

Reflecting Back, Looking Forward: A Workshop for PDP Alumni

December 19, 2016, 12:00-3:00 PM PST
UC Santa Cruz, PSB room 205, with remote attendance available

This 3-hour workshop is an opportunity for alumni of the Professional Development Program (PDP) to reflect on their past experience, and plan for moving forward in applying what they learned, including as a prospective 2017 Design Team Leader. The focus of this workshop will be on assessment, but will include other aspects of the PDP. Pizza and salad provided.

AGENDA

- 12:00 – 12:15 **Welcome and updates on ISEE** (Lisa Hunter)
- 12:15 – 1:00 **2016 PDP assessment work:** Participant volunteers will bring their rubrics and scores, and ideally an example of their learners' artifacts, to discuss with the group. Volunteers needed: please contact Lisa Hunter if you would like to volunteer to share your assessment work.
- 1:00 – 1:50 **Assessing students' scientific explanations in an intro biology course** (Susy Honig, Robin Dunkin, Lisa Hunter)
An introductory biology course was designed and taught at UCSC in Winter 2016. The course emphasized the STEM practice of generating scientific explanations, and included a pre/post written assessment. In this session the instructors will discuss how explanations were integrated into a lecture course. Participants will have an opportunity to use an explanation rubric to score authentic student responses.
- 1:50 – 2:00 **Break**
- 2:00 – 2:30 **Panel of past PDP Design Team Leaders**
(Matt Naylor, others TBA)
Past PDP Design Team Leaders will share what they gained from returning to the PDP and leading a team, and any thoughts they have on how the PDP experience can be improved for returning participants.
- 2:30 – 2:45 **Applying the PDP experience in moving forward**
Prior to attending this workshop, participants will be asked to briefly record their thoughts on how they will apply the PDP to their teaching, research, and career advancement. In this session we will share responses, and give participants an opportunity to record new ideas.
- 2:45 – 3:00 **2017 PDP for returners** (Lisa Hunter)
Information on the 2017 application process for returners, including for the role of Design Team Leader.

RSPV required by 12/12/16 to attend this workshop: <http://tinyurl.com/PDPassessment>

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