

Experience in the Faculty Teaching Certificate Program
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During AY06, I completed the Faculty Teaching Certificate Program through the Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning at MSU, 12 contact hours, divided into eight, 90 minute seminars, plus a peer faculty consultation during the year:

1. Creating a Quality Syllabus
2. Active Learning Strategies for the Classroom
3. Teaching with Technology
4. Diversity in the Classroom
5. Classroom Assessment Techniques
6. Course Development/Restructuring
7. Faculty and Student Portfolios
8. Capstone Project Presentations.

These experiences helped me “jump-start” my teaching at MSU in very positive ways. They especially helped me get organized and communicate expectations with students, so that the students could be organized!