Preparing Graduate Students for Effective Undergraduate Teaching: Advantages of Evidence-Based, Online Modules

Thursday, April 23, 2020

Webinar sponsored by:
Association of College and University Educators (ACUE)
Plan for today

• **One speaker** will speak for approximately **35 minutes** total, followed by Q & A
  
  • **Suzanne Ortega** of the Council of Graduate Schools will speak for approximately 5 minutes introducing the presenter and discussing CGS initiatives.
  
  • **Melissa Zantello** will speak for 35 minutes on ACUE’s products and services with special focus on how they apply to the graduate community.
Technical Support

- Webinar **recording and slides** will be **emailed** to participants and **posted** on the CGS website.

- Please **submit questions** through the GoToWebinar **control panel**.

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President, Council of Graduate Schools
Presenter

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Association of College and University Educators (ACUE)
Preparing Graduate Students for Effective Undergraduate Teaching
Agenda

• Introduction
• Impact of Effective Teaching
• Overview of Micro-credential Courses for Graduate Students
• Course Preview
Our mission is to ensure student success through quality instruction.
Students spend more time with faculty than anyone else.

Faculty impact over 100 students every year.

Four in five graduates looked to a professor for a mentor.

Graduates are 1.9x more likely to be engaged at work and lead fulfilling lives.
Faculty Impact

We know that faculty are enthusiastic about their course experience: reporting it’s relevant, that they’ve refined their practice, and that they would recommend it to a colleague.

- **94%** relevant among recent graduate student only cohort
- **88%** recommend among recent graduate student only cohort
- **94%** refined among recent graduate student only cohort
Faculty Impact

We know that faculty are changing their behavior in meaningful ways, as they report learning about and implementing dozens of new teaching approaches.

- **Learned**: 58 new practices
- **Learned more about**: 75 practices
- **Implemented**: 28 new practices
- **Plans to implement**: 55 additional practices

115 among recent graduate student only cohort
70 among recent graduate student only cohort
43 among recent graduate student only cohort
105 among recent graduate student only cohort
Courses for Graduate Students

Promoting Active Learning: June 13, 2020 (4-6 weeks, $600)
- Delivering Effective Class Sessions and Lectures
- Teaching Powerful Notetaking Skills
- Using Groups to Ensure Active Learning
- Using the Active Learning Cycle
- Planning Effective Discussions
- Facilitating Engaging Discussions

Promoting Active Learning Online: June 20, 2020 (4-6 weeks, $600)
- Developing Effective Modules and Micro-lectures
- Teaching Powerful Notetaking Skills
- Using Groups to Ensure Active Learning
- Using the Active Learning Cycle
- Planning Effective Discussions
- Facilitating Engaging Discussions
Scalable, online courses

Design:

• 6 modules
• High-quality
• Video-rich
• Collaborative
• Facilitated
• Implementation, reflection, refinement
• Evaluated by ACUE national readers
• Aligned to inclusive and equitable teaching practices
Discussion
Questions?

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- Sponsored Webinar: The Role of Graduate Deans in Strategic Enrollment Planning
  - Tuesday, May 12, 2020 from 2:00-3:00 PM EST

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