

RACEA



MEETING AGENDA | MAY 6 2021 1:30PM (EST)

WELCOME

Dr. Darby Sewell, Chair Elect
Abraham Baldwin Agricultural
College

SECRETARY'S UPDATE

Lorraine Phillips
Georgia Institute of Technology

TREASURER'S REPORT

Michael Black
Valdosta State University

NEW BUSINESS

Introduction of the 2021-22 RACEA Executive Board,
Dr. Darby Sewell

INTRODUCTION

Dr. Darby Sewell

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Dr. Teresa Flateby, Higher Education and Assessment Consultant
T.L. Flateby & Associates

Assessment of Institutional Initiatives:
A look at Implementation Fidelity

CLOSING COMMENTS

Overview of Session

Assessment is often viewed as a method for reporting achievement of student learning outcomes and responding to needed changes revealed; however, to effectively strengthen learning, a program - whether academic such as the BS in Chemistry, a new initiative as a QEP, or a redesigned general education - the assessment process and practices must encourage faculty members to intentionally plan a coherent program and deliver potentially effective instructional strategies and materials. This session will explore applying implementation fidelity processes for ensuring consistent delivery of these programs or of common components within common courses when taught by multiple faculty members. Although implementation fidelity research articles may include descriptions of a daunting process, we will discuss variations of implementation fidelity that align with the ideal process but are achievable with a smaller resource commitment.