
OFFICE OF GOVERNOR RONNIE MUSGROVE
INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: GOVERNOR
FROM: RILEY
SUBJECT: NGA INVITATION FOR US TO SEND TEAM TO PITTSBURG HIGHER ED CONFERENCE
DATE 3/14/01
CC: SIMMONS
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NGA sent us email concerning three upcoming education events. Kristen Conklin mentioned to me in Santa Fe last Wednesday that she would like for us to send a team to Pittsburg, PA, for an April 19-20 conference. Governor Ridge will host fifteen state teams comprised of the Governors' higher education advisor, the state higher education executive officer and a business community leader. The conference will explore how state policies can be more responsive to growing demands for lifelong college opportunities. Travel stipends will be provided.

Kristen said that she thought the conference would tie in well to our current workforce development efforts. She was going to email me with additional info, but I haven't heard from her yet.

Please advise as to if we wish to participate and what business leader you would like to designate to attend. I will then email Kristen, as well as Dr. Layzell's office and the business community leader.