Resolved Issues

List issues resolved by the PAC since submitting the last report to PDE. Attach related documents, if necessary.

Unresolved Issues

List outstanding issues still being discussed. Attach related documents, if necessary.

1. Establishing uniform general content (required) along with foundational level pedagogical courses that align with community colleges and senior institutions.
2. Determining a possible competency-based curriculum that will address the diverse curricula across institutions.

Next Steps

Outline the PAC's next steps in completing the agreement. Include a deadline for each step.

Set up another face-to-face meeting for the SECED PAC in Harrisburg. Tentative-December, 2011

Additional Comments

After a discussion regarding the overall issues with the PAC, the co-chair and TAOC Steering Committee decided to poll the PAC to determine availability for another meeting.