



University of Windsor's First Annual



Mid-Career Faculty Retreat

June 12 & 13, 2018

Hosted By

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Teaching Leadership Chairs
Faculty of Human Kinetics & Nursing

Mid-Career Faculty

Eligibility

Faculty who are post tenure/permanence and pre-retirement by 5 years.

Purpose

Join faculty from a variety of disciplines in this unique two-day retreat, as we reflect, reengage and renew our practice.

Participation in this retreat is limited to mid-career faculty members who can attend the entire retreat including the overnight stay. No additional guests can be accommodated.



Tentative Agenda June 12, 2018

Morning

The day will start with registration and breakfast, followed by welcomes and introductions.


Discussions will cover topics such as challenges faced by mid-career faculty, strategies for addressing work life balance, emotional exhaustion and fatigue.



Afternoon

Following lunch, we'll discuss ways to reengage with our teaching and reconnect with what it is like to be a student.

We have allotted free time for a variety of group and individual activities before dinner. Following dinner, we plan to get together for an interactive group activity!



Tentative Agenda

June 13, 2018



Morning

The day will start with breakfast and will be followed by discussions centred around how students organize knowledge to affect their learning.

Weather permitting, we hope to enjoy some quiet reflective time outdoors. We will resume conversations around what factors motivate students to learn.

Afternoon

The afternoon session will provide participants with an opportunity to share ideas of how administration can help faculty during this critical stage in their career.

We will wrap up with closing remarks and retreat evaluation.

Logistics

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This setting has been purposely selected to foster a reconnection with colleagues in a peaceful environment.

Dress

Comfortable attire is recommended.

Estimated Time of Retreat

Start: 8:30 am June 12, 2018

Finish: 4:00 pm June 13, 2018

Food & Hotel

Best Western Conference Hotel
566 Bevel Line Rd, Rr 1
Leamington, ON N8H 3V4
1-(519)-326-8646

Retreat includes all meals, overnight stay, two conference days and social activities.

Application

Space at the retreat is limited. Please provide the following information and email to Kelly Kennedy (riccardk@uwindsor.ca) by April 21st, 2018.

Completing the application does not guarantee attendance. Acceptance of participation will be confirmed by May 11th, 2018.

1. Name
2. Department
3. Email
4. Phone Number
5. Years since tenure/permanence
6. Brief description explaining your motivation for attending the retreat

General Inquiries

Please contact Dave Andrews (dandrews@uwindsor.ca) or Judy Bornais (jbornais@uwindsor.ca) for any questions you have regarding the retreat!

