

The “Roundtable” Roundup

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Thank you to our speakers for a successful virtual November Western PA College Success Roundtable Meeting

Our meeting featured a panel discussion – The Role of Education Leaders in Promoting Antiracism and Racial Justice - and panelists shared their perspectives on the roles, responsibilities, and suggested actions of education leaders in promoting antiracism in K-12 and higher education settings. Panel members included: *John B. Craig – Immediate Past-President of the Pennsylvania Black Conference on Higher Education and Associate Professor and Chair, Educational Development Services at West Chester University of PA, Joan Duvall-Flynn – Chair of the Trauma Informed Education Coalition and Past President of the NAACP PA State Conference of Branches, Storm Y. Camara ECYEH State Coordinator, PA Department of Education, Michael Vuckovich – Superintendent of Indiana Area School District, Sylvia Wilson – Retired Teacher and President of the Pittsburgh School Board. Sam Rapp, Director of Strategic Partnerships at the Manchester Craftsmen’s Guild moderated our panel discussion Contact information for our panelists is below:*

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In addition, John B. Craig is also the Editor of the Journal of Access, Retention and Inclusion in Higher Education and you can read this publication at:

<https://www.wcupa.edu/universityCollege/asp/journalsManuscripts.aspx>

Watch for upcoming emails about how to RSVP and register for future Roundtable Meetings. If you have a suggestion for a speaker or would like to present at a meeting, please reach out to wdunlap@pheaa.org

We look forward to continuing our meetings in 2021 and hope that you can join us. Meetings will move forward as virtual until further notice:

- January 12, 2021
- March 9, 2021
- May 11, 2021

In updates from members, Cora Koller, the medical advocate from Crisis Center North briefly outlined how the intersection of domestic violence/intimate partner violence and COVID-19 impacts students. She shared multiple resources for our members. You can reach Cora Koller at CKoller@crisiscenternorth.org

Join us for our January 12th Roundtable Webinar



Gene Natali of Troutwood will be joining us at 10 am on January 12th to share with us his recent financial literacy efforts. His new book *The Missing Second Semester* is now available and he will share news about new financial applications and tools provided by Troutwood. You can learn more at Troutwood.com

In addition, an update from the Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance Agency (PHEAA) will include information about the number of financial aid applicants in PA and trends we are seeing with regard to families and students concerning the application process and how that relates to Covid-19.

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