WVU Health Sciences Center Faculty Development Program

Faculty Development Presentation via Zoom

The Philosophy of Education

SESSION OBJECTIVES

Objectives: By the end of the presentation, participants will

- •Define what a teaching philosophy statement is and what it is not.
- •Discuss helping students recognize that one's teaching philosophy cannot be separated from one's philosophy of life.
- •Identify the key elements of an effective teaching statement: teaching/learning goals, instructional methods to achieve goals, assessment methods to determine if goals have been met, and approaches to improve teaching.
- •Discuss helping students recognize that classroom practice is guided by our attitudes and beliefs about the purpose of education, the role of the student and teacher, as well as our ideas about what knowledge is most valuable for students to attain.
- •Discuss helping students recognize that a philosophy of education must be dynamic and periodically revisited as one gains teaching experience.

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Via the Zoom platform

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

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