

NDSU Teaching and Learning Conference
“Best Teaching Practices for Enhanced Learning”
August 15, 2012

08:30 to 09:00 a.m.	Light breakfast: coffee, juice, and rolls	<i>Legacy Lounge</i>
08:35 to 08:50 a.m.	SPECIAL SHORT SESSION FOR NEW FACULTY, ONLY: Evie Myers, (VP Equity, Diversity, & Global Outreach). <i>Diversity Initiatives and Policies.</i>	<i>Hidatsa</i>
09:00 to 09:15 a.m.	CONFERENCE WELCOME REMARKS: Donald Schwert (Center for Science & Mathematics Education; Geosciences); Bruce Rafert (Provost)	<i>Century Theatre</i>
09:15 to 10:10 a.m.	CONCURRENT SESSIONS: <u>Session 1.</u> Nancy Lilleberg (ITS). <i>Technology Champions Lightning Round</i> Faculty members (Darshi De Saram, Anita Welch, Adnan Akyuz, and Craig Jasperse) will share their experiences with using technology in their teaching. Come hear first-hand how clickers, lecture capture, Collaborate, Blackboard SP8, and student technology projects can enhance teaching and learning. <u>Session 2.</u> Julia Bowsher, Angie Hodgson, Jenni Momsen, Lisa Montplaisir, Wendy Reed, Katie Reindl (Biological Sciences). <i>Active Learning: a Workout for the Brain.</i> Far from a passive activity, learning has the potential to fundamentally alter the ways in which our brains work. Active learning is a form of instruction that shifts the responsibility of learning from the instructor to the learner, providing students opportunities to engage new material through reading, writing, discussing, and reflecting. In this active learning workshop, participants will engage in an active learning exercise and then develop tools to incorporate active learning in their own courses.	<i>Century Theatre</i> <i>Dunbar 152</i>
10:20 to 11:15 a.m.	CONCURRENT SESSIONS: <u>Session 1.</u> Jeff Boyer (College of Science & Mathematics). <i>The 4 C's: Essential Ways to Integrate Technology into the College Classroom</i> With the seemingly endless number of ways to integrate technology into college-level teaching, it can feel overwhelming to consider how technology can play a role. Yet, there are 4 essential ways faculty can use technology: to communicate , to collaborate , to create and to curate . Collectively, these skills are the 4 C's. During this session, we will explore several technology tools that help faculty successfully engage in the 4 C's, such as Twitter, Delicious, VoiceThread	<i>Century Theatre</i>

	<p>and others. Be sure to BYOT (bring your own technology) so you can interact with these new tools immediately!</p> <p>Session 2. Julia Bowsher, Angie Hodgson, Jenni Momsen, Lisa Montplaisir, Wendy Reed, Katie Reindl (Biological Sciences). <i>Active learning: A workout for the brain.</i></p> <p>Far from a passive activity, learning has the potential to fundamentally alter the ways in which our brains work. Active learning is a form of instruction that shifts the responsibility of learning from the instructor to the learner, providing students opportunities to engage new material through reading, writing, discussing, and reflecting. In this active learning workshop, participants will engage in an active learning exercise and then develop tools to incorporate active learning in their own courses.</p>	Dunbar 152
11:30 a.m. to 12:50 p.m.	<p>LUNCH: Matt Skoy (Assistant Director for Service Learning & Civic Engagement) and Erika Berg (Animal Sciences). <i>Service + Learning = Positive Community Impact.</i></p>	Plains Ballroom
1:00 to 1:50 p.m.	<p>CONCURRENT SESSIONS:</p> <p>Session 1. Yeong Rhee (Health, Nutrition, & Exercise Sciences). <i>The Things I Learned from the Failures.</i></p> <p>Dr. Rhee, recipient of the 2012 Robert Odney Award for Excellence in Teaching, speaks about the struggles she had as a new teacher and tools/strategies that helped overcome these struggles. Her session will include an open discussion for others to share strategies that have helped/worked for them.</p> <p>Session 2. William Martin, School of Education. <i>Using Grading to Monitor Learning and Guide Instruction.</i></p> <p>Dr. Martin speaks about how he uses coding of problems and a different scoring system to track individual learning and whole class progress.</p>	Hidatsa Prairie

Are you or your group interested in presenting at a Pedagogical Luncheon this year? Are you interested in presenting at next year's Teaching & Learning Conference? If either, please contact me:

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