

**GENERAL EDUCATION ASSESSMENT PROJECTS
WINTER/SPRING 2010**

Purpose: Ongoing assessment of first two core abilities (communicate effectively, think critically) using rubrics developed in 2009 by the Gen Ed Assessment Team.

Project: Design a modest assessment project for one of your courses that applies either of the rubrics to your class—face to face or hybrid/online.

Eligibility: Full time and part-time faculty who teach general education courses are encouraged to apply.

Support: Each general education division (LLC, Social Science, Math, Science, and Art) has 40 hours of curriculum development money per term to award for curriculum development projects completed winter and spring 2010. There will also be a Moodle site with online support for accepted projects, a two-hour orientation and two-hour review meeting with colleague/participants and Gen Ed team members. In addition, participants may elect to join assessment discussion meetings throughout winter and spring for trouble-shooting, brainstorming, and other topics.

Selected participants will be paid at the CD rate (\$29.15) for the 4 hours of meetings, to be included in the hours of CD support requested.

How to apply: Describe your assessment project and plan on one page and submit it to your division dean. If there are more hours needed than money allocated, the Assessment Team will review the proposals.

Winter Term Timelines:*

4 December	Proposals due from Division Office to Assessment Team
Finals Week	Proposals reviewed and faculty notified
15 January, 2-4 pm	Orientation meeting for all participants
18 March, 2-4 pm	Final project debriefing meeting

*Spring Term timelines will be announced at a later date.