

AGENDA

ARKANSAS COMMISSION ON CLOSING THE ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT GAP

January 17, 2013, 1:00 PM

Commissioner's Conference Room

Arch Ford Education Building, #4 State Capitol Mall, Little Rock

1. Welcome Back /Travel forms - - Dr. Dawn Tirado Simpson
2. Introduction of New Commission Members & Guests - - Dr. Dawn Tirado Simpson
 - *Ms. Kathy Powers – Former AR Teacher of the Year & New Member*
 - *Ms. Brittany Kincaid – Ex Officio designee for Susan Harriman*
3. Approval of Minutes of October 18, 2012 Meeting - - Commission
4. Updates - - Dr. Dawn Tirado Simpson/Commission
 - Sub-committee Reports and Vacancies- - Dr. Dawn Tirado Simpson
 - Review of Subcommittee List/Chairmanships
 - Confirmation of committee appointments/assignments
 - Update on the *Bridging the Gap Educational Symposium* - - Dr. Vera Lang Brown
 - Update on vacant positions/recommendations for nominees - - Dr. Dawn Tirado Simpson
 - *Update on the Senate Appointments*
 - *Update on the House Appointments*
5. Future Meeting Date (s) -- Commission
 - Next meeting – February 21, 2013
 - *Conflict with May 16th*
 - Moved up a week – May 9th
 - Moved back a week – May 23rd
6. Adjournment