Postsecondary Electronic Standards Council
Education Record User Group
Notes from the September 21, 2009 Conference Call

On today’s call were

Barbara Clements (ESP Solutions Group) Co-Chair
Tuan Anh Do (San Francisco State University & AACRAO SPEEDE Committee) Co-Chair
Robin Greene (College Foundation of North Carolina & AACRAO SPEEDE Committee)
Scott Hillman (Docufide, Inc.)
Tom Stewart (AACRAO SPEEDE Committee & Miami Dade College in FL - Retired)

Tuan and Barbara started the call at about 6 minutes after the hour.

1. **Meeting to Harmonize PESC, SIFA and DQC Data Elements:** Barbara briefly reported on a meeting she attended last week in DC. Tim Bornholtz (formerly from the US Department of Education’s Federal Student Aid group) and Barbara are leading the group to harmonize the standardization of the data elements used in the postsecondary area for the Data Quality Campaign’s PreK through 20 longitudinal studies. Michael Sessa is also a participant but did not attend last week’s meeting.

2. **PESC Data Summit in Washington, DC October 19-20, 2009:** The ERUG will meet at the Summit on Monday, October 19, 2009 from 8:30 am to noon. Everyone on today’s call plans to participate.

3. **Summary of Credits Earned on PESC XML HS Transcript:** Scott reviewed the item that was tentatively approved on the last call. Scott had drafted the proposal originally. He noted that a few high schools also reported summary credit data by session, but it only included credits attempted and earned. This is already possible with the current schema and the proposed new complex data element.

   The ERUG approved the proposal tentatively agreed upon last week.

4. **Submission of Changes to the PESC CCB:** Since Tom’s last distribution of the Excel document that contains items for change to the PESC XML HS Transcript schema, the ERUG has approved a few additional items. Tom will complete the Excel document to include all changes that ERUG has approved and try to distribute it before the next call of ERUG. Then, if approved by ERUG, it will be submitted to the PESC Change Control Board with a request to created a new version (1.1.0) of the PESC XML High School Transcript.
We will then be able to show the proposed revised schema to the ERUG at the PESC Data Summit in DC on October 19.

The call ended at 21 minutes after the hour.

**Next Call is Monday, September 28 at 1 pm Eastern (noon Central, 11 am Mountain and 10 am Pacific) Daylight Saving Time. Call 1-800-508-7631; Room *9976409*.**

Next Face to Face Meeting is scheduled at the PESC Fall Data Summit on October 19, 2009 from 8:30 am to noon (Eastern Daylight Time) at the Hyatt Regency Hotel on Capitol Hill in Washington, DC. For additional information on the program, and the schedule, see the PESC web site at [www.pesc.org](http://www.pesc.org).