# Facilitating Coordination in Agricultural Education - Coordinator November 2021, Summary of Activities for Dean Dittmar \*virtual

## Assistance to Schools (1) - Carbondale

#### Professional Development Events Provided(1) Participants(45)

FCAE Report, IACCAI Conference, Ag College Instructors, College of DuPage, Glen Ellyn (45)

#### Meetings/Conventions/Conferences Attended(21)

- \*Birddogscareers.com Meeting with Blake Nolan
- \*FFA Board Meeting
- \*State Staff Meeting
- \*Website Maintenance Meeting with Tyler Wieghat(2)
- \*EFE System Director State Leadership Meeting and FCAE Report

Evaluation Meeting with John Heiser, Glen Ellyn

Illinois Association of Community College Agriculture Instructors Conference (IACCAI) Conference, Glen Ellyn ISBE/FCAE Meeting with Andrew Klein, Springfield

- \*Jr. MANRRS Advisor Meeting
- \*IAVAT Curriculum(Ag Biology Course) Meeting
- \*Ag/Food Alliance Workgroup Meeting
- \*Northern Illinois University Meeting with Amy Buhrow, Education and Science Staff on Ag Ed Degree Program
- \*ICAE Meeting
- St. Louis AgriBusiness Club Meeting and Professional Development, St. Louis, MO
- \*FCAE Staff Meeting

Administrative Council Meeting, Springfield

School Board Conference and Display, Chicago (2 days)

ILCAE Meeting Agenda and Advocacy Award Winner Selection Meeting with Allyn Buhrow, Chicago

- \*2020 AFNR Annual Report Planning Meetings(2)
- \*AFNR Course Matrix Review Meeting with ISBE

#### Miles Traveled - Auto(1890)

### Other Activities (21)

Judged District 5 FFA Job Interview CDE, Carbondale

Reviewed 20-21 Agriculture College Program and Professional Summary Report

Reviewed ISBE Proposal for Expansion Grants

Prepared Agenda for FCAE Staff Meeting

Prepared and Summarized Data for the State Ag Ed Report

Contacted ICAE Members by Phone Regarding FCAE Expansion Grant Proposal

Completed National Teacher Supply/Demand Survey Study with Illinois Data

Reviewed Monthly Reports of Cutting Edge Curriculum with the Agribusiness Library Revision

Contacted Schools on the FY22 Jr. MANRRS Continuation Stipends

Prepared ILCAE Annual Meeting Agenda and Award Winner Email Message

Upload Photos to Google Folder for AFNR Report

Wrote Advancing Ag Programs Essay for AFNR Report

Ordered ILCAE Annual Meeting Plaques

Sent Teacher and Individual Informational Requests

Communicated with ILCAE, IAVAT, CAERT/CEC, FCAE, ICAE Individual Members

Assisted Susie Scott with Tasks

Mentored and Assisted Staff with Projects

Reviewed Staff Monthly Reports and Travel Reports

Prepared for Presentations and Meetings

Wrote and Sent Email Messages/Made and Returned Phone Calls and Texts

Completed Monthly Reports

Replaced Wheel on Filing Cabinet at ROE Office, Champaign