



“FACET advocates pedagogical innovation....”

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FACULTY COLLOQUIUM ON EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING

From the desk of Robin



Each year, FACET sponsored or co-sponsored events are held on individual campuses. These events are open to FACET members on all campuses. We try to highlight upcoming events in this newsletter as a way of encouraging FACET members to consider attending an event on another campus. This is a wonderful way of engaging in conversations with colleagues on other campuses. On Friday, April 11th, the Fifteenth Annual Midwest Conference on the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning will be held at Indiana University South Bend. This conference is co-sponsored by FACET in collaboration with their University Center for Excellence in Teaching. The theme of this year's conference is "High Impact Practices." This theme will be the focus of the keynote speaker, Carol Hostetter (FACET '03), whose talk is entitled, "High Impact Practices: Follow the Evidence!" This conference brings together both faculty from IU and non-IU schools to share research on the scholarship of teaching and learning. Registration is now open. To register or learn more about this conference, click here: <https://www.iusb.edu/ucet/events/sotl/index.php>

In addition, I encourage you to invite a non-FACET colleague to the Saturday programming during the FACET Retreat. This event is a full-day of programming on teaching and learning. More information can be found at: <https://facet.indiana.edu/events-programs/facet-retreat/non-facet-attendees.shtml>

Leadership Updates

Campus teams are continuing the work on their projects for the 2012-2014 FACET Leadership Institute. Teams from each Indiana University campus have designed and implemented a project to embed high impact educational practices (HIPs) into the undergraduate curriculum. Many teams will soon be moving to the evaluation phase. The IU East team has focused on rolling out IUE Leads, a program which allows a student to earn a notation on his or her transcript for accomplishments in high impact practice programs, as IUPUI does with their RISE initiative. The IUB team has undertaken several steps to encourage the use of HIPs on their campus including: creating a survey to gather information from faculty on their utilization of HIPs, working toward changing the faculty annual report to include reporting of HIPs, and working on a video project to help explain various HIPs for the purpose of encouraging faculty to use them effectively. The project at IUSB has goals similar to those of IUE and IUB—to incentivize faculty to integrate HIPs into their courses and students to enroll in HIP programs.

To hear about all of the campus reports, plan to attend the Leadership Team Session at the May FACET retreat. Each campus team will present a brief report on the results of their project. Note that work for the 2014-2016 institute has already begun. The planning committee is finalizing the theme and will shortly send out a call for team selection to the campuses. Continue to watch for more details on the Leadership Institute.

Campus Updates

All Center's Meeting: March 7th at IUPUI, Campus Center. Teaching and learning center staff will come together to discuss topics and ideas pertinent to their work with faculty. This event is cosponsored by UITs.

Statewide Selection Meeting: March 7th from 8:30-5:00PM at IUPUI, UL 1125M. Details have been sent to those involved in the meeting and the results will be shared with liaisons and candidates shortly after the meeting.

2014 Retreat: May 16-17 at Sheraton City Centre in Indianapolis, IN. The theme is *REnew, REtool, REflect, REinvigorate*. Please mark your calendars - registration information will be sent shortly.

Planning Ahead:

2014 FALCON: November 6-8, 2014 at the Sheraton Indianapolis City Centre. Details will be forthcoming.

2015 Retreat: May 15-16, 2014 at Potawatomi Inn in Angola State Park. Plan on staying Sunday to enjoy the park.

Other News:

Quick Hits Teaching Tips for Adjunct Faculty and Lecturers Call for Submissions is now open. Please visit <http://go.iu.edu/a56> for more information. Please share this call broadly with your colleagues.

Would you like to have your FACET sponsored or teaching related event highlighted on the FACET calendar? Please send requests to the FACET office at facet@iu.edu.