



Member and Representative List
Early Childhood Access Consortium for Equity

Institution	Type of Institution	Voting Member	Title
Black Hawk College	Community College	Amy Maxeiner	Chief Academic Officer
Blackburn College	Private Colleges & Universities	Cindy Rice	Professor, Chair of Education
Chicago State University	Public University	Leslie Roundtree	Interim Provost & Vice President Academic Affairs
College of DuPage	Community College	Jean Zaar	Assistant Professor. Early Childhood Ed & Care
College of Lake County	Community College	TBD	TBD
Danville Area Community College	Community College	Penny McConnell	Assistant Vice President Academic Affairs
DePaul University	Private Colleges & Universities	Marie Donovan	Associate Professor Early Childhood Teacher Education
Eastern Illinois University	Public University	Laretta Henderson	Dean, College of Education
Elgin Community College	Community College	Peggy Heinrich	Vice President of Teaching, Learning, and Student Development
Governors State University	Public University	Shannon Dermer	Dean, College of Education
Greenville University	Private Colleges & Universities	Laura Schaub	Professor, School of Education
Harold Washington College	Community College	Aimee Krall-Lanoue	Dean of Instruction
Harper College	Community College	Kathleen Nikolai	Early Childhood Chair
Heartland College	Community College	Johnna Darragh-Ernst	Professor, Early Childhood Education
Highland Community College	Community College	Melissa Johnson	Early Childhood Education Instructor
Illinois Central College	Community College	Andrianna Smyrniotis	Professor, Program Coordinator, Advisor, Early Childhood Education
Illinois Eastern Community College	Community College	Robert Conn	Dean of Instruction
Illinois State University	Public University	Amy Hurd	Associate Vice President for Undergraduate Education



Illinois Valley Community College	Community College	Tammy Landgraf	Early Childhood Education Program Coordinator
John A Logan College	Community College	Melanie Pecord	Chief Academic Officer
John Wood Community College	Community College	April Darringer	Early Childhood Instructor
Joilet Junior College	Community College	Melissa Szymczak	Professor, Early Childhood Education
Judson University	Private Colleges & Universities	Dr. Joy Towner	Chair, Division of Education
Kankakee Community College	Community College	Kiana Battle	Chief Academic Officer
Kaskaskia College	Community College	Julie Obermark	Chief Academic Officer
Kennedy King College	Community College	Michael Crawford	Chief Academic Officer
Kishwaukee College	Community College	Judson Curry	Dean, Office of Instruction
Lake Land College	Community College	Tanille Ulm	Program Director for Early Childhood Education
Lewis & Clark Community College	Community College	Bernadine Pruessner	Coordinator and Assistant Professor of Child Development and Teacher Education
Lewis University	Private Colleges & Universities	Kip Kline	Interim Dean, College of Education and Social Sciences
Lincoln Land Community College	Community College	Kalith Smith	Dean, Social Sciences and Business
Malcom X College	Community College	Katonja K. Webb	Vice President, Academic and Student Affairs
McHenry County College	Community College	Dawn Katz	Dean, Social Sciences & Public Services
Moraine Valley Community College	Community College	Pam Haney	Chief Academic Officer
Morton College	Community College	Michael Rose	Associate Dean for Strategic Initiatives, Adult Education & CTE
National Louis University	Private Colleges & Universities	Lisa Downey	Associate Dean
Northeastern Illinois University	Public University	Andrea Evans	Associate Dean, College of Education



Northern Illinois University	Public University	Laurie Elish-Piper	Dean, College of Education
Oakton Community College	Community College	Marc Battista	Associate Vice President of Workforce Education/Dean of Business & Career Technologies
Olive Harvey College	Community College	Brandon Nichols	Chief Academic Officer
Olivet Nazarene University	Private Colleges & Universities	Lance Kilpatrick	Chair, Department of Education
Parkland College	Community College	Nancy Sutton	Chief Academic Officer
Prairie State College	Community College	Janice Kaushal	Dean, Career and Technical Education
Rend Lake College	Community College	Kim Wilkerson	Associate Vice President of Career and Technical Education and Student Support
Richard Daley College	Community College	George Kinlaw	Dean of Instruction
Richland Community College	Community College	Jessica Pickel	Dean, Liberal Arts
Rock Valley College	Community College	Amanda Smith	Vice President
Rockford University	Private Colleges & Universities	Kimberlee Wagner	Associate Professor of Education
Roosevelt University	Private Colleges & Universities	Tom Phillion	Dean, College of Education
Sauk Valley Community College	Community College	Jon Mandrell	Chief Academic Officer
South Suburban College	Community College	Anna Helwig	Dean of Liberal Arts
Southern Illinois University	Public University	Christie McIntyre	Associate Director, Program Review and Assessment
Southern Illinois University, Edwardsville	Public University	Natasha Flowers	Assistant Dean School of Education, Health and Human Behavior
Southwestern Illinois College	Community College	Carolyn Beal	Early Childhood Education Coordinator
St. Augustine College	Private Colleges & Universities	Antuanette Mester	Program Director, Early Childhood Program
St. Xavier University	Private Colleges & Universities	TBD	TBD
Triton College	Community College	Susan Campos	Chief Academic Officer
Truman College	Community College	Kate Connor	Chief Academic Officer



University of Illinois Chicago	Public University	Kathryn Bouchard Chval	Dean, College of Education
University of Illinois, Urbana Champaign	Public University	Anne Pradzinski	Director, Early Childhood Professional Education Program
Waubensee Community College	Community College	Sharon Garcia	Executive Dean for Liberal Arts and Sciences
Western Illinois University	Public University	Eric Sheffield	Director, School of Education