

## **Southern Region FCS Program Leaders- Quarterly Meeting**

Friday, February 7, 2025

In attendance: Ann Berry, Janet Fox, Courtney Dodd, Karen Munden, Mary Higginbotham, Katryn Eske, Laura Downey, Nina Roofe, Kena Torbert, Stephen Green, Helen Worthen, Marilyn Bailey, Gina Peek, Jacquelyn White, La Toya O'Neal, Teresa Gammill, Dreamal Worthen, Britney Clark, Si-Arah McCray

Identifying Specialists for dossier/promotion reviews- Laura Downey

- Proposed process- survey FCS program leaders at southern region institutions to identify specialists in their state
  - Collect the following information on each specialist- name, email, rank, tenured or non-tenured and any specialization areas that would be helpful for department heads or others reviewing their dossiers
- Propose launching the survey in March with intention to wrap up by May, in preparation for Fall review

### **Subcommittee Reports**

Workforce Development- Gina Peek

- Third party authenticator to get into Teams, offering her support to access
- Documents available in the Teams drive:
  - 3 tasks to complete prior to August
  - Project CCEP core competencies
- Will create a doodle poll to see when subcommittee members can meet

Food Nutrition Security

- Objective 1: Complete a survey of the southern region to compile programs and food access resources
  - Surveys have been developed, two types; one for program highlights across a region and another for agents in their locality
  - Group ask- Send out survey and letter in an email

## **Additional Updates**

- Janet Fox- submitting an article to the Journal of Extension with retention results from last year's committee work
- Mark your calendars! [2025 SRPLN Annual Meeting](#)- Atlanta, August 18-21