

Internationalizing the Curriculum: Faculty Development Training



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Program Speakers



Michael Smithee, Ed.D.
Presentation and Workshop: "Infusing International Perspectives in Courses"

Dr. Smithee conducts research, writes, blogs, and consults through his firm, Smithee Associates, based in South Florida. He has served as an international education administrator and adjunct faculty member at Syracuse University; traveled widely, and is experienced in international educational exchange, cross-cultural training, and managing organizational change. He has authored publications on international education leadership, classroom culture, intercultural aspects of academic integrity, and international teaching assistants. He has served on boards of directors for educational, community, and professional organizations. He received his Master's degree in International Relations in 1970 from Florida State University, and his doctorate in Higher Education in 1990 from Syracuse University. His doctoral dissertation is titled, "Factors Related to the Development and Implementation of a University-Wide Teaching Assistant Program." On a more personal note: he has lived in France and has visited Albania, Canada, England, Germany, Japan, Mexico, Netherlands, Switzerland, and Taiwan; lived in more than nine U.S. states and 14 U.S. cities (before the age of 21) and attended 12 different schools from K-12.



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Nneka Nora Osakwe, PhD.
Presentation: "Internationalization- learning outcome and assessment"

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FACULTY PARTICIPANTS

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Dr. Erwin Ford	English	World Literature
Dr. Florence Lyons	Fine Arts	Fundamentals of Public Speaking
Dr. Dorene Medlin	Education	Science for Young Children
Dr. Chinenye Ofodile	Mathematics	Pre-calculus with Trigonometry **
Dr. Uzoma Okafor	Natural and Forensic Sciences	Crime Scene Investigation
Dr. Zephyrinus C. Okonkwo	Mathematics	Calculus I Basic Statistics
Dr. Anthony Owusu-Ansah	Education	Developmental Reading
Dr. Candice Pitts	English	World Literature English Composition
Dr. Tiffany Pogue	Education	Exploring Socio-cultural Perspectives on Diversity in Educational Contexts
Dr. Timothy Sweet-Holp	History and Political Science	Introduction to Social Science
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