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Date: June 14, 2004  
To: All Faculty  
From: Noni Threinen, Director  
Subject: News

***Faculty On-line Training in Course Assessment:  
How to Create Learning Objectives and Rubrics***

This is a two-part training module to help build and refine skills in creating meaningful learning objectives from a student learning perspective and using rubrics as one way to evaluate student work or performance.

**If you have questions on access to this course, please call Dan Prill [ext 399] to update or activate your password to eNorthwestern. Other questions, please call Noni Threinen [ext 277].**



***Faculty Excellence Awards  
Honors Luncheon  
June 24, 2004***

You are all invited to attend and participate in the Faculty Honors Luncheon to be held in the Cafeteria Conference Room on Thursday, June 24<sup>th</sup> from noon to 1PM. Dr. Traina has agreed to sponsor and host this special faculty event. The food will be excellent and every member of the faculty will be honored as well as the Faculty Excellence Award recipients.

**Please RSVP to Nancy Johnson [ext 213] before Thursday June 17<sup>th</sup> in order to reserve your place.**

***SAVE THIS DAY: JULY 30<sup>th</sup>***

***FACULTY SEMINAR: "Teaching Ethics to Professional Students"  
Stuart Kinsinger, CMCC will present an interactive workshop session from 9:00- 2:30.  
More details will be available soon.***



## University Assessment *New LOGO!!*

The University Assessment Committee (UAC) has approved the new logo for the University Assessment Program. It includes the continuous improvement model as a border to emphasize the on-going importance of integrating assessment into our way of viewing teaching and learning.

Anita Manne, Jane Richardson and Tony Wangerin [T5 student] are working hard on the development of a University Assessment web site. If you have ideas or questions, please contact any of them for more information.

Several faculty members and Dale Healey, Dean of the School of Massage, are attending the AAHE Assessment conference in Denver, Colorado from June 12-14<sup>th</sup>. The faculty members are: Julia Barlett, Renee DeVries, and Terry Erickson [Chiropractic], Beth Burgan and Kren McManus [Massage] and Xianhui Yang [MCAOM]. They will all be sharing their experience in some way with other faculty colleagues during the remainder of the term.



***Brown Bag Program: "The Best of Assessment"***

***Date: Thursday, July 8<sup>th</sup>.***

***Time: NOON-1PM.***

***Place: Cafeteria Conference Room.***

***Drs. Bartlett, Devries and Erickson will give you their best assessment practice ideas, tips and techniques from the AAHE Assessment conference. Please join us for a great program and some delicious treats.***

***Your suggestions are ALWAYS welcome.***

Please send your suggestion for future program topics and ideas to me or any of the advisory group members. We welcome your input.

**Advisory group members' names, e-mail addresses and campus phone extensions are available on the assessment page of the CTLA web site.**