

GROWING A WIKI FOR DIVERSITY LEARNING

A LEARN CENTER LUNCHEON WORKSHOP AND DISCUSSION

As UW-Whitewater faculty and staff, how do we teach effectively about sensitive issues such as race, power, discrimination, and diversity? How do we create a climate in classes that leads to honest discussion and how do we deal with conflict when it arises? How can we better understand the challenges that students who are members of ethnic minority groups face, and also our how our own identities, fears, and biases enter in as we teach in this area?

One way may be participation in the new *Diversity Learning* wiki. This wiki is an active collaboration of UWW faculty and staff, created with the goal of sharing our collective experiences and approaches to support student learning and enhance the college experience for students.

In this workshop, aspects of the wiki will be shared, including streaming video clips of UW-W minority students talking about their experience on campus. There will be the opportunity for discussion on how we can "grow" this wiki to benefit our students and ourselves.

Facilitator: James Winship, Chair of the Social Work Department.

The same workshop is offered two different days:

Tuesday, March 11 • 12:30-1:30 p.m. (lunch provided) • UC 275A
Wednesday, March 12 • 12 Noon-1 p.m. (lunch provided) • UC 259A



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