

High Impact Practices (HIPs): Implementing HIPs for Momentum

USG Momentum Summit IV

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Welcome

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Agenda

- What is the USG HIPs Initiative for Momentum?
- What is the LEAP Georgia collaboration for HIPs?
- What are real-world examples of scaling for HIPs in Georgia?
 - Georgia College and State University
 - Kennesaw State University

High Impact Practices

- The American Association of Colleges & Universities (AAC&U) has established a set of High Impact Practices (HIPs) that encourage postsecondary institutions to adopt and scale.
- HIPs are teaching and learning practices that have been widely tested and have been shown to be beneficial for college students from many backgrounds.
- HIPs take many different forms, depending on learner characteristics and on institutional priorities and contexts.
 - AAC&U, <https://www.aacu.org/leap/hips>

High Impact Practices

- First-Year Seminars and Experiences
- Common Intellectual Experiences
- Learning Communities
- Writing-Intensive Courses
- Collaborative Assignments and Projects
- Undergraduate Research
- Diversity/Global Learning
- ePortfolios
- Service Learning/Community-Based Learning
- Work-based Learning/Internships
- Capstone Courses and Projects

HIPs Elements

1. Performance expectations set at appropriately high levels
2. Significant investment of time and effort by students over an extended period of time
3. Interactions with faculty and peers about substantive matters
4. Experiences with diversity, wherein students are exposed to and must contend with people and circumstances that differ from those with which students are familiar
5. Frequent, timely, and constructive feedback
6. Periodic, structured opportunities to reflect and integrate learning
7. Opportunities to discover relevance of learning through real-world applications
8. Public demonstration of competence

Initiative History

2018 Grant from NASH TS3 - The National Association of System Heads
Taking Students to Scale Initiative

- Vanguard USG institutions
- Equity focus
- Taxonomies for HIPs
- Initiate data enhancements
- Expanded attributes in the BANNER Information System.

NASH HIPs Educator's Guide: <http://hips.nashonline.org/>

Initiative Goals

- Planning and implementation of HIPs at scale that can serve as new models for learning.
- Ensure high impact and equity.
- Empower student momentum.
- Facilitate smooth transition to report of reliable course data via BANNER.
- Tap and promote knowledge/experience of all 26 USG institutions.

Initiative Strategies

- HIPs Implementation Faculty – 4 from each USG institution - chosen by institution
- Build reliable and effective methods to assess and qualify courses as HIPs
- USG/LEAP Georgia Collaboration
- Training for effective HIPs
- Course Attribute Dashboard

Initiative Objective: Example

Objective:

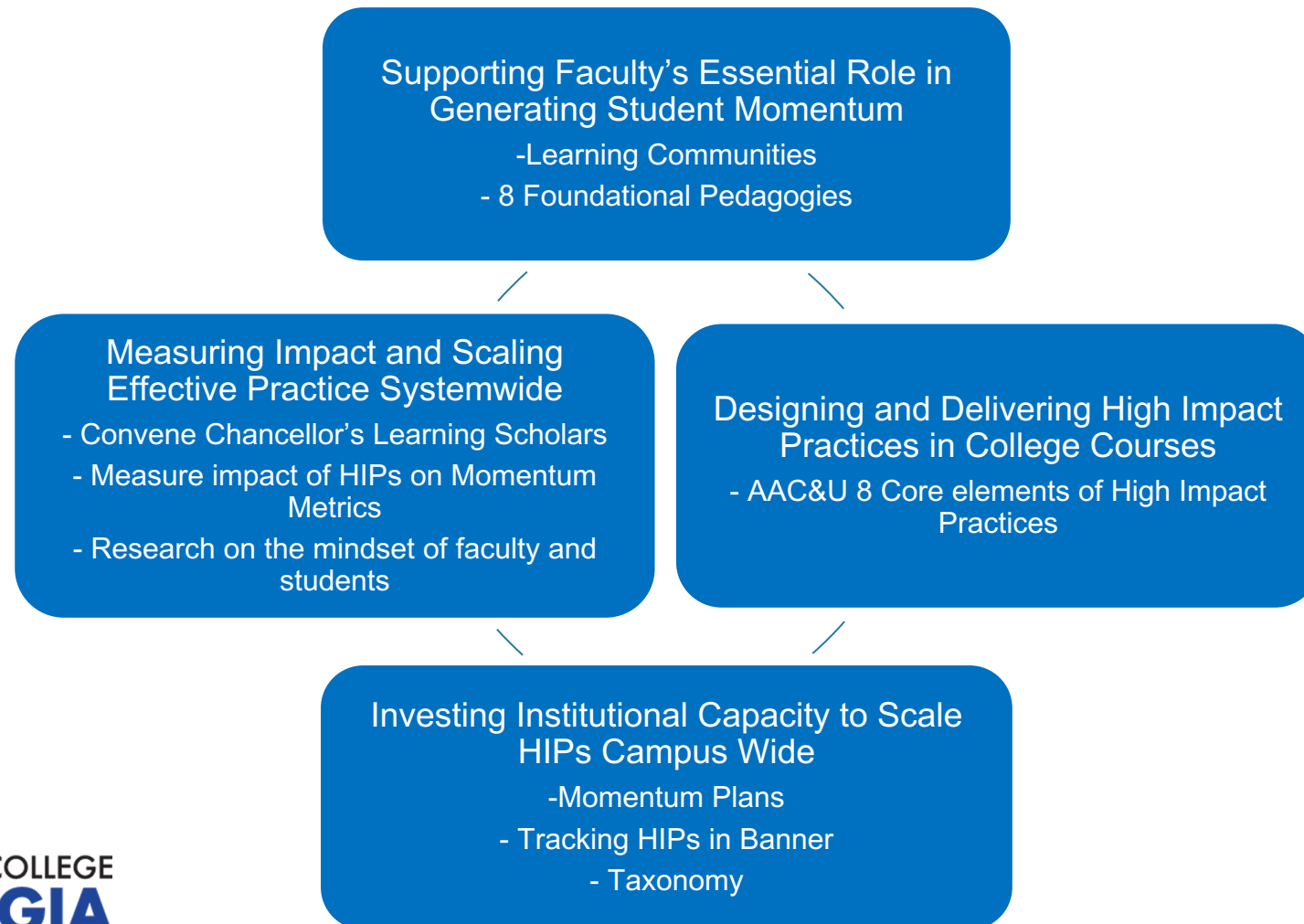
Expand equitable access to and participation in High Impact Practices and related experiential learning opportunities for students enrolled at University System of Georgia institutions.

One Success Metric:

Increase the number of student enrollments in experiential learning courses from 42,129 in FY 2019 to 150,000 in FY 2024

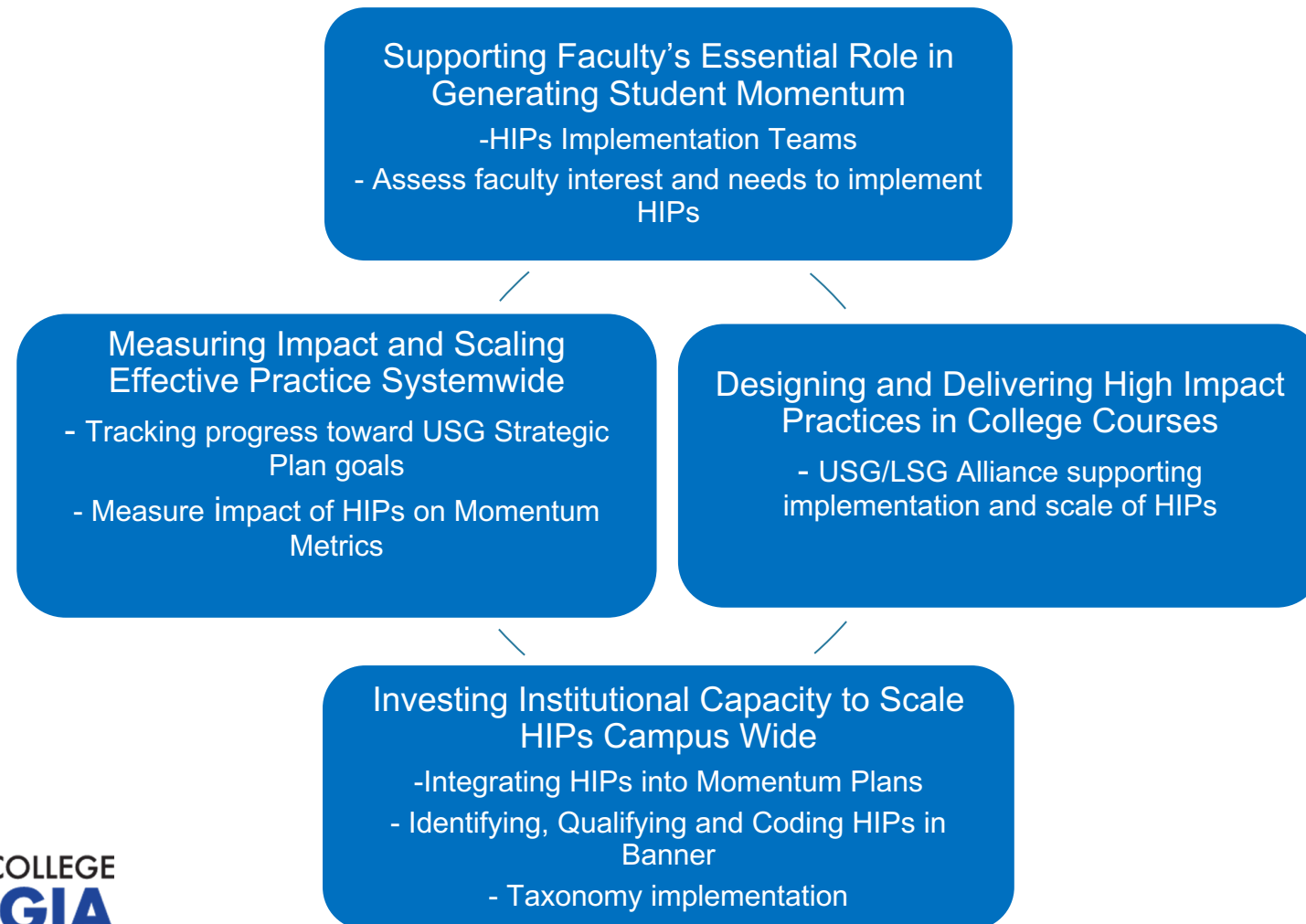
Integration of HIPs into Momentum Approach 2018

A Systemic Vision for Integrating High Impact Practices into the USG Momentum Approach



Integration of HIPs into Momentum Approach 2021

A Systemic Vision for Integrating High Impact Practices into the USG Momentum Approach



Investing in Institutional Capacity to Scale HIPs Campus Wide

Three of the structural tools for institutional scaling:

- including HIPs in institutional Momentum Plans,
- utilizing the HIPs Taxonomy for Equitable Learning Pathways,
- ensuring HIPs versus LIPs, and
- integrating HIPs attributes in the BANNER student information system.

These tools provide means to engage faculty and teaching staff in their development and mechanisms for measuring course impact on student outcomes.

Resources for Faculty Leaders

The USG/LSG Collaboration

- Webinars and other supports for designing and delivering HIPs
- Resources and tools for ensuring equitable access to HIPs
 - Assessing and qualifying courses as HIPS via an institutional team
 - Guidance on reporting HIPs data
 - Taxonomy to review institutional capacity and commitment to HIPs
 - Just in time resources from LSG/USG HIPs leaders and professionals

LEAP Georgia

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LEAP

Georgia



What is LEAP Georgia?

An AAC&U associated consortium

**Education and advocacy on liberal
education
(and more)**

<https://leapstategeorgia.wordpress.com/>



More on LEAP Georgia

**A (quick) history of LEAP
Georgia**

Defining LEAP

Connections with USG



USG & LEAP State Georgia HIPs Alliance



HIPs in Action

Georgia College and State University

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Christopher Clark, Professor of Economics

Kennesaw State University

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Michele DiPietro, Executive Director of the Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning

Scott Reese, Assistant Dean, College of Science and Mathematics



High-Impact Practices at GC: Implementing HIPs for Equity and Scale

Dr. Jordan Cofer, Associate Provost

Dr. Chris Clark, Professor of Economics

Dr. Dana Gorzelany-Mostak, Associate Professor of
Music

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Chat Pop! 30 Seconds

What High-Impact Practices are you most familiar?



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GC JOURNEYS

Your journey starts with...



THE FIRST YEAR
EXPERIENCE (FYE)



CAREER PLANNING
MILESTONES



CAPSTONE COURSE
IN YOUR MAJOR

+ choose 2 from...



INTENSIVE
LEADERSHIP
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MENTORED
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ENGAGED LEARNING



INTERNSHIPS



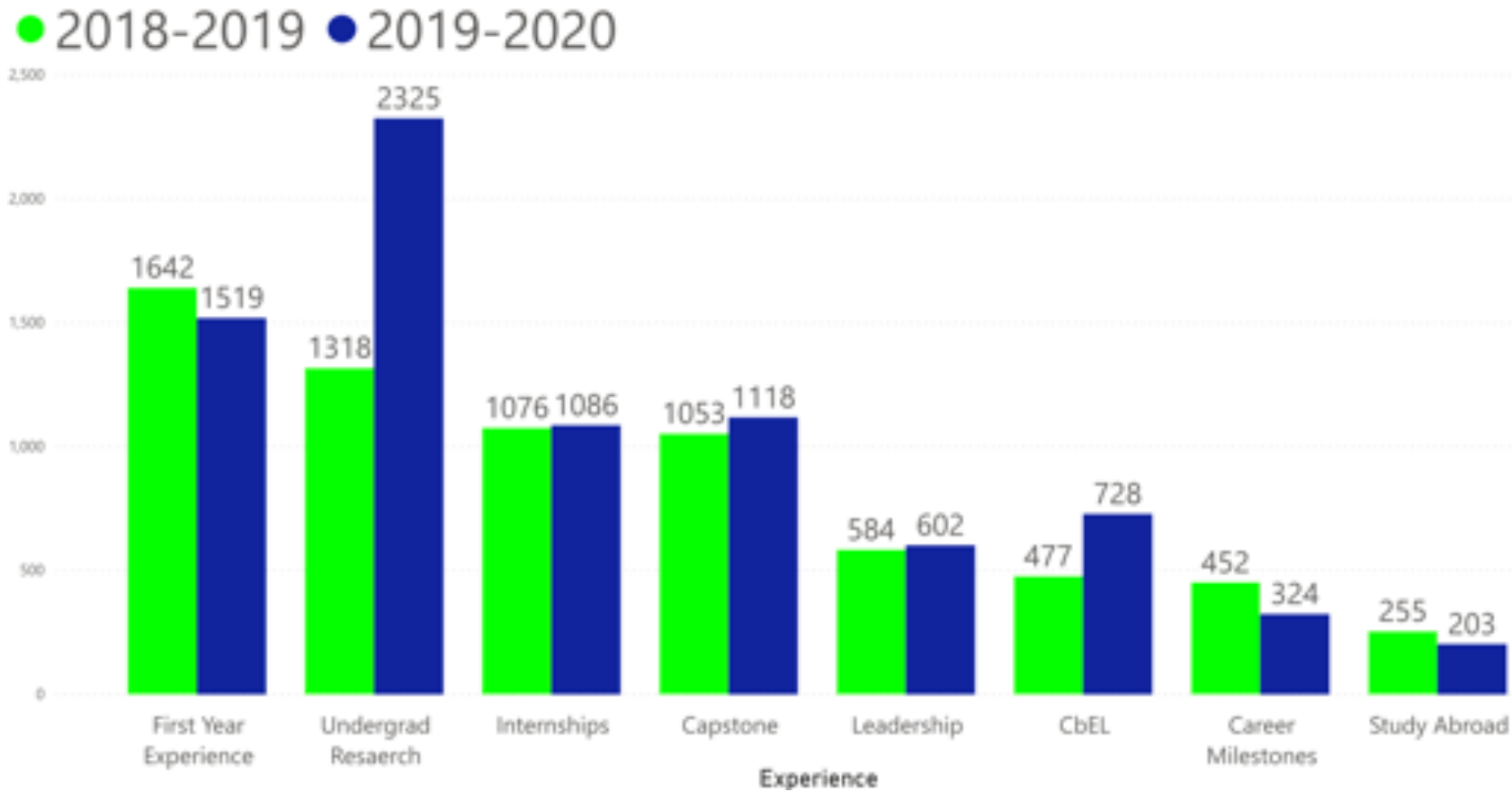
STUDY ABROAD/
STUDY AWAY

Where will your journey take you?



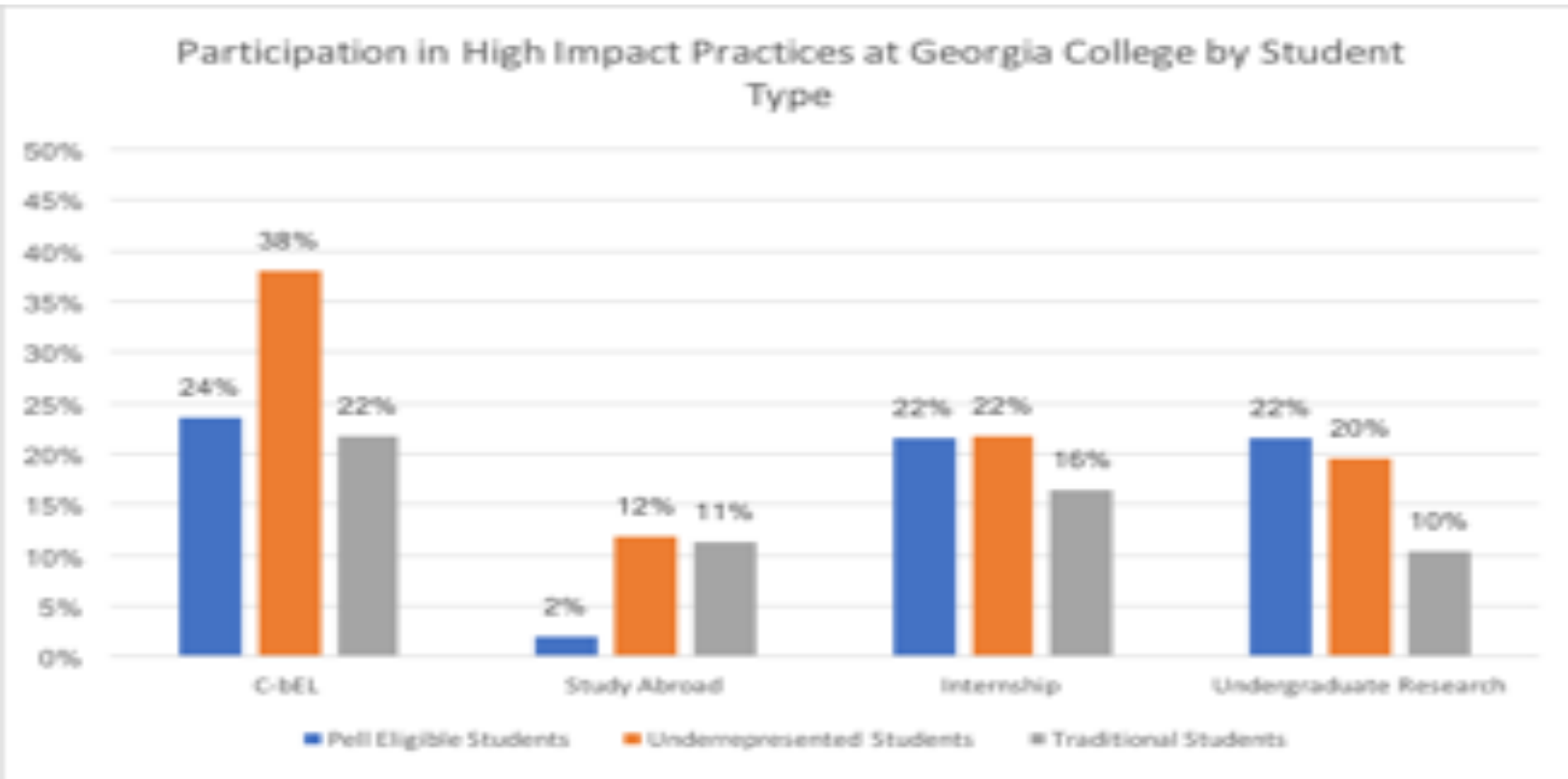
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GC Journeys Participation



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GC Journeys: Equity Self-Study



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GC Journeys: Measuring Student Success

Undergraduate Research

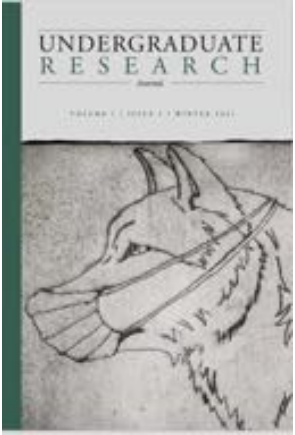
| | High experiences for performance | Demand time & effort | Substantive interaction w/faculty & peers | They help students engage across differences | They provide students with rich feedback | Structured opportunity to reflect & integrate | Opportunity to apply & test learning in new situations | Public demonstration of competence |
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| National | ++ | ++ | ++ | | + | + | ++ | ++ |
| GC | ++ | ++ | ++ | | + | ++ | ++ | ++ |

- University of Indiana HIPs Quality study
- NSSE Data shows GC's incoming first-year students show no significant difference to peers, but GC Seniors (n=205) exceeded peers in *Collaborative Learning, Student-Faculty Interaction, Supportive Environment, Reflective & Integrated Learning, and Discussions with Diverse Others*
- First-year & seniors exceed all 3 peer groups in HIPs participation
- Increase in GPAs based on HIPs participation



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GC Journeys: Spring 2021



- 15.3% increase in student participation in HIPs
- Increase in GPA among students taking more HIPs
- Increased faculty engagement with undergraduates (Carnegie Engaged Campus; Experiential Consortium)
- Increased cooperation with other organizations (IU, NASH, NILOA, AAC&U)
- Winner of CUR's AURA (Award for Undergraduate Research Accomplishment) Award; won the USG award for Excellence in Teaching and Curricular Innovation;
- Launched *Undergraduate Research*



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Chemistry & Art: A High-Impact Partnership



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GC Journeys: HIPs at GC

- World Languages has a built-in study abroad & internship abroad model (exploring service learning abroad)
- Dr. Chiang's empathy lab has psychology students working with education on undergraduate research & service learning
- Health Sciences study abroad/UR trip to Belize has students collecting data on a continuous rotation



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GC Journeys: HIPs at GC

- Nursing Dept's Tanzania trip has students studying abroad, while engaging in service learning while working in the community
- Theatre's Dept's Dramaturgy program has combined study abroad with undergraduate research
- Physics has a service learning/undergraduate research partnership with the local school system.



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GC Journeys: High-Impact Practices in Economics

2-Semester Integrated Econometrics Capstone Experience

- Focused on Undergraduate Research
- Student ownership of topic, data acquisition, and analysis
- Uptick in graduates enrolling in PhD over Masters (88% from 60%)
- Six students have received awards for outstanding research.



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GC Journeys: High-Impact Practices in Economics & Psychology

Georgia College Nudge Unit

- Economics and Psychology students utilizing behavioral economics to solve problems for businesses and organizations.
- Students identify clients, develop interventions (nudges), and provide data analysis to measure effectiveness.
- Experiential Learning/Service Learning
- Three partnerships over the last three years: Sodexo, Sustainability, and Retention



Georgia College
Nudge Unit



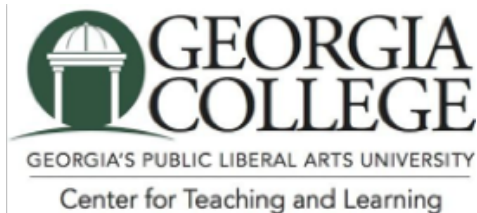
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Trax on the Trail: A GC Journeys Sponsored Project

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This project is made possible through the generous support
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What is Trax on the Trail?

Trax on the Trail is a website and research project that tracks, catalogues, and analyzes the soundscapes of U.S. presidential campaigns. With the support of Georgia College and funding provided by GC Journeys, Trax on the Trail brings together an international team of experts from the fields of musicology, ethnomusicology, political science, history, sociology, and communications, along with GC undergraduate student researchers.

Our mission...

To promote a more critical evaluation of how sound and music shape the public's perception of presidential candidates.

Trax on the Trail has been cited by the following news outlets:



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Trax on the Trail

A scholarly resource for music in political campaigns

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Founded at [Georgia College](#) in 2015, Trax on the Trail is a website where scholars, educators, journalists, students, and the general public can learn about American presidential campaign music and gain insight into how sound participates in forming candidate identity.

Our interdisciplinary team includes academic experts from the fields of

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Tweets by [@traxonthe trail](#)



Trax on the Trail:

Key Elements of Teaching and Learning Through High-Impact Practices

- Flexible skill set demanded of each Trax on the Trail research assistant (high performance expectations)
- Students commit to 2 to 4-year terms on the project (significant investment of time)
- Collaborative research, presentations, publications, and projects (reflection and integration; feedback; substantive interaction)
- Creation of publicity/marketing for website, social media management, fundraising, grant writing, and concert/event planning (real-world application)
- Design, data collection, analysis, and maintenance for Trail Trax database; archival research on music leading to public performance; development of teaching resources (dissemination; demonstration of competence)



Will you join me?

An aerial photograph of a university campus. In the center, a large crowd of people is arranged on a green lawn to form the letters 'KSU'. The lawn is surrounded by paved walkways, trees, and buildings. The scene is brightly lit, suggesting a sunny day.

High Impact Practices Implementing HIPs for Equity: *The It's About Engagement Initiative* at KSU

Michele DiPietro
Scott Reese

SACSCOC AND QEPS

- SACSCOC requires institutions to develop and implement a Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP).
- QEPs focus on improving student learning outcomes (SLOs) and/or student success.
- KSU's QEP, *It's About Engagement*, is improving SLOs and student success through High-Impact Practices (HIPs).
- HIPs were chosen for their compensatory effects on the growing student populations from traditionally underserved communities
- (Brownell Swaner 2010; Kuh 2008; Pascarella and Terenzini 2005)





**KSU's QEP:
It's About Engagement**

IAE-COMMUNICATION AND VALIDATION

Our IAE program relies on a distributed model: Colleges have important differences and are able to contribute to the final outcome in varying ways

There is a central organizational structure that holds colleges to account for progress

IAE goals:

- Increase the number of IAE activities available for students
- Increase the number of students engaging in IAE activities
- Increase the quality of IAE activities

IAE-COMMUNICATION AND VALIDATION

Start with a focus on 3 HIPs as 'pillars of engagement:'

1. Internships/Cooperatives/Work-based Experiences
2. Undergraduate Research
3. Service Learning



IAE-COMMUNICATION AND VALIDATION

Definitions, informed by literature

High-Impact Educational Practices Internships and Cooperative (Co-op) Education

Definition of Internship: "Typically one-time work or service experiences related to the study. The internship plan generally involves students working in professional settings under the supervision of professionals. Internships can be paid or unpaid and the student may or may not be completing the internship." NACE 2016 Intern/Co-op Survey. "If the internship is taken for or to complete a project or paper that is approved by a faculty member." AACSB HPS

Definition of Cooperative Education (Co-op): "Provide students with multiple periods of work related to the student's major or career goal. The typical program plan is for students to alternate classroom study with terms of full-time, discipline-related employment. Since program parts work terms, the typical participant will work three or four work terms, thus gaining a year of work experience before graduation. Virtually all co-op positions are paid and the vast majority academic credit." NACE 2016 Intern/Co-op Survey.

- **KSU Parallel vs. Alternating Co-op:** A student who completes a parallel co-op consecutive semesters with employers in positions that provide directly related academic majors. Students may take classes while working in a parallel co-op or an alternating co-op works in a position directly related to their academic as a full-semester period, alternating between full-time work and full-time school.
- **Credit vs. Audit:** Parallel co-ops may receive academic credit for participants. Participants are eligible for a 12-credit audit course which keeps the student status and serves as a placeholder on their transcript during their three work alternating co-op participants may receive up to one semester of their work academic credit, depending on departmental requirements.

Definition of Clinical/Field Experiences: "Field experiences are designed to provide opportunities for preparation candidates to learn to become effective teachers through observations and practice setting. These experiences should augment the knowledge, skills, and dispositions gained in [ECCE Field Experience Handbook](#). Field & clinical experiences can be applicable for any state program led field based work.

Characteristics of a HIP Internship & Co-op Experience:

In alignment with NACE, "to be considered a legitimate internship [or co-op] by the NACE de criteria must be met:

1. The experience must be an extension of the classroom learning experience that provides knowledge gained in the classroom. It must not be simply to advance the operations work that a regular employee would routinely perform.
2. The skills or knowledge learned must be transferable to other employment settings.
3. The experience has a defined beginning and end, and a job description with distinct tasks.
4. There are clearly defined learning objectives/goals related to the professional goals of the coursework.
5. There is supervision by a professional with expertise and educational background/profession of the experience.
6. There is routine feedback by the experienced supervisor.
7. There are resources, equipment, and facilities provided by the host employer that support the objectives/goals." NACE Position Statement: U.S. Internship, 2011.

Requirements for academic credit and application process is determined by individual academic departments at the University. More information on internships and cooperative education at KSU can be found at <http://careers.kennesaw.edu/>

High-Impact Educational Practices Undergraduate Research

Description of Undergraduate Research: "Many colleges and universities are now providing students in all disciplines. Undergraduate research, however, has been most prominent in the sciences. With strong support from the National Science Foundation and the research community, the goal is to involve students with actively contested questions, empirical data, and the sense of excitement that comes from working to answer important questions." NACE 2016 Intern/Co-op Survey.

Definition of Undergraduate Research: KSU uses the definition from the [Council on Undergraduate Research](#): "Inquiry or investigation conducted by an undergraduate student that makes an original contribution to the discipline." In other words, the students participate in co-creating in their scholarship has the potential to make a contribution to the field by being disseminated to the community.

The word "research" can mean different things under different circumstances (Healy & J. students can learn about research in their field in survey courses, such as Introduction to Principles. Students can develop research skills – such as using the library to locate primary sources, and analyzing data – in courses on methodology or statistics. They can gain laboratory courses. These experiences are important for building a research foundation "scaffolding" in the literature. However, in order to be designated a "Transformative Learning course through the Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP), the course must involve students in a plan for dissemination (such as a publication or conference presentation).

Characteristics of a HIP Undergraduate Research Experience

1. The research is supervised by a faculty member who has the necessary skill set to lead projects in this course.
2. The research projects meet the ethical guidelines for responsible conduct of research or human subjects must undergo IRB approval, and the faculty member and site through the appropriate CITI training. For more information, visit <http://research.kennesaw.edu/faculty/ethics-and-undergraduate-research>.
3. The undergraduate research experience is appropriately scaffolded, in other words foundational information in previous courses or research experiences (for example discipline, statistics, lab techniques, scientific vocabulary). If they have not, then develop these skills in the context of this course.
4. The syllabus contains a list of measurable learning outcomes geared toward the discipline. A possible list of outcomes can be found here: <http://research.kennesaw.edu/outcomes.php> (note that this list is not exhaustive, and it is unlikely that all of them apply to every given research project).
5. There are frequent opportunities for students to receive feedback (by poster and phases of the research).
6. If the undergraduate research is a group, rather than individual, project, then it is [best practices for collaborative projects](#).
7. The research projects have the potential to make an original contribution to the discipline.
8. There is a tangible product at the end of the experience (paper, poster, oral presentation to disseminate this product publicly (peer reviewed publication, presentation at an on-campus symposium, etc.). It is possible that the dissemination will occur before the project is complete. However, all students should have the opportunity of publishing their undergraduate research work.

High-Impact Educational Practices Service-Learning

Definition of Service-Learning: Service-Learning is a common pedagogical strategy used to operationalize community-based learning in curricular programs. "In these programs, field-based 'experiential learning' with community partners is an instructional strategy—and often a required part of the course. The idea is to give students direct experience with issues they are studying in the curriculum and with ongoing efforts to analyze and solve problems in the community. A key element in these programs is the opportunity students have to both apply what they are learning in real world settings and reflect in a classroom setting on their service experiences. These programs model the idea that giving something back to the community is an important college outcome, and that working with community partners is good preparation for citizenship, work, and life" (AACSB). In essence, service-learning is an intentional and collaborative pedagogical practice that engages students in structured service to address an identified community need and help them "gain further understanding of course content, a broader appreciation of the discipline, and an enhanced sense of civic responsibility (Bringle and Hatcher, 1995, p.112).

Service-Learning Courses:

Service-learning goes above and beyond community service and volunteerism. While those activities are an important part of community engagement, service-learning differs in several ways. First, the service activities address specific community needs *related to the learning goals and objectives of a particular course* of the students providing the service. More specifically, Service learning:

- Is academically integrated — service is part of the coursework, not an unrelated "add-on" requirement.
- Is purposefully designed with service projects that focus on community needs AND academic outcomes.
- Includes an evaluation of student work based on the learning gained from their service experience.
- Connects the student to substantial, ongoing forms of structured reflection and analysis (before, during, and after the service).
- Includes activity which values student and community knowledge and involves community collaborators in the design of the course and service project.
- Typically lasts the duration or majority of the semester, and experiences are intended to build upon themselves and on the accumulation of classroom knowledge.
- Is based on collaboration and reciprocal relationships between faculty, students, and community partners on projects which typically have real world challenges that students, community partners, and faculty must overcome together. (Adapted from Coastal College of Georgia)

(NACE 2016; CUR; Bringle & Hatcher 1995)

<https://engagement.kennesaw.edu/definitions.php>



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Identification

Instructions for completing High Impact Practice course codes.

Step 1: Enter your COLLEGE name and the individual completing the report.

Step 2: Sort by your college/department.

Step 3: Please utilize the drop-down features to select, edit, or remove the HIF code(s) for each course section. Code explanations and descriptions can be found in the second tab titled "Reference Source- DO NOT DELETE". If tab is deleted, drop-down lists will not work.

College:

Completed By:

Term:

***** You may sort by College/Dept

| Course | Department | CRN | Subject Prefix | Course Number | Section | Service Learning | Undergraduate Research or Creative Project | Work Based Learning |
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Validation

| ARTS_CODE_DESCRIPTION | CIN | FALL2020_ENROLLMENT | Appt. Support | Online | Appt. Staffing | Learning Obj. | Reflection | Req. Feedback | Content Pract | Original Conts. | Teaching Pract | IAE Validation | Appt. Support | Online | Appt. Staffing | Learning Obj. | Reflection | Req. Feedback | Content Pract | Original Conts. | Teaching Pract | Notes |
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| Undergraduate Research or Creative Project | 38034 | 2 x | W | X | 7 | X | X | X | X | X | X | True-Tier | X | W | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | yes safety |
| Undergraduate Research or Creative Project | 38033 | 1 x | W | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | True-Tier | X | W | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | no need for safety |
| Undergraduate Research or Creative Project | 38032 | 1 x | W | X | X | 7 | X | X | X | X | X | True-Tier | X | W | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | no safety |
| Undergraduate Research or Creative Project | 38030 | 21 x | W | X | X | X | 0 | X | X | X | X | True-Tier | X | W | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | certified to teach CMAA/CMC |
| Undergraduate Research or Creative Project | 38029 | 91 x | W | X | X | X | 0 | X | X | X | X | True-Tier | X | W | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | certified to teach CMAA/CMC |
| Undergraduate Research or Creative Project | 32732 | 1 x | W | X | X | X | 0 | X | X | X | X | True-Tier | X | W | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | not group |
| Undergraduate Research or Creative Project | 31794 | 1 x | W | X | X | X | 0 | X | X | X | X | True-Tier | X | W | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | not group |
| Undergraduate Research or Creative Project | 31793 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | Any Build | | | | | | | | | | No safety provided |
| Undergraduate Research or Creative Project | 31792 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | Any Build | | | | | | | | | | No safety provided |



IAE-COMMUNICATION AND VALIDATION

Making High Impact...Better

It's About Engagement Critical Reflection Rubric

Student Learning Outcomes:

- Educational Value:** Students will cite meaningful and valuable connections of their HIP experiences to their overall educational preparation.
- Connective Insights:** Students will gain new insights on the connective and integration of the academic preparation of their disciplines of study to the applied settings of their HIP experiences.
- Integrated Problem-Solving:** Students will build upon prior knowledge and experiences to respond effectively to the new and challenging demands of the HIP settings.
- Values Growth:** Students will demonstrate growth in professional and personal core values and sense of self as a result of their HIP experience.

| Student Learning Outcome | Little or No Impact from the HIP 1 | Moderate Impact from the HIP 2 | High Impact from the HIP 3 | Higher Impact from the HIP 4 | Highest Impact from the HIP 5 |
|--------------------------|--|---|---|--|---|
| 1. Educational Value | Reflection generally contains very little positive comment on or enthusiasm about the value and meaningfulness of the HIP experience compared to other aspects of the student's educational preparation. | Reflection generally contains some positive comment on or enthusiasm about the value and meaningfulness of the comp of the edua but th not re the m valua value | Reflection generally contains substantial positive comment on or enthusiasm about the value and meaningfulness of the | Reflection clearly contains strong positive comment on or great enthusiasm about the value and meaningfulness of the HIP | Reflection clearly contains exceptionally strong positive comment on or great enthusiasm about the value and meaningfulness |
| 2. Connective Insights | Reflection generally contains little or no new insight on the connections and integration of the student's academic preparation with the challenges of the applied setting in which the HIP experience occurred. | Reflec conti insight depth on the intege studer prep challenge the HIP experie exper | | | |

Internship Taxonomy

| ATTRIBUTE | HIGH IMPACT | HIGHER IMPACT | HIGHEST IMPACT |
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| Internship expertise | 1) Instructor is new to coordinating internships but has reviewed this taxonomy and the best practices resources cited below. 2) Instructor is familiar with the industry (or industries) related to their program(s). | 1) Instructor has previous experience coordinating internships and is familiar with the best practices resources cited below. 2) Instructor is well-versed in the industry (or industries) related to their program(s). 3) The instructor is familiar with career development theory. 4) The instructor has contacts in relevant industry (or industries) where students intern. | 1) Instructor has previous experience coordinating internships; is familiar with the best practices resources cited below; and is an active participant in the RPIE Internship Council. 2) Instructor has expert knowledge of the industry (or industries) related to their program(s). 3) The instructor has expert knowledge in career development theory. 4) The instructor has an established network in relevant industry (or industries) where students intern. 5) The instructor is experienced in leading students through the process of critical reflection. |
| Internships apply and further grow knowledge and skills learned through classroom experiences in a professional environment. | 1) Student performs some menial tasks at internship site but majority of work is directly applying classroom learning, under the close supervision of a professional. | 1) Student performs very few menial tasks at internship site; majority of students' work is directly applying classroom learning, under the supervision of a professional. | 1) Student performs no menial tasks at internship site; students' work is directly applying classroom learning, under the supervision of a professional. |

Undergraduate Research Taxonomy

| ATTRIBUTE | HIGH IMPACT | HIGHER IMPACT | HIGHEST IMPACT |
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| The course instructor is well-qualified (knowledge, experience) | Expertise on subject matter; no experience conducting honors or research with undergraduate students. | Expertise on subject matter; some experience leading and conducting research with undergraduate students. | Expertise on subject matter; extensive experience monitoring undergraduate student-led peer-reviewed research. |
| The teaching method(s) and course content should be aligned with student skill level | Lecture-based teaching plus interactive small group learning; problem-based learning (PBL) and/or project-based learning. Attendance at local research conferences and symposia. Teaching content may include literature review, research methodology, data management, ethics and compliance, research history. | Lecture-based teaching plus some limited non-classroom independent research experience mostly in a team setting (lab project, field project, etc.). Attendance at local research conferences and symposia. Teaching content, as in previous level. | Some classroom but mostly independent research activity with faculty mentor(s) including but not limited to team-based research. Teaching content as in high impact level but structured so that students have learned foundational information in previous courses or research experiences (for example, research design in their discipline, statistics, lab techniques, scientific vocabulary). If they have not, there is a plan regarding how to develop those skills in the context of the course. |
| Applied learning (application of current knowledge) component: | Instructor selects research papers | Students draft a single research | Drafting of an independent research |

Service-Learning Taxonomy

| ATTRIBUTE | HIGH IMPACT | HIGHER IMPACT | HIGHEST IMPACT |
|---|---|--|---|
| Reciprocal partnerships and processes between university and external partner(s) shape the course design, community-based activities, and mutually-beneficial outcomes. | The instructor contacts an external organization to host students and provides a brief overview of the course (e.g., learning outcomes, syllabus) and the purposes of the community-based activities. | The instructor meets with the external partner(s) to discuss the course (e.g., preparation/orientation of students, learning outcomes, syllabus). Instructor and external partner develop verbal agreement about how the community-based activities can enrich student learning and benefit the organization. However, the external partner is not included as a collaborator or co-educator and no formal agreement is developed. | The instructor collaborates with the external partner(s) as co-educators and co-developers to create a formal agreement about various aspects of course planning and design (e.g., learning outcomes, readings, preparation/orientation of students, reflection, assessment). The instructor and external partner work together to identify how the community-based activities will be used to enrich student learning and enhance the capacity of the organization. Faculty and students collaborate with external partners as a source for expert information gathering and/or research on topics and concepts that are pertinent to the course, the community-based project, and larger program or curricular goals. |

<https://engagement.kennesaw.edu/definitions.php>



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**FACULTY DEVELOPMENT
FOR IAE/HIPs**

FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PLAN

Even though the pillars are “High-Impact,” this is not a guarantee that every single IAE course will be impactful

We learned that a strong faculty development plan is crucial for such large-scale initiatives

Our goals:

- Get faculty energized about the possibilities
- Disseminate evidence-based knowledge about what makes HIPs effective
- Get them over the initial hump
- Ensure their courses meet the definitions



FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PLAN

1. Workshops
2. Consultations
3. Online Resources
4. Travel funds*
5. Faculty Learning Communities*
6. Course Redesign Institutes*
7. Norming session for reflections*
8. Faculty Fellow for Reflection

*funded faculty development opportunities



1. WORKSHOPS —YEAR 1

1. An introduction to KSU's "It's About Engagement" initiative
 2. Engaging Students with High Impact Practices
 3. Engaging Students as Scholars
(In partnership with the Office of Undergraduate Research)
 4. Engaging Students with Potential Futures
(In partnership with Career Planning and Development)
 5. Engaging Students with our Community
(In partnership with Student Leadership and Service)
 6. Applying the Backward Design Process to Undergraduate Research, Internship and Co-op, and Service-Learning Courses
 7. Reflective Assignments for High Impact Practice Courses
- Further years adapt for context
 - Additional workshop for Chairs: Understanding chairs' role in the "It's about Engagement!" initiative

2. ENGAGEMENT-FOCUSED INDIVIDUAL CONSULTATIONS

- Available to all faculty at any time
- CETL consultation process tailored to IAE courses with Service-Learning, Undergraduate Research, and Internships/Co-ops.
- CETL believes that real, deep, and lasting change happens at the consultation level. So we strive to make them a safe and productive environment
- The 3 Cs of CETL consultations:
 - Confidential
 - Collaborative
 - Constructive



2. ENGAGEMENT-FOCUSED INDIVIDUAL CONSULTATIONS

Possible elements of a CETL consultation:

- Confidential conversations
- Classroom observations
- Data collection with students
 - Surveys
 - Small Group Instructional Diagnosis (SGIDs)
- Review of syllabi, assignments, and other educational materials
- Review of online courses
- Research-based strategies
- Follow-up with implementation and evaluation
- Written summary memo



3. ONLINE RESOURCES

In addition to the It's About Engagement website
engagement.kennesaw.edu

CETL has created a suite of online resources
<https://facultydevelopment.kennesaw.edu/scholarly-teaching/its-about-engagement.php>

- Teaching Resources Collective (research-based resources, including HIPs)
- Faculty Guide to Designing a Service-Learning Course
- A Reference section with links to relevant research articles

4. TRAVEL FUNDS*

Up to \$1,000 per faculty, awarded on a competitive basis, to fund professional travel to

- deliver teaching-related scholarship
- actively participate in conferences or institutes
- participate in other faculty development opportunities

With significant emphasis on one or more of the three areas of the *It's About Engagement* initiative.

* temporarily suspended due to travel restrictions

5. FACULTY LEARNING COMMUNITIES

Up to 3 FLCs funded per year, one per pillar, in partnership with the respective offices

Undergraduate Research
Internships and Co-ops
Service-Learning

- 7 faculty per FLC
- Yearlong engagement with their topic
- Emphasis on trying things out in their courses in fulfillment of the definitions and the taxonomies
- \$750 available for resources through the year
- \$1,000 in professional development funds to all participants who finish the FLC (\$1,500 for the coordinator)



6. COURSE (RE)DESIGN INSTITUTES

- All-day, week-long intensive event
- Focus on one of the pillars
- Daily sessions on research-based instructional strategies or pedagogies
- Individual work time to integrate theory into course plans and assignments
- CETL staff circulates and consults as needed
- Service-Learning and Undergraduate Research Institutes delivered so far
- Participants leave with a syllabus and a couple modules redesigned
- \$1500 funds provided upon successful completion of the institute



7. CRITICAL REFLECTION ESSAY RATING

- 1/2 day norming session to train faculty to rate end-of-IAE-course student reflections consistently
- Understand and follow the rubric
- Increase inter-rater reliability
- Follow up-rating work of student reflections through the summer, in fulfillment of QEP Outcome #3

- \$600 stipend provided upon completion of the work



8. CETL FACULTY FELLOW FOR REFLECTION

CETL Faculty Fellowship

- A yearlong CETL residency for a KSU faculty, with a half-time reassignment, to work on a specific issue
- They continue to receive their full salary
- The department receives replacement funds
- Internal job search, with a search committee and full interview

We just launched a fellowship on reflection, student as well as faculty reflection

- All 3 pillars require reflection
- Reflection needs to be structured to lead to meaningful experiences for students that consolidate their learning
- Fellow will create programs (workshops, consultations, resources) in the area of reflection



CONCLUSION

- HIPs are energizing to many faculty if they can get over the initial hump and feel supported
- HIPs are beneficial to students and in particular to traditionally underserved groups
- HIPs are challenging to scale up for an institution of 40,000 students
- With the proper institutional support, this is doable!



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