

**Center for Teaching & Learning
Learning Circles, 2013-2014**

Summer, 2013

***Incorporating ePortfolios in Classes* - Melissa Himelein & Laurie Miles (facilitators)**

Light, T. P., Chen, H., & Ittelson, J. (2011). *Documenting Learning with ePortfolios: A Guide for College Instructors*. San Francisco: Jossey-Bass.

***Integration of Abilities* - Bruce Larson (facilitator)**

Baker, P. (1977). *Integration of Abilities: Exercises for Creative Growth*. New Orleans: Anchorage Press.

***Scholarship of Teaching and Learning* - Melissa Himelein (facilitator)**

Bishop-Clark, C., & Dietz-Uhler, B. (2012). *Engaging in the scholarship of teaching and learning*. Sterling, VA: Stylus.

Fall, 2013

***Active Learning* - Mary Lynn Manns (facilitator)**

Selected active learning techniques.

***The American Indian Experience* - Reid Chapman & Trey Adcock (facilitators)**

Smith, P. C. (2009). *Everything you know about Indians is wrong*. Minneapolis: University of Minnesota Press.

***Critical Thinking* - Inquiry ARC team (facilitators)**

Selected readings.

***First-Generation College Students* - Melissa Himelein & Tracey Rizzo (facilitators, 2 learning circles)**

Ward, L., Siegel, M. J., & Davenport, Z. (2012). *First-generation college students: Understanding and improving the experience from recruitment to commencement*. San Francisco: Jossey-Bass.

***Learning to Be a Department Chair* - Karin Peterson (facilitator)**

Chu, D. (2012). *The department chair primer* (2nd ed.). San Francisco: Jossey-Bass.

***Peak Oil, Peak Water, Peak Education* - Rick Chess (facilitator)**

Selected readings from special issue of *New Directions for Teaching and Learning* (2013) on contemplative studies in higher education.

Spring, 2014

***The American Indian Experience, Part 2* - Anne Jansen (facilitator)**

Gansworth, E. (2013). *If I ever get out of here*. New York: Arthur A. Levine.

***Defending the Liberal Arts* - Melissa Himelein & Sophie Mills (facilitators)**

Edmundson, M. (2013). *Why teach? In defense of a real education*. New York: Bloomsbury.

***Humble Inquiry* - Bruce Larson (facilitator)**

Schein, E. (2013). *Humble inquiry: The gentle art of asking instead of telling*. San Francisco: Berrett-Koehler.

***No Time to Think* - Rick Chess (facilitator)**

Selected readings about or by David Levy.

Surviving Academia – Melissa Himelein, facilitator

Perlmutter, D. (2010). *Promotion and tenure confidential*. Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press.