

Re: Minority Teacher Recruitment in CT

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Hello-

I am on board with this design and I believe the survey targets questions that many of us ponder, specifically as we consider the future of the profession. I have several questions that Ovi can respond to.

1. How and to what population of students do you wish to administer the survey?
2. What are next steps after data has been aggregated?

It looks good and you have my endorsement after you respond to these questions.

Best of luck in your research.

Mr. Osunde

On Tue, Oct 18, 2016 at 5:24 PM, Easley, Jacob(Professional Studies) <easleyj@easternct.edu> wrote:

Dear Principal Osunde:

Please allow me to introduce Mr. Overian (Ovi) Gordon. He is a graduate student at Eastern Connecticut State University. In his role as a Dean's Scholar, he is conducting a mini-inquiry project related to minority teacher recruitment. Mr. Gordon is interested in learning about the factors that make teacher education an attractive or unattractive career option among racial minority youth.

For this project, he is conducting a short survey. The survey is anonymous and no identifying information will be collected. A copy of the survey is provided. The results will be used for a series of outreach sessions he will design to support high school students, as future minority teachers.

I support his project and ask that you assist by permitting him to share survey information to students and their parents. Should you have any questions regarding the project or feedback on the survey, please do not hesitate to contact my office at 860-465-5293 or by email.

Respectfully,

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