

VSBPE

Date: May 16, 2023

Item: Goddard ROPA Review Team

ITEM: Shall the VSBPE approve the proposed team to review Goddard's educator preparation programs at the ROPA review to be held on July 26-28?

AGENCY RECOMMENDED ACTION:

That the VSBPE approve the proposed team to review Goddard's educator preparation programs at the ROPA review to be held on July 26-28.

PROPOSED TEAM:

David McGough, Chair. David is a professor and advisor in the education department at NVU Johnson. He came to NVU from Nazareth College of Rochester, N.Y., where he chaired the Department of Social and Psychological Foundations of Education. His Ph.D. is in educational policy and leadership, with a specialization in social foundations of education, from the University of Minnesota. David is also a founder and continues to be a leader of the Educator Preparation Inquiry Collaborative (EPIC), which is responsible for writing and conducting education and calibration sessions for the Vermont Licensure Portfolio.

Justin Brown is a principal at Bellows Free Academy Middle School. Justin received both his B.S. and M.ED. from UVM, and was also previously a licensed special educator.

Bill Lucci will represent the VSBPE.

Josh Souliere is the interim Education Quality Division Director and would like to serve on a ROPA team to learn more about the ROPA process.

Ellen Cairns is the AOE ROPA Coordinator.

This team has been approved by Maike Garland, the licensure officer at Goddard.