Center for Teaching and Learning – Final Report
July 27, 2023
Academic Year 2022-2023

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Overview
This report includes the campus reports for CTL activities for Minnesota West. Schedules and survey results are included. The CTL kickoff meetings notes and leader position description are in the appendices.

College-wide CTL Week, August 2022
For the first week of the academic year, approximately half of the preparation time is spent in teaching and learning activities and administrative meetings. The other half of the time for this week is for class preparations. For the first time, post COVID, all faculty gathered in one place at the Canby campus on August 17, 2022.

Schedule

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<td>General Work Day and Technology Training</td>
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<td>9:00 – 2:00 Nursing Faculty ATI Resources Training at the Worthington Campus</td>
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<td>Coffee and light breakfast provided on each campus</td>
<td>9:00 – 10:00 Faculty meeting, Art Brown</td>
<td>8:30 – 9:00 breakfast</td>
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<td>9:30-10:20 IT updates on each campus (hands on trainings – each campus)</td>
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<td>8:30 – 9:20 D2L Updates, Tips and Tricks, Q&amp;A (CATT Team)</td>
<td>10:15 – 11:30 Division meetings, Division Chairs</td>
<td>9:00 – 9:45 Dr. Gaalswyk</td>
<td>9:00 – 2:00 REACH faculty (high school instructors and college faculty mentors required in WGTN—Kayla Westra and Theresa Ireland, organizers)</td>
<td>10:30 – 11:20 Session Two: SEM: Retention Strategies and Tactics. Linda Pesch</td>
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<td>9:30-10:20 ITV/Zoom updates (college-wide meeting – Elias Gomez, organizer)</td>
<td>Lunch on your own</td>
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<td>10:00 – 10:15 BREAK</td>
<td>1:00 – 1:30 – Active Shooter video/discussion- PS, Canby, GF, Jackson, Luverne, Marshall</td>
<td>12:30 – 1:20 AASC Meeting</td>
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<td>Lunch on your own</td>
<td>1:00 -1:50 Managing Inventory: Kayla Richter</td>
<td>10:15 – 11:45: Speakers</td>
<td>2:00 – 2:30 – Active Shooter video/Discussion – WGTN only</td>
<td>1:30 – 2:30 Equipment and Technology Committee Members meeting (Kent Dahlman, organizer)</td>
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<td>1:00-1:50 CTL meeting – Kayla Westra</td>
<td>1:00 -1:50 IT updates - campus IT hands on</td>
<td>11:50-12:50 Lunch</td>
<td>2:00 – 2:50 Student Senate Advisors meeting – Abdullahi Abdiagaani</td>
<td>See page 7 for details.</td>
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<td>2:00 – 2:50 New Faculty – Art Brown, Karen Miller, Deans, Mentors</td>
<td>2:00 – 2:50 REACH mentors meeting Kayla Westra</td>
<td>1:00 – 3:30 Workshops</td>
<td>2:00 Active Shooter Training – Fine Arts Building WGTN (other campuses – different locations): (Royce Overland, organizer)</td>
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<td>See page 3 for details</td>
<td>3:00 – 3:50 Session one: SEM: Recruitment Strategies and Tactics. Linda Pesch</td>
<td>See pages 4-5 for details.</td>
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<td>3:00 – 3:50 Academic Appeals Workgroup update – open to all – Becky and Linda (repeated from Monday)</td>
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### Monday, 8/15/22 Schedule

*Coffee and light breakfast provided on each campus  ** If no Zoom link is listed, Zoom is not an option for that meeting.

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<td>8:00 – 4:30 Nursing faculty training</td>
<td>Pipestone campus</td>
<td>Dawn Gordon</td>
<td>Simulation training</td>
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<td>8:30 – 9:20 D2L tips and what’s new</td>
<td><a href="https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/99708209375">https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/99708209375</a></td>
<td>CATT team leaders</td>
<td>Faculty who are using D2L for online, hybrid, or face to face classes</td>
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<td>9:30-10:20 IT updates</td>
<td><a href="https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/96915522111">https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/96915522111</a></td>
<td>Campus IT Techs</td>
<td>(ITV/Zoom, StarID, Eduroam, etc)</td>
<td>All faculty Staff and administration</td>
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<td>10:30 – 11:30 Turnitin training</td>
<td><a href="https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/97566451020">https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/97566451020</a></td>
<td>Gillian Singler and Turnitin trainer</td>
<td>Review of product and how to use</td>
<td>All faculty</td>
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<td>Lunch on your own</td>
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<td>1:00-1:50 CTL Restructure meeting – Kayla Westra, Art Brown</td>
<td><a href="https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/97725422851">https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/97725422851</a> Passcode: 887997</td>
<td>Kayla Westra</td>
<td>Faculty meeting</td>
<td>All faculty</td>
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<td>2:00-2:50 New Faculty – Art Brown, Karen Miller, Deans, Mentors</td>
<td><a href="https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/91597577343">https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/91597577343</a></td>
<td>Art Brown, Karen Miller</td>
<td>Introductions, overview</td>
<td>Deans, mentors, new faculty</td>
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<td>2-2:50 Academic Appeals Workgroup</td>
<td><a href="https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/98120962183">https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/98120962183</a></td>
<td>Rebecca Weber/Linda Pesch</td>
<td>Updates on process changes</td>
<td>Faculty interested in updates</td>
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### Tuesday, 8/16/22 Schedule

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<td>9:00-10:00 All faculty meeting</td>
<td>Art Brown</td>
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<td>10:15 – 11:30 Division meetings</td>
<td>Division chairs</td>
<td>Agenda from Provost</td>
<td>Division members</td>
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<td>11:30 – 12:30 Lunch on your own</td>
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<td>12:00 – 1:00 Shared Governance Meeting</td>
<td>Terry Gaalswyk, Tim Buysse, Vong Rathasachak</td>
<td>Standing meeting</td>
<td>Members of Shared Governance from faculty and administration</td>
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<td>1:00 – 1:50 Managing inventory</td>
<td>Kayla Richter</td>
<td>Managing Inventory: Kayla R and her staff would like to share information on inventory, tagging, disposal among other topics. - Zoom</td>
<td>Faculty who have inventory to manage</td>
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1:00 - 1:50 IT updates

On campus locations – room locations will come from IT personnel – watch for email https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/97087053693 WGTN Room 213; Pipestone 103; Jackson: 0-50; Luverne TBD; Canby 107 (GF – will be on Friday)

Elias Gomez, Campus IT personnel

IT updates on each campus (ITV/Zoom, Xerox changes, etc.)

Faculty who teach in a Zoom room

2:00 – 2:50 REACH mentors meeting

https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/98869069087

Kayla Westra and Theresa Ireland

Set up for Thursday’s meeting, mentoring overview, checklist

All college REACH mentors (fall and spring)

3:00 – 3:50 Recruitment Strategies and Tactics

https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/99497467586

Linda Pesch

The committee will present our overall goals and then proposed strategies and tactics that align with recruitment. The majority of the session would then include time for individuals to weigh in on the strategies and tactics identified as well as offer some of their own ideas.

Faculty, staff

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Schedule - Wednesday 8/17/22

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<td>8:30 – 9:00 Breakfast</td>
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<td>Breakfast and Check In</td>
<td>All faculty, administration, staff on campus</td>
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<td>9:00 – 9:45 President Gaalswyk</td>
<td><a href="https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/95751464395">https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/95751464395</a> Passcode: 138097</td>
<td>Welcome back, introduction of new faculty and staff</td>
<td>All faculty, administration, staff</td>
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<td>9:45-10:00 –Dr. Brown</td>
<td>*same link for all morning – afternoon not via Zoom</td>
<td>Kickoff</td>
<td>All faculty, administration, staff</td>
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<td>10:00 – 10:15 Break</td>
<td>Tribal Sovereignty as a Fundamental Human Right – Adam Savariego</td>
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<td>All faculty, administration, staff on campus</td>
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<td>10:15 – 11:45 Guest speaker Adam Savariego (longer presentation) and Addy Wolbaum (shorter presentation)</td>
<td>Often Indigenous people get reduced down by Non-Indigenous peers to their cultural components for consumption. The tactic plays on the inverse of dehumanization Indigenous people have been subject to since 1492, the right to sovereignty then becomes overlooked. The presentation will explore sovereignty as a fundamental right of Indigenous people, how it has been infringed on through a historical lens, and will showcase sovereignty through contemporary examples. Microaggressions: Addy Wolbaum What are microaggressions and how does implicit bias factor in? It’s never too late to learn and change!</td>
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Teaching and Learning Day – Canby Campus
**WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON BREAKOUT SESSIONS**

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<td>1:00-1:45</td>
<td>Campus Academic Technology Team (CATT) Meeting – updates, opportunities, projects (CATT team members)</td>
<td>Study Abroad Opportunities</td>
<td>System Office Funding Opportunities (see page 8)</td>
<td>Precision Agriculture Brad Milbrath</td>
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<td>Gillian Singler and Kent Dahlman – upcoming Storytelling in Ireland trip – Spring 2023</td>
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<td>1:55 – 2:35</td>
<td>OER Updates/Projects</td>
<td>Retention and Relationship Development with Students</td>
<td>System Office Funding Opportunities (see page 8)</td>
<td>Farm Accounting Software Review</td>
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<td>Kayla Westra</td>
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<td>2:40 – 3:10</td>
<td>Early Alert System overview and Academic Appeals new process</td>
<td>New programs/changes</td>
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<td>Rebecca Weber</td>
<td>OTA – Anna and Amber</td>
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<td>Overview of Customized Training – Judy Tebben</td>
<td>Sharing across department</td>
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<td>Aaron Brudelie</td>
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<td>Pilot – Summer Bootcamp</td>
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<td>Dan Bernstrom</td>
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<td>Wrap Up – Commons Area</td>
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<td>Nursing ATI Resources Training</td>
<td>Dawn Gordon</td>
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<td>Nursing faculty (REACH mentors will meet with high school instructors 12-2)</td>
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<td>9:00 – 2:00</td>
<td>REACH Professional Development Day</td>
<td>Kayla Westra, Theresa Ireland</td>
<td>Professional Development Day for REACH faculty</td>
<td>College REACH mentors, high school faculty, Kip Thorson (LARC), deans</td>
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<td>Active Shooter video/discussion- PS, Canby,</td>
<td>Royce Overland</td>
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<td>Royce Overland</td>
<td>Review active shooter video/discussion</td>
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<td>2:00 – 2:50</td>
<td>Student Senate Advisors meeting</td>
<td>Abdullahi Abdigaani</td>
<td>Funds, budgeting, organization, advising</td>
<td>All student senate advisors</td>
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<td>2:00 – 3:50</td>
<td>Nursing Meeting</td>
<td>Dawn Gordon</td>
<td>Department meeting</td>
<td>All nursing faculty</td>
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<td>3:00-3:50</td>
<td>Finance Committee/Equipment and Technology Process</td>
<td>Kent Dahlman, Paul Seifert, Jodi Landgaard</td>
<td>Q&amp;A session for those interested in the process</td>
<td>Faculty interested in requesting funds</td>
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<td>3:00-3:50</td>
<td>Academic Appeals Workgroup</td>
<td>Rebecca Weber/Linda Pesch</td>
<td>Review of updates to processes</td>
<td>Interested faculty</td>
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**Friday, August 19, 2022**

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<td>10:30 – 11:20</td>
<td>Retention Strategies and Tactics</td>
<td>Linda Pesch</td>
<td>Retention strategies and tactics</td>
<td>Faculty</td>
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<td>11:30 – 12:30</td>
<td>Lunch</td>
<td>Campus personnel</td>
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<td>12:30 to 1:20</td>
<td>AASC</td>
<td>Art Brown, Rob Arp</td>
<td>Standing meeting</td>
<td>Deans, Division Chairs, members of AASC</td>
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<td>1:30 – 2:30</td>
<td>Finance Committee meeting</td>
<td>Kent Dahlman</td>
<td>Discuss the process for the coming year for equipment and technology spending</td>
<td>Finance Committee Members</td>
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Campus Visit
Funding Opportunities

Date: 8/17/2022
Time: Canby Campus
Place: Room 108
1:00 and 1:55 pm

Visit with Educational Innovations to:
- Learn about funding opportunities
- Receive feedback on project ideas
- Help support and promote innovative equity initiatives on your campus
- Learn about becoming a funding application reviewer

Students are welcome to attend
Refreshments provided

Innovation Funding
Up to $25,000
- Large Seed Grants - pitch your innovation at the Shark Tank Open
- Small Seed Grants - competitive proposal process

Multi-Campus Collaboration Funding
Up to $160,000
Multi-Campus Collaboration Funding supports proposals that benefit two or more Minnesota State colleges or universities.

MinnState.edu/InnovationGallery
AsaNewsletter.org
Fall CTL Week Survey Results

Overview
Faculty arrived back to start the year on August 15, 2022. This week’s schedule includes five administrative days and a full schedule of meetings and professional development to begin the year. One hundred and nine (109) faculty, staff, and administrators met in Canby on Wednesday, August 17. Sixty-two (62) concurrent enrollment instructors and college mentors for the REACH program met in Worthington on Thursday, August 17 (that feedback will be in a separate survey). Fifty-nine (59) Minnesota West faculty, staff, and administration are asked to provide feedback on the week. That information is below.

1. The President’s remarks and administrative update were informative.

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2. Do you have a better understanding of the indigenous people/tribal sovereignty in our region after Adam Savariego's presentation?

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Only attended the morning, but Adam's talk was FANTASTIC. Loved it, and would love to hear more from him.

Meeting other instructors and staff

meeting staff from other campuses

It was nice to meet new employees and feel a part of a team.

I found it interesting about the indigenous people

lunch

Networking and coming together as staff and faculty - speakers and sessions are a bonus but human connection with coworkers is the best part.

Coming together as a community working toward the same goal is powerful. It's great to hear what others are doing, how it's working, and to discover connections on other campuses.

seeing people face to face really helps with building that comradery

Canby: Travel Courses
Week: Turn It In

I really liked Adams presentation. That different viewpoint helps educate all of us.
The CATT Team presentation! And that I can ask Kayla and Carolyn damn near anything and they’ll have a solution!

I learned more about the Candy campus and community
Another thing is I enjoyed face-to-face networking with my colleagues
Together-ness: being together on campus to meet people face-to-face
Learning about financial opportunities from the state to enhance programmatic activities

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The complexities of studying abroad.

I liked the afternoon sessions. I thought they were all relevant and helpful.

I got to see a new campus for the first time.

1. The guest speakers.
2. Working with facility in same department to prepare for semester.
3. Addy and Adam messages.

Learned about some great D2L tips
The session on Retention, it’s a college wide effort.
Reach session on student advising, be sure students know of the services available to them and that those resources are utilized.
D2L informational session from CATT, adjusting course dates, a huge time saver.
Nice to get together and see people’s faces again! all sessions that I attended were very worthwhile and food was fabulous!!
Thank you Canby campus!

Customized Training does a whole lot more than I thought.
Adam’s presentation was very informative on a number of levels and I feel that he did an excellent job presenting the information. I enjoyed the zoom sessions that allowed me to gain more knowledge on the processes of more of the administrative offices. I really enjoyed learning about the different/new/unique programs offered by MNWest.

Getting to see others
cil day - agriculture precision
rest of the week - zoom rooms

Just getting together and having a chance to talk and brainstorm about the coming year
I appreciated the college’s effort of giving the microphone to those who are traditionally under represented. This is important, and I would like to encourage more offerings addressing the needs and perspectives of under represented communities.

The helpful D2L tips and tricks were excellent. I found some of the sessions very useful, and some were a bit repetitive.

Adam Savario's presentation
I did not know about microaggression so that was very interesting. I enjoyed seeing people from the other campuses.
The SO staff who shared info about innovation funding and multi-campus collaboration funding. They offered some enlightening info.

Sorry, but I did not find the day worthwhile for starting the year.
Enjoyed seeing Art in action! Was great having lots of people from the MNWest campuses together for a day! Never heard about Microaggressions before - but it has stuck with me and crossed my mind several times since! Addie was impactful!

Addy's presentation will stick with me the most - awareness and framing of communication for the future is my take-away. My favorite part of the day was the two keynote speakers. I learned so much about the Native American perspective and strategies for dealing with microaggressions.

Attending Precision Mgmt workshop
I thought it was very good. I learned about The view point of indigenous people and some new things about microaggressions not to do, like ask where they are from. I do that all the time. C

The get together in Canby - being able to meet and share ideas and learn from each other.

Farm Accounting Software usages, New program updates
The precision planting ctl by Brad was extremely informative, we should have a program covering the use and repairing GPS systems for ag equipment at mn west!
5. As we begin planning for the coming year, which of these sessions from this week should we repeat as a CTL or informative session? You can choose more than one.

More Details

- D2L Tips and What's New: 23
- Tumble Training: 5
- IT Training: 16
- Academic Appeals Process Checklist: 7
- Managing Inventory: 5
- Recruitment Strategies and Tactics: 20
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- Farm Accounting Software Review: 9
- FBM Best Practices: 13
- Active Shooter Training: 20
- Retention Strategies and Tactics: 10
- Other: 3
6. What are your thoughts on being together in one location on Wednesday?

- I appreciated the opportunity to... 37
- I don't think being in one locat... 10
- No strong opinion. 12

7. Campus Tours - these were removed several years ago due to the length of the day. What are your thoughts on bringing these back?

- Definitely bring them back 21
- Don't bring them back 8
- No strong opinion 30

8. What other trainings would you like to see this coming year?

21 Responses
For the Campus Tours, have them as an option in place of a session.

**session on preparing for retirement**

More on being culturally responsive. I would suggest doing trainings at different levels of this from the beginner that is just starting to work on this to individuals that have been working on this topic for a few years.

**Perhaps in person meetings with our division programs**

Finding OER resources - even if you don't have time for a learning circle

Ways that we can work/are working with the communities; Best practices for testing, Speakers from outside MN West with new ideas; Online test proctoring - where are we, where are we headed?

N/A

**More tech “hacks” and solutions**

na

**Unsure**

In situ active shooter training. Practical strategies to keep everyone safe.

Diverse, equitable, and inclusive syllabi examples as well as examples of culturally responsive pedagogy.

Examples of professional development written summaries for Reach program.

Building a vibrant student college community.

none at this time

**Excel Spreadsheets**

Spanish for the classroom

Building community

Non-traditional leadership

Microsoft Teams

Na

**Retirement Planning**

I think more of the sessions could have been held via zoom to decrease the amount of driving time. The content of the sessions was spot on!

**Retirement and planning**
9. I am

- Faculty: 49
- Staff: 6
- Administration: 3
- Other: 0

10. Any other comments?

- 27 Responses

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<td>I am still having a hard time wrapping my head around Addy's presentation. I don't agree with some of her viewpoints.</td>
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<td>We have had enough training about equality there is no one I believe that discriminates others. Sorry but the micro aggressions was not worth it sorry.</td>
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<td>The presentations (Adam Savariego and Addy Wolbaum) were amazing! It is nice to have outside presenters that bring in new ideas and give us things to think (and talk) about.</td>
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Please stop with the juvenile ways to get out attention (1,2,3 or clap) - this is very demeaning. Please make sure the IT staff understands how Zoom rooms work and that the same Zoom training pertains to all locations. Please offer training equally to all campuses and don't make some campuses wait to Friday to learn important aspects of what they do.

I enjoyed the entire week and appreciate there were opportunities to voluntarily choose sessions.

Wish that we could set aside more work time for getting classes together instead of so many meetings. Also set aside time during the day to answer emails - Hard to get back to students when in meetings all day, esp when they need more in depth responses.

The food was delicious. It was so nice to see the ladies who prepared this food so excited that people enjoyed their creations.

Great day,
I really like being in one location, even if it's a long drive. Do not extend the day any longer. Keep inviting compelling keynote speakers like Adam and Addy. Shorten the afternoon sessions. Add campus tour.
I would like these meetings to be held with tools (Zoom, etc) that MnWest uses to provide education to our students. We spent on lot of time and financial resources to meet together in one place.
Faculty need this week to prepare for the start of school. It did not provide enough time for prep.
Adam's presentation was very disorganized. It could have been interesting to learn about. Addy committed a microaggression against old men during her presentation.

thank you for everyone who was involved in the week.

2022-2023 CTL Kick-off Meetings and Notes

Kick-Off Meetings - August 14 and September 26

An open invitation was sent to those interested in CTL activities. This meeting was on Monday, August 15, 2022.

Discussion
The group discussed the re-alignment of CTL activities into more college-wide professional development.

Changes to Center for Teaching and Learning
When the system office discontinued the state-wide CTL, Minnesota West invested in keeping this going and providing stipends for leaders across the college. This has mostly served the college well for the past 15 years. However, changes in delivery and in engagement prompted a review of the current model. Minnesota West has a robust adjunct pool of instructors, many of whom participate in CTL activities that are offered. Additionally, Zoom and other technologies have improved and provided a stable platform to provide these events across location and time zone. Keeping the current structure does not align with changes in the teaching methodology, pedagogy, community engagement, or practical application.

The following structure is proposed starting with the 2022-2023 school year.

In addition to the academic dean in charge of CTL, and in conjunction with direction from the Provost, six to eight college faculty will be tasked with leading the Center and Teaching and Learning across the college. Qualifications for consideration to serve on this committee include the following:

- UFT or TPT faculty status (adjuncts if not enough from this pool)
- Understanding of teaching and learning
- Understanding of assessment
- Good communication skills
- Good organizational skills
- Collaborative mindset

It is preferred that the Committee have representatives from each campus; however, this will not be required. After the first implementation, applications will be open for the month of April, with appointments made by May 7 for the following year. Appointments will last for one year. Faculty may re-apply for consecutive terms. For the first year, an e-mail call will be sent out for leaders to express interest.

This new committee will assist with planning coordinating CTL events throughout the year, including the traditional Zoom seminars, as well as the college-wide events such as CTL-focused duty days. Additionally, this committee will assist with new faculty orientation.

Budgets have been modified but still allow for local lunches throughout the academic year. This may be adjusted if not working as intended.
While campuses can continue with other local events, these will be outside the scope and funding of the Center for Teaching and Learning. A small budget has been left for each campus to support these activities. Approval of funding requests will be done by the Dean.

**CTL Leaders Job Description**

The following document provides an overview of the duties of a CTL committee member. Further information may be requested from the academic dean in charge of CTL, who has overall responsibility for the teaching and learning/professional development areas.

**Activities**

CTL committee members will assist in developing a calendar of activities for each semester. These will primarily be offered over the lunch hour, but the day/times of these activities will vary. CTL events will be shared through Zoom, Teams, or other web-based avenues. This will increase the reach of the activities and provide a broad selection to faculty, staff, and administration.

Center for Teaching and Learning activities should reflect the college-wide goals and assessment feedback requests as noted in the yearly assessment report. All college employees are invited to participate in CTL events.

The Committee will also coordinate system-level learning opportunities for faculty, utilizing experts from the System Office and Centers of Excellence within Minnesota State.

**All Faculty Gatherings:**

Whether all faculty events are held in person or via Zoom, CTL committee members will assist in the pragmatic logistics of the day, such as room coordination and lunch.

**Budgets**

The focus of budgets should be activities that enhance teaching and learning. Campus CTL budgets for food will be $500 per campus. Campus CTL food budgets do not carry over from year to year.

The dean also has a budget for teaching and learning supplies, such as books, webinar series, subscriptions, etc.
CTL Committee Members Appointed for 2022-23

- Heidi Tarus
- Kent Dahlman
- Carolyn Weber
- Linda Carter
- Tim Rhodes
- Teresa Noyes
- Sara Abrahamson
- Beth Van Orman (assessment coordinator, ad hoc member)

Kayla Westra (responsible dean)

**CTL Committee Member Stipend**

CTL leaders earn a stipend of $750 or equivalent credit for the year. Unless equivalent credit is requested by the CTL leader, the stipend ($750) will be used for payment. This payment is made in two bulk payments at the end of the semester (one in fall; one in spring). *For 2022-2023 year, the amount will be paid in the spring 2023 semester.

**Minnesota State Meetings**

CTL Committee Members are invited and encouraged to attend system conferences and other learning opportunities, and share learnings college-wide. An example is the Teach Together Minnesota conference (https://www.minnstate.edu/system/asa/innovations/teach-together-mn.html) on May 16, 2023.

**Reporting**

The CTL Committee will assist the assigned academic dean with year-end reporting, including managing surveys.

**Other**

The CTL Committee will assist with the assessment duty day arrangements. This day is organized by the Assessment Coordinator.
Any requests from Minnesota State for reporting of information should be directed to the assigned Dean.

Faculty, staff, and administrators should be invited to all CTL events and participation encouraged from all groups.

**Assessment Report / review**

Discussed report from assessment and how that needs to be tied to the CTL activities and training offered. The assessment report should be used in establishing CTL activities, and those activities should be reported moving forward in the assessment reporting. For the mid-year and end of year CTL reports, tie the CTL activities completed on each campus with the specific information/requests in the assessment reports.

The yearly assessment report can be found on the college web site. Review the training requests from college faculty. Note that these are not defined by campus; this is college-wide effort.

**CTL Meeting Notes – November 14, 2022**

All – here are the notes from last Friday – appreciate you participating and helping re-align the Center for Teaching and Learning moving forward. Let me know if I missed anything. Will work on the Teams site updates today as well. If you are interested in helping with any of the suggestions we came up with below, let me know and we can get started on those for spring.

In attendance – CTL leaders for 2022-2023:
- Heidi Tarus
- Kent Dahlman
- Carolyn Weber
- Linda Carter
- Tim Rhodes
- Teresa Noyes
- Sara Abrahamson
- Beth Van Orman (assessment coordinator, ad hoc member)
- Kayla Westra (responsible dean)

Chris and Hilda – if you are still interested, please reach out and let me know.

The group discussed the position description for leaders and an updated draft is attached. Please review and let me know if I missed anything by Monday, Nov. 21. The group agreed we should meet again in late April/early May to see if any other changes and to review compensation for the following year. Additionally, the group discussed a faculty leadership model (co-leads and committee) – will discuss this more in the spring as well. Due to the expected meetings and thoughts for the coming year, the $750 amount was retained for this year. Discussion on state-wide events; Heidi recommended people participate in the Teach Together MN group, which will be May 16, 2023. [https://www.minnstate.edu/system/asa/innovations/teach-together-mn.html](https://www.minnstate.edu/system/asa/innovations/teach-together-mn.html)
We discussed whether or not to have a speaker on January 6. Faculty asked for a welcome back from President Gaalswyk and an update on DEI planning/survey results from Abdullahi. In terms of food for the day, there was a question about whether or not we could support local businesses/food trucks. Kayla will see what the budget looks like and report back. Reviewed the schedule and shared updated version with Dr. Brown.

Assessment day is on December 16, 2022. Reviewed the schedule and shared updated version with Dr. Brown.

Kayla will get the Dec. 16 and Jan. 6 schedules out to faculty. Beth VO – please check the Jan. 6 schedule – do you plan to have an assessment meeting?

Discussed speakers for August duty week. Discussion around faculty engagement, employee engagement, and suggestions given. https://www.worldsavvy.org/about-us/team/dana-mortenson/ and https://sabresmonkey.wixsite.com/pedagogiesofcare were two options. Please add additional ideas to the Teams site.

Kayla will update the current CTL teams site and add new members.

Discussion on announcing CTL events. Group likes using calendar events.

Meeting frequency of group – discussed having a Zoom meeting for a ½ hour check in monthly. Possible topics to continue discussing:

- Storage of CTL event materials and communication about this
- Restructure

Suggested trainings discussed for spring:

1. Office Suite training
2. Teams training
3. D2L updates – what’s new and how to use. More offerings, and “work sessions” that allow people to “do” while they listen
4. Working meeting on using Outlook (create a calendar invite, how to do a bcc, etc.)
5. Ally training for LGBTQ
6. Web site redesign – CTL sessions to allow for more input from faculty on changes to academic areas
7. Course curriculum changes – Paula? - how faculty can best prepare materials for review through LATP and/or AASC

**CTL Meeting Notes – January 6, 2023**

Spring kickoff meeting
Kayla, Heidi, Kent, Teresa

**Spring trainings to get scheduled:**

- AED training / Emergency Response/CPR?– Galen McCarthy and Royce Overland – Kayla will follow up.
- Heidi and Kent – Culturally Responsive Classrooms reschedule – will let Kayla know dates/send out meeting invite to all.
• D2L training – Carolyn set up/send out meeting invite to all
• OER showcase – Carolyn – set up a time with Kip/Dan/faculty to showcase work that has been completed
• HTML templates in D2L – Carolyn?
• FWM – Linda – let Kayla know what is being set up for FWM crew/send out meeting invites.
Rather than email Kayla – put the information in the TEAMS site.

Discussed how often to meet. Twice in first four weeks – then monthly. Watch for Doodle poll from Kayla.
no Thursdays/Fridays for Teresa, no Thursdays – Heidi

May 5 – all faculty in Jackson
• Need to get a speaker set up -book by mid-february
• Need help with breakout session ideas

Kayla is doing *Dare to Lead* book group in spring.

Heidi shared a list of Teaching and Learning books – possibly have groups there as well.

1. The Missing Course: Everything They Never Taught you about College Teaching - David Gooblar -
   https://www.hup.harvard.edu/catalog.php?isbn=9780674984417
   a. Eight chapters – eight weeks?
   b. https://serc.carleton.edu/sage2yc/series/small_teaching.html
5. Real Happiness at Work
7. Envisioning Equity: Educating and Graduating Low-income, First-generation, and Minority College Students
8. Engaging the Online Learner
9. Teaching Students how to Learn.
10. Culturally Responsive Teaching and The Brain
11. Promoting Authentic Engagement and Rigor Among Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Students
12. Engaging Ideas: The Professor’s Guide to Integrating Writing, Critical Thinking, and Active Learning in the Classroom
13. Becoming a Critically Reflective Teacher
Local – can still do (not all campuses have locations). If do something locally, record it in the Teams site so can be added to the annual report.

FBM – can access funds if needed for CTL trainings/meeting lunches as well.

**CTL Check In Meeting – March 20, 2023**
Group met for initial thoughts on the May 5 duty day in Jackson. Began a draft schedule.

**College-wide CTL Events for 2022-2023 Year**
Eleven lunch and learn sessions were held as part of CTL events, outside of the scheduled CTL days.

- September 28, 2022: Introduction to Learning Outcome Assessment.” Please join Beth Van Orman for an introduction to learning outcome assessment. Audience: new faculty/staff, REACH/Concurrent enrollment (if they can make it – or the recording can be sent to them via email). All are welcome to join. Assessment reaches into all areas of the college.

- October 26, 2022: Formative v Summative Assessment. Beth Van Orman. Audience: all faculty

- October 12, 2022: Active Shooter Training – Jackson, Royce Overland, audience, all staff and faculty.

- November 7, 2022: Anna Sandager and Amber Garcia OTA program overview


- January 6, 2023: Survive or Thrive session. Kayla Westra

March 1, 2023: Co-Curricular Assessment. Audience: Beth Van Orman. Audience: Faculty/staff (highly recommended for staff/club advisors)


April 24, 2023: Minnesota West Marketing, Jackie Olson and team-scheduled-they will send out invite college-wide for the meeting

**Book Groups**
Three book groups were held during the 2022-2023 year.

- **Fall 2022**
  - Simon Sinek: *Start with Why*, 10 people participated.
  - Ibram Xendi: *How to Be an Anti-Racist*, 12 people participated.

- **Spring 2023**
  - Brene Brown: *Dare to Lead*, 21 people participated

**Other Opportunities – Speakers and Local Events**
Several other activities were offered on campus and in the region, including (but not limited to) the following:

- **Fred Amram:** *More than a survivor: Holocaust Survivor*
- **Leslie McLemore,** Civil Rights speaker
- **Cultures on the Prairie Event at SMSU, Killing Fields Simulation.**
# CTL Day, May 5, 2023 – Jackson campus

**8:30 – 9:00** Breakfast and Registration **Commons Area**

**9:00 – 9:50** President’s Remarks/Cabinet Convening **Commons Area**

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**9:50 – 10:00** Break

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There is often a mismatch between agencies and people serving people in poverty and the people they serve. Getting better and different outcomes requires better and different approaches. Creating an environment that is truly poverty-informed and goes beyond welcoming people to wanting them takes a shift in paradigms. This session will talk about the value of embracing the lived experience of the people in your team as well as practical strategies to improve your work and your outcomes. You will be challenged, inspired, and hopefully left with a sense of productive discomfort to inspire action.

Chad Dull currently serves as CEO of Poverty Informed Practice and as the Community Impact Coordinator for the School District of La Crosse. Believing in the power of education to create social mobility and change lives, Chad is a passionate advocate for people in the crisis of poverty and has presented across the country on the topic.

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| 2:00 – 2:50 | Chad Dull- Q&A with Students Services / Staff - Zoom |

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May 5, 2023 CTL Day Feedback

CTL Feedback

Fifty-three faculty and a number of staff and administrators attended the Spring 2023 CTL day in Jackson. The following information was gathered by survey following the event. Forty-two participants provided feedback.

1. The President's remarks and cabinet update were informative.
   - Yes: 40
   - No: 2

2. Do you have a better understanding of poverty-informed practice, after listening to Chad Dull?
   - Yes: 40
   - No: 0
   - Not on site: 2

3. After listening to Chad Dull's presentation, what is one thing you can do to make students feel more welcome?
   - Be mindful of what the circumstances students are living in and how we are conveying that they belong here.
   - Timing. Now vs later.
   - Be more positive and listen
   - Get to know them
   - Have them talk about themselves and let them know I can help
   - Say they're wanted instead of welcome
   - Make students feel wanted to succeed
So great. Explain help for basics needs.
What can I help you with
Yes very information
Spend time to talk to them to get to know them
Building relationships
Reducing barriers
talk to them
Find common ground.
Colonial Ideology is embedded in our educational infrastructure
Show you care!
Take a moment to review my courses and look for language or materials that may not provide a "You are welcome here" experience to all students. Little things to make others feel welcome don't take much effort and can make a lot of difference to some students (while not even be a second thought to others).
Be there for them
Make them feel wanted.
Understand where they are coming from
Make sure to tell them they belong and make sure they know that you want them to succeed. I like the idea of if they look lost hand deliver them to the room or person who can help them making that personal connection early
I am going to reconsider some of the wording in my syllabi and consider the ways in which I frame my classes.
N/A -was not on site.
Take more time to listen to their stories
Remove barriers that we normally don't see as barriers
Yes - he was fantastic!
Address things in a positive way and not negative
Welcome / basic needs statement
I think the take away was that students feeling "welcome" is not good enough - every student should feel WANTED in the college and our classrooms. As far as concrete practices, using more peer instruction and using peoples lived and learned experiences can help make every student feel valued.
be more understanding
Consider all walks of life, look at the bigger pictures.
• be mindful of language, and not making assumptions about SES, homelife, etc.
• Inclusion
• Ask more questions
• Have the services and resources available to all.

4. Please mark for the sessions you attended:

More Details

5. Any comments on the breakout sessions?

• Very informative.
- Great break out sessions.
- They were extremely informative this time!

- Lively fun discussions
- Na
- Enjoyed them both!
- Good
- No
- Great
- None
- None
- Both were excellent
- Let’s look at positives and how to adapt
- I thoroughly enjoyed both. Very appropriate and valuable
- N/A
- No
- Informative...AI good information
- They were good.
- Good variety available. All pertinent content. Thank you!
- Excellent
- They were good
- Good
- I thought the sessions were good. The only problem is sometimes having to choose between good sessions and not getting hearing information from the other session can be frustrating. So make have repeat sessions or not as many options for attendees.
- n/a
- The breakout session about culturally responsive classrooms was exceptional. I left with a lot of great ideas for my own teaching and classrooms. The breakout session about AI was a little discontinuous. I think it would have worked better if one presenter had been able to finish his PowerPoint/presentation before the other presenter shared her portion of the presentation. Instead, it felt like there were a lot of random interjections that made the presentation feel disjointed. Even so, I appreciated learning more about AI.
- N/A - was not on site.
• Chad Dull's breakout session was excellent.
• There was a 2:00 PM session for FBM too on farmer retirement options - it was very good
• Poverty informed practice was great.
• Let's offer more sessions that are relatable to our teaching growth. D2L should be one at every duty day. Syllabus info, business office information (Marketplace, PO submission), course assessment, flipping the classroom, Outlook "how to do", Professional development, and most important, Division meetings.
• None
• I learned a lot about CRATs and taxes.
• none
• Very informative
• na
• They were helpful, I liked Beth's session on the assessment data.
• Kathy's session was FANTASTIC.
• x
• Good conversations of what we can do different
• I attended the FBM part

6. Any comments on the food or facilities?
• Excellent
• Good food. Thanks for hosting us, Jackson.
• Prime rib paid for by Terry would have been better! Lol
• Food was not good
• .
• Very good
• No
• All was good
• Great food. Need pop in the afternoon.
• No
• Chicken was not good
• Excellent
Yes
Thanks for low carb food
Very good
Took the tour...Love the campus. Great breakfast and lunch.
good
Very good. Thank you!
Good food
Food was so, so.
Everything was great! Thank you!
All very good
Food was cold
Good
Both were very good!
Breakfast was good, lunch could have used some condiments.
Great lunch! I really enjoyed being on the Jackson campus.
N/A was not on site
Excellent food for breakfast and lunch. Facilities were in great shape. Thanks to Celina, maintenance, and everyone else who coordinated.
Good
Did not care for the food served - my chicken was pink and my potatoes were cold
Good
None
More cookies would be nice. Salt and or butter would have helped too.
Would have liked a roll in the morning
both very good
na
None.
The breakfast burrito was a nice idea, but I don't really like taking food when I don't know what's in it.
x
Very good
7. We talk about the "one thing" that makes an event worthwhile. What was your one thing from this event? Was there something you learned that will positively impact your work? Note that you can provide more than one if you like.

- I think the culture emphasis on inclusion and being a welcoming institution
- Seeing colleagues and sharing laughs/catch up together. Although it’s sad that not everyone comes when our sessions are valuable to each of our classes.
- Retirement planning
- Cultural association within teaching
- The speaker
- Using the wanted vs welcome language for students
- CRAT
- NA
- I recommended the speaker to my former colleagues - the timeline portion made me think
- Cultural implications in the classroom
- Like everything
- Artificial intelligence.
- How to build more relationships with students
- Our college embraces the value, courage.
- Farm discussion
- Be courageous & your student’s courage.
- Get to see other faculty/staff from our other campuses
- Understanding poverty and how it impacts students and the work we do.
- I was able to learn of some additional resources/techniques faculty use in their courses. I was also able to share and provide some ideas to others which was a rewarding experience.
- Courage
- FBM breakout session
• Time with coworkers
• The stats about how foster kids don't do well in college. How much signage tells about an college or organization was interesting
• I feel if I can take away any one item that will improve my professional performance it was worthwhile.
• I really appreciated Chad Dull's presentation. He is a really engaging speaker and provided ideas of concrete changes that we can make now. Kent and Heidi also offered really great suggestions, including conducting "check-in" surveys with our students throughout the semester.
• Appreciative of the Cabinet Convenings again to get information and perspective. They were great to keep us all connected during Covid times!
• Chad Dull was the best speaker I have heard at Minnesota West. His talk and his session were both very inspirational.
• Poverty discussion was very good
• The poverty information was really useful
• Coming together as a whole, it was great that the administration was in attendance all day. Good to see!
• Basic needs statement
• Language and actions matter to students - from Dr. Dull's presentation.
• Connecting and Networking with others
• The information provided in the oer learning circle
• na
• I appreciated the examples of poverty (what it means to different people), this was an eye opener for me.
• I think it was great to have Chad as the speaker. I really liked his message, and it's something we definitely needed to hear. Nice to know we're doing some things well, but we also have a lot of growth opportunities that I hope we as a college take the time to address.
• x
• Great to see everyone come together.
• Connecting with colleagues
8. The speakers and sessions on May 5 and sessions throughout the year were those that were requested by faculty through earlier surveys and assessment requests. Do you feel there have been enough opportunities for learning through CTL events and system-level opportunities this year?

- Yes, there were adequate opportunities: 38
- There could have been more opportunities: 4
- There were not enough opportunities: 0

9. As we begin planning for next year, where would you like to see additional professional development? You can choose more than one.

- Assessment: 4
- Curriculum Development/Redesign: 8
- Teaching Strategies: 25
- Online Teaching Pedagogy: 12
- Teaching Tools: 21
- Educational Technology: 17
- Teaching Scope and Sequence: 3
- Classroom Management: 9
- Other: 9

Comments:
- All of these are great, always willing to learn new things
- More on Culturally responsive classroom
- Technical skill assessment
- N/A - was not on site.
- Critical Thinking
• Multiple Measures Placement
• Using AI as instructors
• more equity topics
• D2I features

10. What are your thoughts on being together in one location?

Comments:
• Extensive travel
• N/A -was not on site.
• Not needed
• As new faculty, it was nice to see a different campus and meet other faculty, but it was a long drive for a lot of people there (upwards of 2.5 hours for a 9 am start time and 3 pm end time)!

11. Any other feedback?
• NA
• Thank you everyone!
• No
• None
• Need to have everyone introduce themselves. Give door prizes so more people come in person.
• Congrats on a great day. I loved seeing my colleagues.
• It was a nice day.
• Thanks for organizing.
• Great day!
• None
• Is it possible to switch the dates of the CTL day and the admin. day? Many students still need help on 5/6 and feel frustrated when instructors are not available to help them. By the time the admin. day comes, students have left.
• Thanks to all who coordinated the day. Highlights were a phenomenal speaker, a chance to be together with the entire college community, and good food.
• If possible, not schedule these on a Friday.
• Bring back local more intimate ctl learning lunches that the CTL leaders did each year. They were more powerful than a college wide zoom ctl each month or two.
• I don’t think you are accurate with the statement the topics on this day being what the faculty requested. If you review the report from the Fall CTL you will notice only one topic was from the list of topics (AI). The other topics were not covered on this day.
• It would be nice not to have this on a Friday
• There weren’t as many people attending as I thought there would be, both faculty and staff. It’s disappointing that this type of event doesn’t seem to be a priority for people.
• None

**System-Wide Professional Development Opportunities**

These professional development opportunities for Summer 2023 focus on individual assistance and sharing what is offered at the Minnesota State System Office through the Network for Educational Development (NED). This information has been shared in multiple ways with faculty.
The NED is offering free educational development opportunities tailored to support Minnesota State faculty.

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