



New Faculty Teaching Academy 2009

Tuesday August 11, 2009

- 9:00 a.m. Welcome
- 9:05 a.m. Introductions
- 10:05 a.m. Review of NFTA's Purposes and Structure:
- List objectives and review and revise with group input
 - Overview of Fall Semester and dates for Spring Semester
 - Teaching Coaches
- 10:20 a.m. The First Day of Class
- 11:00 a.m. Overview of USU Students:
- Dr. Ann Austin, Professor of Family, Consumer, and Human Development
 - Dr. Keith Grant-Davie, Professor of English
 - Dr. Chris Hailey, Professor of Engineering
- 12:00 p.m. Lunch, hosted by Provost Raymond T. Coward
- 1:00 p.m. Instructional Support
- 4:00 p.m. Question and Answer Session

Friday August 21, 2009

- 1:30 – 3:30 p.m. Assessment: Measurement and Evaluation
Dr. James Cangelosi, Professor of Mathematics and Statistics
- Bain, Chapters 6 and 7

Friday September 11, 2009

1:30 – 3:30 Using Today's Library as a Teaching Resource
Dr. Wendy Holliday, Reference Librarian, University Libraries

Bain, Chapter 2

Special Session **Thursday September 17, 2009**

Session with Matthew Ouellett, Director of the Center for Teaching, University of Massachusetts Amherst. Matt is also President of the Professional and Organizational Development Network in Higher Education (2006-2009) and is a past president of the New England Faculty Development Consortium. Details forthcoming.

Friday September 25, 2009

1:30 – 3:30 p.m. Providing Feedback to Students
Dr. Mimi Recker, Department Head, Instructional Technology

Bain, Chapter 6

Friday October 9, 2009

1:30 – 3:30 p.m. Small Group Learning, Cooperative Learning Projects
Written records

- In-class Cooperative Projects
- Out-of-class Group Projects
- Research on Cooperative Learning

Dr. Steven Camicia, Assistant Professor of Social Studies Education

Friday October 23, 2009

1:30 – 3:30 p.m. Tenure and Promotion at Utah State University
Documenting Your Teaching Effectiveness

- Written records
- Syllabi
- Lesson plans
- Course evaluations
- Peer observations

Dr. Raymond T. Coward, Executive Vice President and Provost

Bain, Chapter 6

Friday November 6, 2009

1:30 – 3:30 p.m. Diversity in the classroom as an instructional resource

Dr. James Morales, Vice President for Student Services

Friday November 20, 2009

1:30 – 3:30 p.m. Reflecting on The Past Semester: How do college students learn?

Dr. Byron R. Burnham, Dean, School of Graduate Studies

