Course Description

Institutions responsible for the education of students must ensure that its education mission is optimally fulfilled together with its other missions like research and service. Traditionally, in institutions of higher learning, the primary emphasis on mission fulfillment was heavily weighted on research and, consequently, the word scholarship was narrowly interpreted to mean only those activities involving discovery of new knowledge through the research process. During 1990s, the late Boyer advocated a reappraisal of and expanded the meaning of the word ‘scholarship’ which was further refined and now includes the scholarship of teaching and learning (SoTL). Today, in the 21st century, many institutions of higher learning recognize the scholarship of teaching and learning as a pathway to promotion and tenure in academia. However, to benefit from this, it is important to have a clear understanding of the demands and rigour associated with achievement of the scholarship of teaching and learning.

The workshop will be focusing on:
- Concepts of excellent teaching, scholarly teaching and scholarship of teaching
- How can the scholarship of teaching and learning be evaluated?
- Motivating faculty to actively engage in SoTL

Scholarship of Teaching & Learning

31st July 2012 (Tuesday), 8.30am — 5.30pm
Symposium Rooms 2 & 3, Clinical Research Centre (CRC)
Block MD11, 10 Medical Drive, Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine
National University of Singapore

Registration Fees

- NUHS staff - S$160*
  (including staff on clinical faculty / adjunct scheme)
- Others - S$180*

*Fees are inclusive of GST

Registration is on a first-come-first-served basis

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Closing date of registration : 31st May 2012

Any cancellation or replacement must be conveyed to the Organiser in writing. A cancellation charge of 50% fee will be levied if the cancellation is received up to two months prior to the workshop. There will be no fee refund if the cancellation is received less than 2 months prior to the workshop. Registration can be only confirmed upon full payment. MEU reserves the rights to change the date / timing / location etc.

SMC CME / CNE / CPE accreditation are being finalised

Note for NUS Staff: This program is accredited with 1 elective hour by Centre for Development of Teaching and Learning (CDTL), NUS. For more details on CDTL accreditation, please contact Ms Doreen Thia at cdttty@nus.edu.sg Fax: (65) 6777 0342