Facing the Issues Together: EPPs and Early Childhood Education

AGENDA

11:30 Outside Patio Lunch with CCTE President Virginia Kennedy and Board Members

12:30 Move inside to meeting room

12:40 Introductions and Framing Remarks – Meeting Co-Chairs
   - Mary Sandy, Executive Director, Commission on Teacher Credentialing
   - Cynthia Grutzik, Dean, Graduate College of Education, San Francisco State

12:50 Panel: The Urgency and Complexity of ECE Teacher Preparation in CA
   - Deborah Stipek, Stanford University, Chair of the CTC’s ECE Taskforce, and author of the Getting Down to Facts II Report, Early Childhood Education in California.
   - Deborah Valentine, Executive Director, UCLA Early Childcare and Education Centers
   - Giannina Pérez, Governor Newsome’s Senior Policy Advisor for Early Childhood
   - Mary Vixie Sandy, Executive Director, Commission on Teacher Credentialing

2:30 Break

2:45 Deans Table Discussions:
   - ECE on your campus: Map the programs, pathways, resources, expertise, funding, and the relationships between these. Include key roles.
   - Write a summary list in the middle: What are the possibilities and challenges?
   - Choose one person to share the summary list with the group.

3:40 Panelists’ Summary Remarks and Next Steps

4:10 Governmental Relations Staff Update via Zoom:
   - Maggie White, CSU
   - Tyler Aguilar, UCOP

5:00 Networking Reception with hors d’oeuvres, no-host bar