

# Office of Assessment

## Spring 2016 Assessment Events

The Office of Assessment, in collaboration with ACERT, offers regular Assessment Breakfasts - interactive workshops led by the Director of Assessment - on **Wednesday** mornings throughout the semester. These workshops cover assessment concepts, tools and techniques within a supportive, collaborative environment, and are open to faculty and staff across the College.

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### **2/24 Assess Anything You Like With Rubrics**

**East 1220, 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM**

Need a way to assess the un-assessable? How about trying out a rubric? Learn the technique, then work as a group to create and apply a custom rubric in a fun context. Make sure to bring any in-progress rubrics or assignments if you want to work on them. [Faculty and Staff, Intermediate Level]

### **3/09 Assess your Program: Find out What your Majors are Really Learning**

**East 1203, 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM**

Faculty work hard to ensure students move through major curricula, gathering critical knowledge and skills along the way. But how do you know it all worked? How do you know your majors leave with all the good things you intended for them to have? Come learn how to design, implement and learn from program assessment to get better information about what your majors know and are able to do once they graduate. [Faculty-focused, Intermediate Level]

### **3/23 Refine Your Assignments to Explore Student Writing**

**East 1203, 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM**

Assignments are the tools of our trade, helping us explore what our students are getting from our classes. But when we measure learning, are we using a microscope when we should be using a scale or thermometer? Come learn how to design assignments that best allow you to see what your students know. [Faculty-focused, Intermediate Level]

### **4/06 Learning Outcomes Mini Boot Camp**

**East 1203, 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM**

Come join guest facilitator Bryan Dowling from Psychology as he leads this interactive workshop on creating and revising learning outcomes. Expect a high energy, collaborative set of activities to help you and your colleagues discover together what you really want students to be able to know and do. Bring comfortable shoes and a passion for peer-review!

### **4/20 Annual Assessment Day**

**TBA, 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM**

Join us for our second annual Assessment Day! Our 2015-2016 Assessment Fellows will discuss their use of assessment to innovate within their courses and programs. More information to follow.

### **5/04 Ask the Students! Design a Small-Scale Survey**

**East 1203, 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM**

Surveys can be a great way to find out what students are thinking in order to improve teaching or services. But without careful preparation, you're likely to end up with a bunch of data that looks good but tells you squat! Come learn best practices for small-scale survey design; bring your own projects-in-process. [Faculty and Staff, Intermediate Level]

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