How to plan your Institute experience

The Institute is designed to introduce you to innovations in assessment that you can use. You may choose concurrent workshops that provide a more in-depth perspective on a particular topic, or the best practices presentations to gather ideas about specific instruments or techniques. Be sure to make some time for networking and enjoying the city of Indianapolis.

What you’ll learn at the Institute

You will learn about new techniques and approaches in a variety of outcomes assessment areas, including general education and major fields, as well as capstone experiences, civic engagement, student development, electronic portfolios, first year experience, and faculty development, each of which has its own track throughout the schedule. Several sessions are designed for beginners and others are for the more experienced practitioner.

Who should attend the Assessment Institute

Faculty, student affairs professionals, and administrators who have an interest in or responsibility for assessment should attend. Maximize the benefit of the Institute for your institution by bringing a campus team.
Keynote Panel

- **Linda A. Suskie**, Vice President of the Middle States Commission on Higher Education
- **Thomas A. Angelo**, Professor of Higher Education, Pro Vice-Chancellor (Curriculum and Academic Programs), and Director, Curriculum, Teaching and Learning Centre, La Trobe University, Australia
- **Trudy W. Banta**, Professor of Higher Education and Senior Advisor to the Chancellor for Academic Planning and Evaluation, Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis
- **Peter T. Ewell**, Vice President, National Center for Higher Education Management Systems (NCHEMS)
- **George D. Kuh**, Director, National Institute for Learning Outcomes Assessment, Indiana University
- **Jeffrey A. Seybert**, Director, National Higher Education Benchmarking Institute, Johnson County (KS) Community College

Track Keynotes and Workshops

*Emphasizing assessment in:*

- **Capstone Experiences – Keynote**
  Terrel L. Rhodes, Vice President, Office of Quality, Curriculum and Assessment, Association of American Colleges and Universities (AAC&U)

- **Civic Engagement – Keynote**
  Lorilee R. Sandmann, Professor, Department of Lifelong Education, Administration, and Policy, University of Georgia

- **ePortfolios – Keynote**
  Darren Cambridge, Assistant Professor of Internet Studies and Information Literacy, New Century College; Affiliate Faculty, Higher Education Program, George Mason University

- **Faculty Development – Keynote**
  Thomas Holme, Professor, Chemistry Department and Director ACS Exams Institute, Iowa State University

- **First-Year Experience – Keynote**
  Paul Gore, Associate Professor, Student Success Special Projects Coordinator, and Director, Institutional Research, University of Utah

- **Student Development – Keynote**
  Gregory Roberts, Executive Director, ACPA - College Student Educators International at the National Center for Higher Education, Washington, DC
Pre-Institute Workshops
Pre-Institute workshops are optional in-depth sessions offered on Sunday, October 24, for an additional fee.

Track Keynotes and Related Workshops
Keynote sessions feature leaders in assessment of Capstone Experiences, Civic Engagement, ePortfolios, Faculty Development, First-Year Experience, and Student Development.

Other Concurrent Workshops
Concurrent 75-minute interactive workshops will provide access to experts in all the tracks listed above, plus Accreditation, Major Fields, Assessment Methods, Community Colleges, and General Education.

Best Practices Presentations
Nearly forty 30-minute presentations will focus on specific processes, methods, or initiatives. These presentations draw from all Institute tracks.

Poster Sessions
Assessment methods, practices, and findings that are best shared in a visual format and one-on-one discussion are presented during the poster sessions.


Institute Agenda

Sunday, October 24
9:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
See workshop descriptions online at:
www.planning.iupui.edu/institute

Monday, October 25
7:30 a.m.
Registration and Continental Breakfast
Opening Plenary Panel:
Thomas A. Angelo, Trudy W. Banta,
Peter T. Ewell, George D. Kuh,
Jeffrey A. Seybert, and Linda A. Suskie
10:15 – 11:15 a.m.
Track Keynote Sessions:
Capstone Experiences, Civic Engagement, ePortfolios, Faculty Development, First-Year Experience, and Student Development
Best Practices Presentations
11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Institute Luncheon (Optional)
Special Guest Speaker, Doug Lederman ($30 per person – see registration form)
12:45 – 5:00 p.m.
Concurrent Workshops – All Tracks
Best Practices Presentations
Poster Sessions
High Tea

Tuesday, October 26
7:30 a.m.
Continental Breakfast
Plenary Panel
Concurrent Workshops - All Tracks
Best Practices Presentations
11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Lunch on your own in Indianapolis
12:45 – 3:30 p.m.
Concurrent Workshops – All Tracks
Best Practices Presentations

REGISTRATION INFORMATION
Registrations will be accepted until October 4, 2010 on a first-return basis. There will be a service fee of $15 for all cancellations made prior to October 11, 2010. There will be no refunds of any kind after October 11, 2010.

Make checks payable to Purdue University and mail to:
CEC Business Services
Purdue University
Stewart Center, Room 110
128 Memorial Mall
West Lafayette, IN 47907-2034
Or fax form with credit card information to: (765) 494-0567.

Register online at: www.planning.iupui.edu/institute

HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS
The Westin Indianapolis (Institute site) - Rooms are reserved at The Westin Indianapolis, 50 South Capitol Avenue, Indianapolis, IN 46204. The number of Institute rooms is limited. Reservations can be made by calling 1 (317) 262-8100, or through the Westin Central Reservation Offices at 1 (800) 937-8461. Be sure to identify yourself as attending the 2010 Assessment Institute to be eligible for the Institute rate. The hotel deadline to obtain these rates is September 25, 2010.

The Westin Indianapolis Room Rates:
Single Occupancy: $139 + 17% tax
Double Occupancy: $139 + 17% tax
Triple Occupancy: $159 + 17% tax
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EARLY HOTEL DEPARTURE FEES
There will be an early departure fee of one night’s room fee plus tax, in the event that you check out prior to your reserved check-out date. Guests wishing to avoid this fee must advise the hotel at or before check-in of any change in their length of stay.
**IUPUI**

Founded in 1969 as a partnership between Indiana and Purdue Universities, Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis is an urban research university with a growing reputation for innovation. We offer more than 200 degree programs—from associate to doctoral and professional—and IUPUI is among the top 20 institutions nationally in the numbers of health-related degrees and graduate professional degrees granted. Nearly 30,000 students study at IUPUI, coming from Indiana, all 50 states, and around the globe. The campus is located just west of downtown Indianapolis, with easy access to city and state centers of government, business, and the arts. Restaurants, sports venues, parks, galleries, museums, the White River State Park, and the Indianapolis Zoo are within short walking distance of the campus.

**Indianapolis**

The population of the Indianapolis Metropolitan Statistical Area is 1,744,558. Indianapolis is referred to as the “Crossroads of America” and more than half of the nation's population lives within a day's drive of Indianapolis.

**Downtown Indianapolis**

Downtown Indianapolis is a vibrant and exciting place to live, work, and relax. Many of the city's more than 200 restaurants and taverns are within walking distance of the Institute hotel, the Westin Indianapolis.

There are more than 200 retail stores in the downtown area, which includes Circle Centre Mall, Massachusetts Avenue, the Indianapolis City Market, and other center city districts.

The White River State Park is Indiana's first urban state park, offering a variety of recreational facilities and natural green spaces. The 250-acre park and canal feature the world-class Indianapolis Zoo and White River Gardens, as well as significant art, history, recreational, and sports venues.

Indianapolis is home to 22 galleries and 10 performing arts theatres, including the Eiteljorg Museum of American Indians and Western Art; the Indiana State Museum, which houses Indiana's first IMAX theatre; the Indianapolis Museum of Contemporary Art; and the Indianapolis Artsgarden.
PAYMENT INFORMATION
(Payment due upon submission of registration. Your registration will not be confirmed until payment in full is received.)

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