# The Changing Classroom Climate:

# How to Effectively Engage Nontraditional Students in Your Classes

This workshop will look at ways that instructors can better serve adult nontraditional students in their classes. We will explore the unique needs of these students and best practices of teaching nontraditional students.

A panel of nontraditional students and instructors will share practices that help or hinder the adult student's success in the classroom. Students on the panel will also share some of their experiences they've had on our campus.

The UW System Growth Agenda seeks to increase the percentage of Wisconsin residents with undergraduate and advanced degrees. As part of this initiative, UW-Whitewater has placed an emphasis on recruiting adult students to campus.

#### Presenters:

# Lynn Becker

Assistant Director of Admissions (responsible for adults, veterans, and online recruitment)

# Lynn Smith

Student Services Coordinator Adult/Nontraditional Students

# Panelists:

### Students:

Rochelle Day, Cory Tracy & Robin Van Eyll

# Faculty:

Andrew Ciganek (ITBE), Hien Nguyen (MCS) & Diane Soles (Sociology)

Time: 12:30 p.m. Lunch provided

**Date:** April 28, 2011 **Location:** UC 275B

**RSVP by Wednesday, April 21st** 

To reserve a place, please contact the LEARN Center: 262-472-5242 or learn@uww.edu. Register online at: http://signup.uww.edu using your Net-ID. The workshop is listed under "LEARN Center."



