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Workforce Investment Council

## **Industry-Based Certification Committee Meeting**

Tuesday November 14, 2017 9:30 AM – 11:00 AM Louisiana Workforce Commission, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor auditorium 1001 N. 23<sup>rd</sup> St., Meeting Room, Baton Rouge, LA 70802

# **Meeting Minutes**

November 14, 2017

#### I. Call to order

Chairman St. Etienne called to order the regular meeting of the Industry Based Certification Committee at <u>9:30 am</u> on November 14, 2017 at 1001 N. 23<sup>rd</sup> Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804 in the Administrative Building 4<sup>th</sup> floor conference room.

#### II. Roll call

WIC Director Kellie Taylor-White conducted a roll call. The following persons were present: Number in attendance: 13 Obtained quorum: Yes

Х	Member	Х	Designee
$\boxtimes$	IBCC Chairman David St. Etienne		
	WIC Chairman Todd McDonald		
	Executive Director Ava Dejoie	X	Kenneth Burrell
$\boxtimes$	Keith Brand		
$\boxtimes$	Bruce Busada		
$\boxtimes$	Rhett Covington		
$\boxtimes$	Patricia "Trish" Felder		
$\boxtimes$	Dr. Gayle Flowers		
$\boxtimes$	Lisa French		
$\boxtimes$	Mike Palamone		
$\boxtimes$	Louis Reine		
$\boxtimes$	Susie Schowen		
$\boxtimes$	Rep. Pat Smith		
	Janice Sneed		
	Lisa Vosper		

III. **Review and approval of Previous Minutes:** 

Motioned to approve minutes:

#### Motioned by : Dr. Gayle Flowers •

2<sup>nd</sup> : Rep. Pat Smith •

### Votes to Review and approve previous minutes were unanimous.

Comments – IBCC Chairman: Thanked everyone for attending the meeting. He also greeted the IV. guest and presenters.

#### V. Presentation and Consideration of Adobe Certified Associate Visual Design Specialist PowerPoint presented by: Carlin Jacobs, Melissa Ehlinger, Katie ????

Motion		Motion to approve Adobe Certified Associate Visual Design Specialist - Chairman David Etienne								
Second		Dr. Gayle	Dr. Gayle Flower							
Yea	Nay	Ab	Member	Yea	Nay	Ab				
$\mathbf{X}$			IBCC Chairman David St. Etienne	$\mathbf{X}$			Lisa French			
			WIC Chairman Todd McDonald	X			Mike Palamone			
$\mathbf{X}$			Executive Director Ava Dejoie	$\mathbf{X}$			Louis Reine			
$\mathbf{X}$			Keith Brand	$\mathbf{X}$			Susie Schowen			
X			Bruce Busada	$\mathbf{X}$			Rep. Pat Smith			
X			Rhett Covington				Janice Sneed			
$\mathbf{X}$		Trish Felder					Lisa Vosper			
$\mathbf{X}$		Dr. Gayle Flowers								

Comment: Carlin Jacobs shared his background with the IBCC and guest attending the meeting. He presented the PowerPoint. Melissa Ehlinger shared the Workforce Demand portion of the PowerPoint presentation. Carlin informed the committee the Adobe Certified Associate has already been approved as "Basic". Testing site licenses are \$3500.00 and students can test as many times as they need to test. Students do not pay to test. There are parameters in place.

#### **Options for voting**:

1 <sup>st</sup> Motion: Chairman David Etienne	Abstentions: Yes $\Box$	None⊠
2 <sup>nd</sup> Motion: Dr. Gayle Flowers	Opposition: Yes $\Box$	None⊠
	Approved: Yes 🖂	None
Unanimous vota		

Unanimous vote

Comments: Lisa French requested a clarification on the recommendation for Jump Start designation: Basic or Advance

Motion		Motion to designate as Advanced for Jump Start purposes – Bruce Busada							
Second		Susan Sc	Susan Schowen						
Yea	Nay	Ab	Member	Yea	Nay	Ab			
$\boxtimes$			IBCC Chairman David St. Etienne	$\mathbf{X}$			Lisa French		
			WIC Chairman Todd McDonald	$\mathbf{X}$			Mike Palamone		
$\boxtimes$			Executive Director Ava Dejoie	$\mathbf{X}$			Louis Reine		
$\mathbf{X}$			Keith Brand	$\mathbf{X}$			Susie Schowen		
$\boxtimes$			Bruce Busada	$\mathbf{X}$			Rep. Pat Smith		
$\boxtimes$			Rhett Covington				Janice Sneed		
$\mathbf{X}$		Trish Felder					Lisa Vosper		
$\boxtimes$			Dr. Gayle Flowers						

#### **Options for voting**:

1<sup>st</sup> Motion: Bruce Busada 2<sup>nd</sup> Motion: Susan Schowen Abstentions: Yes □None⊠Opposition: Yes □None⊠Approved: Yes ⊠None□

Unanimous vote

## VI. Presentation and Consideration of AutoDesk Inventor Certified User

<u>PowerPoint presented by</u>: Carlin Jacobs, Lyle LeBlanc (Entrescan), Melissa Ehlinger, Mary Wilson Arrasmith, Judea Goins-Andrews

Motion		Motion to approve certification <u>Advance</u> classification – Mike Palamone							
Second		Dr. Gayle	Dr. Gayle Flowers						
Yea	Nay	Ab	Member	Yea	Nay	Ab			
X			IBCC Chairman David St. Etienne	$\mathbf{X}$			Lisa French		
			WIC Chairman Todd McDonald	$\mathbf{X}$			Mike Palamone		
X			Executive Director Ava Dejoie	$\mathbf{X}$			Louis Reine		
X			Keith Brand	$\mathbf{X}$			Susie Schowen		
X			Bruce Busada	$\mathbf{X}$			Rep. Pat Smith		
X			Rhett Covington Image: Second state		Janice Sneed				
X		Trish Felder					Lisa Vosper		
X		Dr. Gayle Flowers							

**Comments**: Bruce Busada asked if it is taught in high school or community college. Carlin stated that students can earn credential in high school. Louis also asked if the cost was to the school system or the students. Carlin stated the schools system pays. Chair David St. Etienne asked Lisa French if the school have the access and resources to pay the fees required for certification. Lisa French stated there were multiple streams of financial resources to pay for the assessment, practice test, training materials and test.

#### **Options for voting**:

1 <sup>st</sup> Motion:	Abstentions: Yes $\Box$	None⊠
2 <sup>nd</sup> Motion:	Opposition: Yes $\Box$	None⊠
	Approved: Yes 🖂	None
Unanimous vote		

#### VII. Presentation and Consideration of <u>Request to Consider Re-designation</u> of Emergency Medical Technician Credential to Statewide Advanced.

#### PowerPoint presented by: Kathy Moore, Kirk LaCour, Bob Brankline

Motion		Motioned to move credential designation for EMT from Basic to Advance – Louis Reine								
Second		Keith Bra	Keith Brand							
Yea	Nay	Ab	Member	Yea	Nay	Ab				
$\mathbf{X}$			IBCC Chairman David St. Etienne	$\mathbf{X}$			Lisa French			
			WIC Chairman Todd McDonald	$\mathbf{X}$			Mike Palamone			
X			Executive Director Ava Dejoie	$\mathbf{X}$			Louis Reine			
$\mathbf{X}$			Keith Brand	$\mathbf{X}$			Susie Schowen			
X			Bruce Busada	$\mathbf{X}$			Rep. Pat Smith			
X			Rhett Covington				Janice Sneed			
X		Trish Felder					Lisa Vosper			
$\mathbf{X}$			Dr. Gayle Flowers							

<u>Comments</u>: Currently there are basic statewide credential designations for EMR and EMT. This vote is the move the EMT credential from basic to advance. EMR will remain a basic statewide certification. The EMR credential designation will be discussed at the time of the credential review.

#### **Options for voting**:

1<sup>st</sup> Motion: Louis Reine 2<sup>nd</sup> Motion: Keith Brand Abstentions: YesNoneOpposition: YesNoneApproved: YesNone

Unanimous vote

#### VIII. Discussion and Consideration of ESRI User Certification JumpStart designation:

Motion		Motioned to clarify in the minutes the Presenter understood that it was one certification for GSI at the Basic level, one test and one certification – Louis Reine								
Second		Mike Pal	Mike Palamone							
Yea	Nay	Ab	Member	Yea	Nay	Ab				
X			IBCC Chairman David St. Etienne	$\mathbf{X}$			Lisa French			
			WIC Chairman Todd McDonald	$\mathbf{X}$			Mike Palamone			
X			Executive Director Ava Dejoie	$\mathbf{X}$			Louis Reine			
X			Keith Brand	$\mathbf{X}$			Susie Schowen			
X			Bruce Busada	$\mathbf{X}$			Rep. Pat Smith			
X		Rhett Covington					Janice Sneed			
$\mathbf{X}$		Trish Felder					Lisa Vosper			
X			Dr. Gayle Flowers							

Presenter Fran Harvey

#### Comments:

#### **Options for voting**:

1 <sup>st</sup> Motion:	Abstentions: Yes $\Box$	None⊠
2 <sup>nd</sup> Motion:	Opposition: Yes $\Box$	None⊠
	Approved: Yes 🖂	None

#### Unanimous vote

#### IX. Public Comment: None

X. Other Business: Louis Reine asked, what was the difference between a basic and advance certification approval? Lisa French stated Basic and Advance are credential designations that are a part of the Jump Start framework. Basic aligns to entry level positions and advance aligns with position that is beyond level position. It matters from the perspective of accountability of high schools. It is a part of the school performance score. Jump Start statewide basic is worth 110 points and a Jump Start advance is worth 150 points.

#### XI. Adjournment

Chairman adjourned meeting at 11:23 am.

Minutes submitted by: Jawanda J. Givens Minutes approved by: [Name] No official public comments No other comments