### **ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

### **Commission Meeting**

## RSA Union Building Ninth Floor, PSC Hearing Room Montgomery, Alabama

## March 12, 2004

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# **ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

September 23, 2005 9:00 a.m.

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RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

> November 10, 2005 10:00 a.m.

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# **ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

RSA Union Building, 9<sup>th</sup> Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

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RSA Union Building, 9<sup>th</sup> Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

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RSA Union Building, 9<sup>th</sup> Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

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- II. Roll Call of Members and Determination of Quorum
- III. Approval of Agenda
- IV. Decision Item
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# **ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

RSA Union Building, 9<sup>th</sup> Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

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### **ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

> June 27, 2008 9:00 a.m.

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RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

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June 26, 2009 9:30 a.m. (Initially Convening as a Committee of the Whole)

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RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

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RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

December 4, 2009 9:00 a.m.

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#### **ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

> March 12, 2010 9:00 a.m.

### **Meeting of the Committee of the Whole**

Chair, Steve Shaw

I.	Call to Order	

- II. Roll Call of Members and Determination of Quorum
- III. Presentation of Decision Items

### **Regular Meeting**

	Chair, Tom Davis
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RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room June 18, 2010

# 9:00 a.m. Instructional Affairs Committee Meeting

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- II. Roll Call of Members and Determination of Quorum
- III. Presentation of Decision Items

## 10:30 a.m. Regular Meeting

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September 10, 2010 9:30 a.m.

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RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

> March 9, 2012 9:30 a.m.

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RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

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### **ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

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RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

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RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

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RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

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### **ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

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### **ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

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### **ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

> June 12, 2015 10:00 a.m.

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8.	University of West Alabama, Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Science in Sport Management (CIP 31.0504) ····································
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11.	Jacksonville State University, Master of Social Work in Social Work (CIP 44.0701)······ 100 Staff Presenter: Dr. Lenny Lock
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#### **ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

> December 9, 2016 10:00 a.m.

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4.	University of North Alabama, Establishment of the Center for the Study of Exercise Science and Health Promotion
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RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

> March 10, 2017 10:00 a.m.

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2.	University of Alabama in Huntsville, Change in the Name of the Department of Physics to the Department of Physics and Astronomy
3.	University of Alabama in Huntsville, Merger of the School of Graduate Studies and The Office of International Engagement
4.	University of Alabama at Birmingham, Establishment of the Center for Teaching and Learning
5.	Jacksonville State University, Change in the Name of the Department of Physical and Earth Sciences to the Department of Chemistry and Geosciences
6.	University of Montevallo, Addition of a Foreign Language Certification in Spanish to the Existing Alternative M.Ed. In Secondary Education (CIP 13.1205)
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# ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION RSA Union Building, Oth Floor

RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

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7.	Addition of a Concentration in Social Media Marketing to the Existing MS in Marketing (CIP 52.1401)	
8	Addition of a Concentration in Value Investing to the Existing BSCBA in Banking and Finance (CIP 52.0801)	
9	Addition of a Concentration in Nurse Education to the Existing EdD in Instructional Leadership (CIP 13.0404)	
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RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

September 8, 2017 10:00 a.m.

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UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA (UA)				
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UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA AT BIRMINGHAM (UAB)				
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Master of Arts in Education in Early Childhood Education (CIP 13.1210)				
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- 6. Athens State University, Addition of an Option in Health Care Administration to the Existing BS in Health Science (CIP 51.9999)
- 7. Auburn University, Alteration of the PhD in Fisheries (CIP 01.0303)
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RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

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	Master of Science in Healthcare Simulation (CIP 30.0601) · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
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Bachelor of Science in Information Technology (CIP 11.0103) · · · · · · · · · · 20     Staff Presenter: Ms. Margaret Pearson	9
Master of Science in Mathmatics (CIP 27.0101)	7
UNIVERSITY OF WEST ALABAMA (UWA)	
Doctor of Education in Rural Education (CIP 13.9999)	8
ALABAMA COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM (ACCS)	
BISHOP STATE COMMUNITY COLLEGE	
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GADSDEN STATE COMMUNITY COLLEGE	
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RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

> March 9, 2018 10:00 a.m.

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	CALHOUN COMMUNITY COLLEGE			
	Associate in Applied Science in Dental Hygiene (CIP 51.0602)			
	ENTERPRISE STATE COMMUNITY COLLEGE			
	<ol> <li>Associate in Applied Science and Certificate in Medical Assistant Technology (CIP 51.0801)</li></ol>			
	SHELTON STATE COMMUNITY COLLEGE			
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#### **ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

> June 8, 2018 10:00 a.m.

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VI.	Executive Director's Report  Dr. Jim Purcell
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	LURLEEN B. WALLACE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
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RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

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G.	Final Approval of Amendments to the Administrative Procedures for Education Assistance Programs (Academic Common Market and SREB Contract Programs) for Chapter 300-2-4
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	Staff Presenter: Ms. Margaret Pearson
	FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTIONS
U	NIVERSITY OF ALABAMA (UA)
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	UNI	VERSITY OF ALABAMA IN HUNTSVILLE (UAH)
	1	. Master of Arts in Teaching - P-12 Education (CIP 13.1206) · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
	UNI	VERSITY OF WEST ALABAMA (UWA)
	1	. Bachelor of Science in Health and Physical Education (CIP 13.999) · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
	UNI	VERSITY OF NORTH ALABAMA (UNA)
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## **Work Session Agenda**

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Longitudinal Data System Financial Aid

Lunch provided for Commissioners in the Commissioners Conference Room, 7th floor, Suite 779

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## ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION Troy University Trojan Center Theater 7 College Drive Troy, AL 36082

December 7, 2018 10:00 a.m.

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GADSDEN STATE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
Associate in Applied Science in Dental Hygiene/Hygienist (CIP 51.0602) · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
NORTHWEST SHOALS COMMUNITY COLLEGE
Associate in Applied Science in Radiologic Technology (CIP 51.0911)       Staff Presenter: Ms. Margaret Pearson
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WALLACE COMMUNITY COLLEGE DOTHAN
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## **ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

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RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

> June 7, 2019 10:00 a.m.

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RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

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## ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION

**Commission Meeting** 

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RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

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### **ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

### June 10, 2022 10:00 AM

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II.	Roll Call of Members and Determination of Quorum
III.	Approval of Agenda
IV.	Consideration of Minutes of March 11, 2022
V.	Chairman's Report Commissioner Charles Buntin  Appoint Nominating Committee
VI.	Executive Director's Report  Dr. Jim Purcell  • FAFSA Completion - Year 1 update  • ACHE Fellows
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### **ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

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RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

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Staff Presenter: Dr. Robin McGill

2. University of Alabama at Birmingham

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7.	Summary of Post-Implementation Reports Staff Presenter: Mrs. Kristan White

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- Coastal Alabama Community College, Associate of Applied Science in Animation, Interactive, Video Graphics and Visual Effects (CIP 10.0304)
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  - Associated of Science and Certificate in Media Production (CIP 10.0202)
  - Associated of Science and Certificate in Automotive Manufacturing Technology (CIP 15.0613)
  - Associated of Science and Certificate in Hospitality Services Management (CIP 52.0999)
- Northeast Alabama Community College, Associate of Applied Science and Certificate in Criminal Justice Technology (CIP 43.0107)
- Northwest-Shoals Community College,
  - Certificate in Automotive Service Technology (CIP 47.0604)
  - Associate of Applied Science in Medical Assisting Technology (CIP 51.0801)
- Shelton State Community College, Associated of Science and Certificate in Salon and Spa Management (CIP 12.0412)
- Southern Union State Community College, Associated of Science and Certificate in Industrial Maintenance Technology (CIP 47.0303)
- Alabama A&M University,
- Bachelor of Music in Music (CIP 50.0901)
- Bachelor of Science in Plant Biotechnology (CIP 26.1201)
- Alabama State University,
  - Doctor of Philosophy in Educational, Leadership, Policy and Law (CIP 13.0401)
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  - Bachelor of Science in Forensic Biology (CIP 43.0111)
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  - Bachelor of Science in Information Technology (CIP 11.0103)
  - Bachelor of Science in Management of Cybersecurity Operations (CIP 52.1201)
- Auburn University,
  - Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Science (CIP 01.0000)
  - Master of Science/ Master of Natural Resources in Natural Resource Management (CIP 03.0101)
  - Bachelor of Science in Natural Resources Management (CIP 03.0201)
  - Doctor of Philosophy in Polymer and Fiber Engineering (CIP 14.3201)
  - Bachelor of Science in Applied Biotechnology (CIP 26.1201)
  - Master of Science in Industrial and Organizational Psychology (CIP 42.2804)
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  - Bachelor of Science in Forensic Investigation (CIP 43.0402)
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  - Master of Science in Nursing (CIP 51.3801)
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  - Master of Arts in Religion in Culture (CIP 38.0201)
- University of Alabama at Birmingham, Master of Science in Instructional Design and Development (CIP 22.0211)

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  - Master of Education in Teacher Education, Multiple Levels (CIP 13.1206)
  - Master of Aerospace Systems Engineering in Aerospace Systems Engineering (CIP 14.0201)
  - Bachelor of Science in Aerospace Engineering (CIP 14.0201)
  - Master of Aerospace Systems Engineering in Aerospace Systems Engineering (CIP 14.0201)
  - Bachelor of Science in Individualized Studies (CIP 30.9999)
  - Bachelor of Science in Economics and Computational Analysis (CIP 45.0699)
- University of Montevallo, Educational Specialist in Instructional Technology (CIP 13.0501)
- University of North Alabama,
  - Bachelor of Science or Bachelor of Arts in Mass Communication (CIP 09.0102)
  - Bachelor of Science in Education Early Childhood Education (CIP 13.1210)
  - Bachelor of Science in Sport and Recreation Management (CIP 31.0504)
  - Bachelor of Science in Exercise Science (CIP 31.0505)
- University of West Alabama, Master of Science in Experimental Psychology (CIP 42.2704)
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  - University of Alabama at Birmingham, Doctor of Philosophy in Geography (CIP 45.0701) Extension Requested

#### G. Adjournment



### **ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

### March 10, 2023 10:00 AM

ı.	Call to Order / Prayer/ Pledge of Allegiance
II.	Roll Call of Members and Determination of Quorum
III.	Approval of Agenda
IV.	Consideration of Minutes of December 9, 2022
V.	Chairman's Report Commissioner Miranda Frost
VI.	Executive Director's Report  Dr. Jim Purcell  Legislative Updates  Trends in Higher Education
VII.	Discussion Items
	Employment Outcomes Report     Staff Presenter: Dr. Jim Hood
/III.	Decision Items
	A. Academic Programs
	Alabama A&M University     Doctor of Philosophy in Social Work (CIP 44.0701)
	Auburn University at Montgomery     Doctor of Education in Instructional Systems and Learning Sciences (CIP 13.0607)
	3. Jacksonville State University a. Bachelor of Public Health in Public Health (CIP 51.2201)
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	b. University of Alabama, Master of Arts in Religion in Culture (CIP 38.0201) - Modification Requested
	c. University of Alabama, Doctor of Philosophy in Geography (CIP 45.0701) - Extension Requested
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### **ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

### June 9, 2023 10:00 AM

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II.	Roll Call of Members and Determination of Quorum
III.	Approval of Agenda
IV.	Consideration of Minutes of March 10, 2023
V.	Chairman's Report  Commissioner Miranda Bouldin  Appoint Nominating Committee  Commissioner Pylant Presentation
VI.	Executive Director's Report  Dr. Jim Purcell  New Staff- Summer student workers and ACHE fellows  State Workforce Needs
VII.	Discussion Items  • Legislative Update Staff Presenter: Mrs. Margaret Gunter
VIII.	Decision Items
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	B. Academic Programs
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	2. Athens State University a. Master of Education in Training and Development (CIP 13.0607)
	b. Master of Fine Arts in Integrative Design (CIP 50.0702)

	3.	Auburn University Bachelor of Science in Public and One Health (CIP 51.2201)	
	4.	University of Alabama  a. Bachelor of Arts in Applied Liberal Arts and Sciences (CIP 24.0101)	
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#### **ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

Jacksonville State University
700 Pelham Road North
Meehan Hall, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor on Mountain Street
Jacksonville, AL 36265

### September 8, 2023 10:00 AM

I.	Call to Order / Prayer/ Pledge of Allegiance
II.	Roll Call of Members and Determination of Quorum
III.	Welcome Remarks President Don Killingsworth
IV.	Approval of Agenda
٧.	Consideration of Minutes of June 9, 2023
VI.	Chairman's Report Commissioner Miranda Bouldin
VII.	Election of Officers Nominating Committee Report
VIII.	Executive Director's Report  Dr. Jim Purcell  Summer Bridge  Preliminary Enrollment Trends  Changes in FAFSA Rules
IX.	<ul> <li>Discussion Items</li> <li>Deferred Maintenance Results- Staff Presenter: Dr. Jim Hood</li> <li>Student Rights to Know Website- Staff Presenter: Dr. Jim Hood</li> <li>Performance Based Funding- Staff Presenter: Dr. Jim Hood</li> <li>Update the timeline status of the Alabama National Guard Education Assistance Program (ANGEAP) Administrative Procedures Code Changes - Staff Presenter: Mrs. Artcola Pettway</li> <li>(Re)Engage Alabama Community of Practice: Dr. Robin McGill</li> </ul>
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	B. Approval of 2024 Meeting Schedule
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Н.	Ac	eliminary Approval of Amendments to the Administrative Procedures for ademic Program Review §300-2-110	
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	1.	Athens State University Bachelor of Science in Marketing and Analytics (CIP 52.1401)	
	2.	Auburn University  a. Bachelor of Science in Drug and Biopharmaceutical Sciences (CIP 51.2010)	
		b. Master of Science in Business Administration-Finance (CIP 52.0201) - Substantive Modification	
	3.	Auburn University at Montgomery  Master of Science in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (CIP 26.0210)	

4.	Troy University	
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5.	University of Alabama Master of Science in Nursing in Master's Entry to the Profession of Nursing (CIP 51.3801) Staff Presenter: Dr. Robin McGill	116
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7.	University of Montevallo Doctor of Education in Educational Leadership (CIP 13.0401) Staff Presenter: Dr. Robin McGill	132
8.	University of North Alabama  a. Bachelor of Science in Instructional Technology and Design (CIP 13.0501)  Staff Presenter: Dr. Robin McGill	140
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### **ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room 100 North Union Street, Montgomery, AL 36104

### December 8, 2023 10:00 AM

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## **ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

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## **ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

RSA Union Building, 9th Floor Public Service Commission Hearing Room

## June 14, 2024 10:00 AM

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## **ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

RSA Union Building, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor ACHE Commissioner Conference Room 779

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III.	Approval of Agenda
IV.	Consideration of Minutes of June 14, 2024
V.	Chairman's Report Commissioner Bouldin
VI.	Election of Officers Nominating Committee Report
VII.	Executive Director's Report  Dr. Jim Purcell  Workforce Alignment
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## **ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

RSA Union Building, 7th Floor, Room 779 100 North Union Street, Montgomery, AL 36104

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## **ALABAMA COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

RSA Union Building, 7th Floor, Room 779 100 North Union Street, Montgomery, AL 36104

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June 13, 2025 10:00 AM

I.	Call to Order / Prayer / Pledge of Allegiance
II.	Roll Call of Members and Determination of Quorum
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VI.	Executive Director's Report  Dr. Jim Purcell  Pathways to Progress Apprenticeship Update Comparisons by State
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