

FACULTY Flex Day 2010 At-a-Glance Friday, August 13, 2010

7:30- 8:20 a.m.	Breakfast – Sponsored by Shasta College Foundation
8:30- 9:45 a.m.	State of the College Address – Gary Lewis, Superintendent/President, Theatre

9:45-10:00 a.m. Stretching for All – Rhonda Nelson, Theatre

10:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m. Student Learning Outcomes/Assessment - Please see attached instructions.

12:15-1:15 p.m. Lunch – Faculty Association, Faculty Meeting, Room 802

1:30- 3:20 p.m. Workshops

3:30- 4:30 p.m. Division Meetings

4:45- 5:30 p.m. Culinary Arts Fundraiser - Wine Tasting

Workshops

Faculty may participate in one of the two 2-hour workshops or may participate in the 1-hour sessions each hour, but cannot alternate between the 2-hour sessions and the 1-hour sessions.

1:30 - 3:20 p.m. 2-Hour Sessions

On Course Case Studies	Shelly Presnell & Teresa Hampton, Presenters	820
508 Compliance	Sandra Hamilton Slane, Roger Gerard & Cindy Sandhagen, Facilitators	209
<u>1:30</u>	- 2:20 p.m. 1-Hour Sessions	
The Textbook Committee "Making the Essential Accessible"	Heather Wylie, Presenter	811
Strategies for ITV	Nancy Hills & Jon Jones, Presenters	2150
What Employers Want: Reflections by Educators in the Workplace.	Melinda Kashuba, Facilitator	804

2:30 - 3:20 p.m. 1-Hour Sessions

Virtual Classroom	Frank Whiting, Presenter	2206
700 Building Tour	Morris Rodrigue, Presenter	700 Building Foyer
Shasta College's Sustainability Committee: Vision, Progress, Ideas	Morgan Hannaford, Facilitator	826

3:30 – 4:30 p.m. Division Meetings

Arts, Communications & Social Sciences	638
Business, Technology, Family & Consumer Sciences	2202B
Health Sciences & University Programs	2108
Natural Resources, Industry & Public Safety	1213
Physical Education & Athletics	1806
Science, Language Arts & Mathematics	1425

4:45 – 5:30 p.m. Culinary Arts Fundraiser

Workshop Descriptions

1:30 – 3:20 p.m. 2-Hour Sessions

On Course Case Studies

Presenters: Shelly Presnell & Teresa Hampton, Room 820

Do you find yourself frustrated watching capable students flounder and struggle with taking personal responsibility for their education? This On Course workshop will provide you with innovative learner-centered strategies for empowering your students to become active responsible learners. It will also provide you with an opportunity to collaborate with your colleagues about classroom issues we face at community colleges.

Online Instruction: 508 Compliance

Facilitators: Sandra Hamilton Slane, Roger Gerard & Cindy Sandhagen, Room 209

This workshop will provide training on how to provide accessibility to students with disabilities in a classroom setting. It will include an overview of 508 Compliance with an introduction to a training program called "Dare to Care," with specific tools and resources to ensure accessibility for students.

1:30 - 2:20 p.m. 1-Hour Sessions

The Textbook Committee "Making the Essential Accessible" Presenter: Heather Wylie, Room 811

"Textbooks currently make up 72% of the cost of attending community colleges...The rising costs of textbooks is limiting access to community colleges...Students that do not have their own copy of course texts have a higher dropout rate than those that do...." What can you, as faculty, do to address these problems? Come find out at the Shasta College Textbook Committee's Flex Day 2010 presentation "Making the Essential Accessible: Open Educational Resources (OER)." OERs are free, high quality textbooks in all disciplines that can be found online. Come find out how to access and make these resources work for you and your students. The session will provide hands-on training to access information and material in the computer lab room 811. Please feel free to contact Heather Wylie (hwylie@shastacollege.edu) with questions.

Strategies for ITV

Presenters: Nancy Hills & Jon Jones, Room 2150

This workshop will offer successful strategies for teaching ITV classes: How to engage the students; how to connect with the outlying students, and how to help the students feel like they are part of the class versus just watching it.

What Employers Want: Reflections by Educators in the Workplace Facilitator: Melinda Kashuba, Room 804

Seven faculty members from Shasta College participated in the "Building Effective Pathways: Educator in the Workplace Summer Institute - 2010." Faculty conducted interviews with local employers for the purpose of understanding what they are looking for in Shasta College graduates and programs. Participating Shasta College instructors will present summaries of their interviews and recommend classroom techniques to educate students about employer expectations and prepare them for a competitive workplace environment.

2:30 - 3:20 p.m. 1-Hour Sessions

Virtual Classroom

Presenter: Frank Whiting, Room 2206

Real Classes, Virtual Worlds

The first decade of the 21st Century will be noted as an era of rapid technological and social change. Nowhere will this be more evident than in the applied technology of virtualization. If the last decade of the 20th Century was the "dawn era" of virtual worlds, in this decade, the sun has risen. These changes will be most evident in educational institutions worldwide and in the basic paradigms of pedagogy. The technologies are operational and the social enablers are clicking into place. This presentation will explore ongoing changes in virtual instruction and discuss how we at Shasta College can benefit from it and how we can participate in this exciting evolution.

700 Building Tour

Presenter: Morris Rodrigue, 700 Building Foyer

Take a tour of the new Learning Resource Center. This will be a great opportunity to see the facility, as well as to find out about tutoring services available for students.

<u>Shasta College's Sustainability Committee: Vision, Progress, Ideas</u> Facilitator: Morgan Hannaford, Room 826

The Sustainability Committee at Shasta College was established by the President's Office as part of the College's commitment to sustainable practices. The Committee includes administrators, staff, faculty, students, and community members to encourage input and feedback from all segments of the campus. This session is intended to provide an overview of the Sustainability Committee's role and mission at Shasta College, and to provide an opportunity for discussion on the topic of sustainable practices.

4:45 - 5:30 p.m. Culinary Arts Fundraiser

Wine Tasting with Culinary Arts

Facilitator: Roger Gerard, Room 2038 Bistro

The Culinary Arts Wine program will be showcased at the end of the day. There will be wine tasting featuring Shasta College wines for a small donation (\$5.00 suggested). <u>Reservations are required</u> (online reservation information to follow.)

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