



## Teaching at UNL: 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Campus-wide Workshops for Graduate Teaching Assistants

Tuesday, August 18, 2009 – City Campus Union

**7:30 a.m.**      **Check-in and Continental Breakfast**

**8:15 a.m.**      **Welcome**    Dr. Ellen Weissinger, Dean, Office of Graduate Studies

**8:30-9:30 a.m.**      **Keynote**    Dr. Chris Sorensen, Distinguished Professor of Physics, Kansas State University

### Skill Development Sessions I

|                        | Planning for Teaching and Learning                                   | Teaching Methods   | Classroom Community  | Assessing Student Learning   | Teaching Tools   | Professional Development  |
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| <b>9:45-11:00 a.m.</b> | <b>Constructing a Syllabus</b><br>Richard Lombardo, Graduate Studies | <b>Interactive Teaching Techniques</b><br>Don Lee, Agronomy & Horticulture | <b>Presenting Information Effectively</b><br>Jordan Soliz, Communication Studies | <b>Grading Homework, Exams, Lab Reports or Problem Sets</b><br>Petronela Redu, Mathematics | <b>Wikis, Blogs &amp; Facebook: Using Technology to Teach</b><br>Cody Hollist, Child, Youth & Family Studies | <b>Gathering &amp; Using Student Feedback to Improve Teaching</b><br>Laurie Bellows, Graduate Studies |

### Disciplinary Breakout Sessions

for problem-solving, laboratory, lecture/discussion and studio sections

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| <b>11:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon</b> | <b>Teaching Math, Science &amp; Engineering Problem-Solving Sessions</b><br>Chris Sorensen, Physics<br>Kansas State University | <b>Lab-Based Teaching Strategies</b><br>Rick Hartung, Chemistry | <b>Teaching in the Social Sciences: Recitations &amp; Lectures</b><br>Cal Garbin, Psychology | <b>Teaching Studio Courses in Art &amp; Music</b><br>Aaron Holz, Art & Art History<br>John Bailey, School of Music |
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**12:00-12:45 p.m.**      **Lunch, Nebraska Union – Hosted by the Office of Graduate Studies**

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| <b>1:00-2:15 p.m.</b> | <b>Understanding Who Your Students Are</b><br>Pat McBride, Undergraduate Admissions | <b>Supervising and Mentoring Undergraduate Students</b><br>Chris Campbell, Psychology<br>Sarah Evans, Psychology | <b>Critical Moments in the Classroom: Video Vignettes and Discussion**</b><br>Richard Lombardo, Graduate Studies | <b>Managing the Grading Process</b><br>Chris Marvin, Special Education & Communication Disorders | <b>Engaging Students More Effectively with PowerPoint or Other Presentation Software</b><br>Brian Moore, Music | <b>Starting a Teaching Portfolio</b><br>Laurie Bellows, Graduate Studies<br>Cal Garbin, Psychology |

**2:30-3:15 p.m.**      **Interactive Panel Discussion: Academic Integrity & the Academy**, Auditorium  
*Ellen Weissinger, Dean, Office of Graduate Studies; Matt Hecker, Dean of Students, Toni Hill-Munson, doctoral student, Child, Youth & Family Studies*

**3:15 p.m.**      **Workshop Evaluation and Grand Prize Drawing**

Register online at

<http://www.unl.edu/gradstudies/current/dev/taworkshop/>