

# SHOOTING FROM THE PERIMETER & IN THE PAINT

FACULTY DEVELOPMENT FROM ALL ANGLES to BUILD a CULTURE of ASSESSMENT

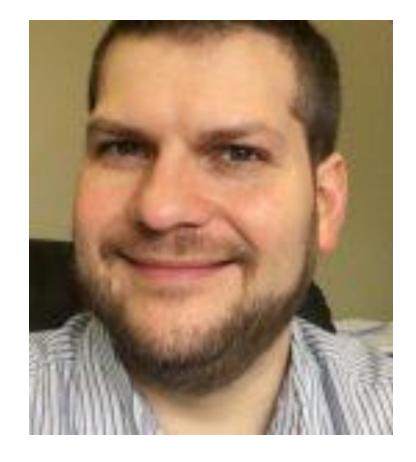
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#### OFFICE OF ACADEMIC PROGRAM ASSESSMENT



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## INSTITUTIONAL HISTORY



- HAUNTED BY BAD PLAYS
- LACK OF TEAM PARTICIPATION
- TOO MANY GAMES PER SEASON
- MISSED TRAINING CAMP

### TIME FOR PRACTICE

What institutional factors may be or were holding back your assessment culture and assessment activities?

## Dream Team's Core Values

FACULTY OWNERSHIP SYSTEMIC - NOT "ONE & DONE"

FEASIBLE & SUSTAINABLE

LEARNING OBJECTIVES INFORMATION SHARING ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT

ONGOING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

CELEBRATION OF SUCCESS



## Skill building at the point



#### DEANS

Meetings to explain initiative, assist in program selection, address any concerns they have or are hearing

#### DEPT HEADS

Kickoff meeting to explain initiative; flexibility of structure; routine follow-up, workshops, meetings

#### DATA AWARENESS

Building awareness of importance of student success and equity in outcomes

TIME for PRACTICE

How do you get administrative support?

# SHARED GOVERNANCE

- Faculty led program-level assessment activities
- University Student Learning
   Assessment Committee
- Assessment fellows
- Common Curriculum fellow and faculty navigators



## THE TEAM MEETING

Where faculty believe knowledge/skills are strong



Identifying purpose of program-level assessment



Identifying purpose of defining SLO before designing course



Identifying purpose of aligning activities to SLO



Developing learning objectives

## SURVEY OF FACULTY

Where faculty believe knowledge/skills are not strong



Mapping courses to program objectives



Developing MCQs



Aligning assessment with SLOs



Developing rubrics



Pro/Con of assessment tools



Developing surveys



Creating bias-free & socially-just assessments



Utilizing item analysis

## HOME COURT



Defining program elevator pitch



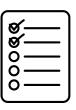
**Defining SLOs** 



Mapping courses



Aligning assessments



Course sequencing

## Pick-up Game

- 1-on-1 work with faculty for course objectives, assessments, alignments
- Resources and website
- Book club

## ASSESSMENT INSTITUTE



Keynote speaker



Initiative background



**Breakout sessions** 



Assessment 101

**Defining SLOs** 

Curricular mapping

Assessment plans

Institutional data

Equity through assessment

Rubric design

## Time for Practice

#### DRILL #1

What assessment areas/topics have you identified for faculty development needs?

### **DRILL #2**

By what format(s) and activities do you provide faculty development?
Academic program-level, individual faculty, small groups, large events?



## Culture of Assessment

## FURTHER REQUESTS FROM ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

- Comparison with similar programs
- Creating exit surveys
- Creating program-wide rubrics
- Assisting with juried review
- Marketing strategies
- New program SLOs
- Data analysis

## REQUESTS BEYOND ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

- Common Curriculum
- Service learning
- Grad school
- Institutional LOs

### FINAL PRACTICE

HOW DO YOU KNOW WHEN YOU HAVE A CULTURE OF ASSESSMENT?

## REQUESTS FROM ACCREDITED PROGRAMS

- Institutional data
- Data collection
- Accreditation process
- Reaccreditation documents

## ASKTHE COACH - QUESTIONS?

THANK YOU FOR JOINING US

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