

# MASFAP June 2020 Communication

#### **Announcing 2021 MASFAP Election Results**

MASFAP held the 2021 officer elections in June. The following MASFAP roles will begin January 1, 2021. Congratulations!



◀ President-Elect: Alexandria Miller, Stephens College

> Vice President: Kayla Klein, University of Missouri—Columbia▶





◀ Treasurer-Elect: Scott Young, University of Missouri—Kansas City

Secretary: Stephanie Broyles, Rolla Technical Institute/Center▶



Institutional Delegate at Large: Angel Mefford, State Fair Community College▶



## **Upcoming Training Opportunities:**

Exciting news! The PD Committee is planning trainings and you will receive more details soon!

- Virtual Town Hall -6/30, 10:00-11:00
- MDHEWD State Update mid/late July more details to come
- Working on planning several NASFAA
  Credentials to be presented via zoom, in July
  finalizing possible dates with presenters
- Possible PD trainings and discussions planned to help us welcome students to campus after this crazy spring/summer!

More details to come!

## **MASFAP Executive Board Meeting**

The MASFAP Board meets this Friday, June 19. Topics for this board meeting include the conference, lifetime award, PD events and updates form each of the committees. If you have any questions, suggestions, or concerns for the Board, please reach out to a MASFAP Delegate. Here's your MASFAP Delegates and contact information:

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#### MDHEWD's Journey to College Update—Register Now

Register now to attend Virtual Journey to College Day and host 2020-2021 Journey to College programs

The Missouri Department of Higher Education & Workforce Development's Journey to College initiative works to increase college access and affordability and help Missouri students plan for the future. Our annual Journey to College Day will be held virtually on Tuesday, July 28, from 9:00-11:30 a.m. and 1:00-3:00 p.m. with a break for lunch. View the agenda at <a href="https://dhewd.mo.gov/ppc/journeytocollegeprograms.php">https://dhewd.mo.gov/ppc/journeytocollegeprograms.php</a> and visit <a href="https://surveys.mo.gov/index.php/197481">https://surveys.mo.gov/index.php/197481</a> to register for the event.

The Journey to College programs support high school counselors and college access professionals in helping students prepare for the future:

- Apply Missouri helps students find the "best fit" for higher education and provides time during the school day for seniors to submit college applications.
- FAFSA Frenzy provides free one-on-one assistance to help students and their families fill out the Free Application for Federal Student Aid, commonly known as the FAFSA.
- Decision Day encourages seniors to finalize their plans for the future. It encourages and reminds students that it is time to make a decision, assists students who have not yet finalized their plans, and fosters a college-going culture.

Site coordinators hosting Journey to College events will receive free support materials including a resource manual full of sample activities and best practices for hosting successful events along with opportunities for networking, collaboration, training, and college access updates. Journey to College participation promotes a more equitable experience for all of Missouri's high school students by providing a framework all schools can implement. The events are unique to each school but the information and opportunities provided are the same for every student.

Registration is now open to host your 2020-2021 Journey to College events at <a href="https://surveys.mo.gov/index.php/146216">https://surveys.mo.gov/index.php/146216</a>. Missouri's high schools may register to host one, two, or all three events. Postsecondary schools, community groups, and other college access organizations may register to host a FAFSA Frenzy event.

Learn more about Journey to College at <a href="https://dhewd.mo.gov/ppc/journeytocollege.php">https://dhewd.mo.gov/ppc/journeytocollege.php</a>. If you have questions, please email journeytocollege@dhewd.mo.gov.

