# FPD at Lane

# The Newsletter for Faculty Professional Development at Lane

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Fall 2019

## News from the FPD Coordinator

As Fall term wraps up, I would like to share with you some of what was accomplished this term, along with new resources you may find helpful.

Faculty Connections, led by its new Coordinator, Meggie Wright, brought together 18 pairs of mentors and mentees at the Fall Orientation.

The Inclusive Teaching Event Series included two introductory brown bags and a panel session with "Inclusive Excellence Fellows" Christine Andrews, Jessica Knoch, and Doug Young. Thank you to Laura Pelletier for facilitating both a brown bag and the panel! Winter term will feature a student panel and follow-up brown bag (dates TBD) focused on the "hidden curriculum": skills and information needed to succeed that may not be obvious to first-generation and other students.

More inclusive teaching resources may be found at the Inclusive Teaching page on the FPD website or on FPD's resource site on Moodle, which includes links, handouts, and recordings of FPD sessions. Go to the FPD home page to find a link to enroll.

The Sabbatical Committee crafted a more specific rubric, available on the Sabbatical page of the FPD website.

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### Image caption:

“Lane Community College Faculty Connections 2019.” Photo by Meggie Wright, used under Creative Commons Attribution (CC BY) license.

## Program Updates:

### Faculty Inquiry Groups:

The FIG committee received and approved applications for five FIGs: two for Fall 2019 (Environmental Science, ABSE); and three for Winter and/or Spring 2020 (ESL, Math, Interdisciplinary). If you missed this year's deadlines, our next FIG deadline is May 17, 2020 for Summer and Fall 2020 FIGs.

### Professional Activities:

Many of you have been applying early for your funding: thank you for planning ahead! The next Professional Activities deadline is Tuesday, January 14, by 5 p.m.

### Discipline Contact Grants:

With 13 disciplines supported, we have distributed almost all of our funds for the year.

### Sabbaticals:

The deadline for Sabbatical applications is Friday, January 31, by 5 p.m.

## Sabbatical Reports

This year's sabbatical reports featured presentations by Claire Dannenbaum (library programs for refugees and asylum seekers), Amy Gaudia (intersections between math and music), Jessica Knoch (doctoral courses in math education), Joe McCully (culinary education in Ireland), Aliscia Niles (Aliscia Niles (the humanitarian crisis at the border, in Eugene, and in Guatemala), Jim Salt (Trump and corporate funding), Wendy Simmons (mindfulness, nutrition, and posture), Drew Viles (Siletz family stories), and Clive Wanstall (culinary education in Ireland and England). Gary Mort (science and skepticism) presented separately later in the term. To learn more about sabbatical recipients' experiences, please see the "Sabbaticals Already Awarded" tab on the FPD website (www.lanecc.edu/fpd).

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### Image caption:

Sabbatical recipient Aliscia Niles shares her work with refugees and asylum seekers in Eugene, at the border, and in Guatemala. Photo by Aryn Bartley.

## Thank you to FPD Committee Members and Staff

### **FPD Oversight:**

Claire Dannenbaum, Library

Jay Frasier, LLC

Adrienne Mitchell, LCCEA President

Michael Sámano, Ethnic Studies

Brooke Taylor, Chemistry

### **Short-Term Leave/ Professional Activities:**

Melinda Beane, Social Science

Amy Beasley, English

Bev Hickey, Early Childhood Education

Liz Novicky, Nursing

### **Classroom Observations:**

Judy Boozer, Business

Michael Sámano, Social Science

Susan Reddoor, ALS

### **Faculty Inquiry Groups:**

Paul Bunson, Science

Ingrid Nordstrom, Writing and Literature

Wendy Rawlinson, Math

### **Faculty Connections:**

**Coordinator:** Meggie Wright, OER/ AT

Rosemarie Tillman, LLC

Wendy Simmons, Health/ P.E

### **Sabbatical Leave (Unpaid):**

Jeffrey Borrowdale, Social Science

Susan Reddoor, ALS

### **SoTL:**

Dennis Gilbert, Science

### **Sabbatical Leave (Paid):**

Marge Helzer, Social Science

Jay Frasier, LLC

Jen Ferro, Library

Beth Thorpe, Health Professions

### **Pedagogy Brown Bags:**

Katie Hachimoto, ESL

Rachel Knighten, Spanish

Erika Masaki, Political Science

Patti Jackson, ABSE

Laura Pelletier, Communications

Tracy Weimer, Office of Equity and Inclusion

Meggie Wright, OER/AT

ASA Designee:Nikki Gavin

FPD Coordinator:Aryn Bartley

Admin Specialist:Leah Smith

For more information about FPD programs or opportunities, please see the FPD website at www.lanecc.edu/fpd or email Aryn Bartley at bartleya@lanecc.edu