

Kentucky Council on Postsecondary Education

Resolution adopted by the Council on April 27, 2018 Common Applications

WHEREAS, education beyond high school strengthens state and regional economies, ensures a stronger workforce, and improves economic opportunity for all citizens; and

WHEREAS, the percent of recent high school graduates in Kentucky who attend college or university in Kentucky has declined in recent years; and

WHEREAS, comprehensive, transparent information about colleges options in Kentucky is essential to improving access and opportunity for more students; and

WHEREAS, a collaborative approach among Kentucky's colleges in communicating information about their campuses, and facilitating the application and admissions process may encourage more recent high school graduates and returning adults to apply to college and ultimately attend;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council on Postsecondary Education requests that CPE staff work with campus leaders to explore the feasibility of a common application to public postsecondary campuses in Kentucky and report back to the board with findings at the September 2018 meeting.



Sherrill Zimmerman, Chair



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