

Arizona Academy of Excellence in Education
July 17, 2009 Minutes

Present: Sean Elliot, Kevin Moynahan, Naomi Rance, Paul Standley

1. Name of the Academy: Paul Standley suggested the name “Academy of Distinguished Medical Educators”. This will be further discussed when more members are present.
2. Bi-campus retreat for block directors and other medical educators: There was renewed interest in this occurring in order to facilitate sharing of ideas between campuses.
3. Faculty development: There was much discussion about combining the Phoenix-Tucson faculty development programs under the auspices of the Academy and sharing resources in this regard. It was envisioned that faculty would be able to choose specific faculty development sessions but that there would also be a longitudinal series of courses which result in some sort of recognition of completion.
4. The next steps needed to further the creation of an Educator Track were discussed. It was noted that Paul Standley is currently on the P&T committee and will be an invaluable resource in this regard.