

Kessler Scholars Collaborative Summer Convening

Agenda and Notes

DAY 1: July 19, 2021

Meeting Focus: Kessler Scholars Collaborative

Meeting Aims:

- Begin to develop a vision and mission for the Kessler Scholars Collaborative
- Identify common goals and priorities for the Kessler Scholars Collaborative

Meeting Facilitators: Anthony Taylor, Managing Partner at [SME Strategy](#)
Jenna Sedmak, Director of Client Partnerships at SME Strategy

Zoom Information:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/2034809951?pwd=YkhGZGFSS3RycDE1Sno4RoJuWW51dz09>

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Meeting Agenda:

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| 1:00pm - 1:15pm | Introductions and ground rules |
| 1:15pm - 2:00pm | What's working and what's not working? |
| 2:00pm - 2:30pm | What are the ideal outcomes for us as a partnership? |
| 2:30pm - 2:40pm | Break |
| 2:40pm - 3:20pm | What actions can we take to move our team towards that outcome? |
| 3:20pm - 3:40pm | Other concerns and needs |
| 3:40pm - 4:00pm | Takeaways and next steps |

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DAY 2: July 21, 2021

Meeting Focus: Campus-based Kessler Scholars Programming

Meeting Aims:

- Reflect on accomplishments, challenges, and lessons learned over the past year
- Define core programmatic aims for campus-based Kessler Scholars Programs
- Begin program planning for the 2021-2022 academic year (and beyond)
- Identify action steps for moving program goals forward

Meeting Facilitators: Kristen Glasener, Gail Gibson, Shakima M. Clency

Zoom Information:

<https://umich.zoom.us/j/96947693570>

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Meeting Agenda:

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| 1:00pm - 1:10pm | Welcome |
| 1:10pm - 1:30pm | Debrief of Monday's Session & Outline of Collaborative Priorities for 2021-2022 <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Action steps brainstorming list |
| 1:30pm - 2:15pm | Visioning: Developing a four-year Kessler Scholars Program model |
| 2:15pm - 2:20pm | Stretch Break |
| 2:20pm - 2:50pm | Program planning for 2021-2022 academic year and beyond <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Cornell University● Johns Hopkins University● Queens College● St. Francis College● Syracuse University● University of Michigan |
| 2:50pm - 3:00pm | Identifying needs and next steps <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Next PWG meeting: Thursday, August 12● Submit new cohort lists by Monday, July 26 for student welcome letter |