



INDIANA COMMISSION *for*
HIGHER EDUCATION

AGENDA
Student Success & Completion Committee

Tuesday, December 12, 2023
2:00-3:30 p.m. ET

Indiana Commission for Higher Education
101 West Ohio Street, Suite 300
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Kent Weldon Board Room

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I. Welcome

Pepper Mulherin, Committee Chair

II. Student Success Series: Supporting Justice-Involved Individuals in Postsecondary Education

In the sixth and final session of the Commission's 2023 Student Success Series, the Student Success and Completion Committee will examine the current postsecondary education landscape for justice-involved individuals. Education is highly correlated with lower rates of recidivism, yet those who are justice involved—both currently and previously incarcerated—face several systemic obstacles to achieving a credential. As part of the HOPE Agenda, the Commission aims to lead Indiana to be Top 10 in the nation by 2030 in postsecondary attainment for the justice involved. Understanding key systemic challenges, and how to get past them, is foundational to helping this population achieve postsecondary success. The session will cover:

- High-level overview of current CHE initiatives related to the justice involved population;
- Panel of formerly incarcerated students and community experts who will:
 - share their personal stories,
 - provide an overview of the justice-education ecosystem, and
 - highlight examples of transformative higher education – industry partnerships leading to education and workforce pathways for justice-involved individuals.

III. Reminders

- January 11, 2024: Commission meeting at Ivy Tech Community College Culinary and Conference Center

The Student Success Committee Charge

“The Student Success and Completion Committee will develop policy and practice initiatives to support Hoosier students in graduating from college on time and without excessive debt.”