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Hello and welcome to SUMMER!

The Research, Planning, and Evaluation Committee is excited to be bringing a new professional development opportunity to campus in 2019-2020. We are starting a Data Coaching Program and we are looking for volunteers who are interested in becoming a Coach.

The Data Coaching Program aims to build the research and data capacity of the College by providing intensive training to faculty, staff, and managers. As articulated in the college's *Educational Master Plan*, we have the goals of being an institution that makes data-driven decisions and of having a culture of learning and continuous improvement. The Data Coaching Program will assist in our efforts to meet these goals. Since this is a new program, during the 2019-2020 academic year the participants will help define and refine the program goals.

The attached document outlines the expectations of the program, the compensation, and the overall goals. All coaches will be required to attend two days of training on August 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup>.

If you are interested in becoming a coach, please email me on or before June 10<sup>th</sup>. All you need to do at this time is say "I'm interested!" Feel free to email questions if you have them as well.

## Thanks!

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