



KENNESAW STATE
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COLLEGE OF GRADUATE AND
PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

Graduate Council
Wednesday, November 11, 2020
(Thank you, Veterans!)
2:00pm Teams Meeting

Agenda

1. **Welcome** – David Baugher – 5 min
2. **Panel Discussion on:** *Transitioning Students from Acceptance to First Day in Class* – David will host a conversation with 3 graduate program directors on communication, events, and other initiatives that increase yield. – 20-25 min
3. **Open Questions on:** *Graduate Certificates* – Our graduate programs have three significant strategic assets: the credibility of Kennesaw State, their faculty, and their content. In addition to offering degree programs, how else can we utilize these strategic assets? What might be the role of Graduate Certificates? Potential responses might touch on 1) teasers for people interested in graduate school but not ready to fully commit to a masters/doctoral program, 2) alternative paths to admission, 3) a platform for experimentation of new content or delivery (online, Hi-Flex, asynchronous, etc.), and 4) refresher programs for practitioners and leaders in the field. – 20-25 min
4. **Q&A:** Unstructured time for program directors to ask clarifying questions on current topics or policies. – 10 min
5. **Close**

NOTE: For the "Open Questions on..." section, you may send questions or comments prior to the meeting so that we make sure to incorporate them in the discussion. Send questions/comments to David Baugher (dbaugher@kennesaw.edu).

Next meeting: Wed, January 20, 2021 @ 2:00pm