Spring Faculty Workshop

Monday, May 13: 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Breakout Sessions

10:15 - 11 a.m. First Breakout Session (45 minutes)

11 - 11:15 a.m.

11:15 a.m. - 12 p.m. Second Breakout Session (45 minutes)

Each breakout session would be run twice, allowing faculty to either stay in the same one or move between sessions as desired. I think you are free to either plan a 45-minute session and repeat it or plan it as two different sessions: Part A and Part B, knowing you will need to repeat some info for newcomers.

1.Fostering Community & Student Engagement-Facilitated Conversation

RSVPS: 54

LOCATION: ALUMNI ROOM

Facilitators: Natalie Krivas & Stacy Hoult

Learn about the solutionary process of thinking and doing. This methodology elicits a transformational experience for both educator and learner. We will briefly share with you the curriculum and offer some of the practical instructional methods we developed in our FLC by applying a solutions-oriented process.

2. Teaching to your Strengths-Facilitated Conversation

RSVPS: 51

LOCATION: SUITE 200 MULTIPURPOSE ROOM (former Gandhi-King Center)

Facilitators: Abbie Thompson and Ryan Cole

When we structure our classes around things we are good at, we believe the classes go much smoother. For example, someone might excel at leading impromptu class discussions, whereas someone else may be a master at creating interesting and detailed assignments. In this FLC we explored our strengths by completing the CliftonStrengths Assessment. We will share with you how we matched our class to our strengths.

3. Al and the Classroom - Facilitated Conversation

RSVPS: 54

LOCATION: BROWN & GOLD ROOM

Facilitators: Kelly Belanger, Jon Bull, Salena Anderson, and Sedefka Beck

Many of us are still coming to grips with how generative AI affects our classes. We will talk about how to adapt assignments and pedagogy to the new landscape of AI, how some of our students are currently using generative AI, and how we can help our students learn to use these new and rapidly-evolving tools more responsibly.

4. Share Classroom Success Stories - Facilitated Conversation

RSVPS: 33

LOCATION: HERITAGE ROOM

Facilitators: Dan Maguire

This is a collaboration space for any faculty to come and chat with others about what has worked for you and your students in the past year. What have you done that resulted in students being excited and involved in your field? What techniques have you used to get students to prepare well outside of class?