Rising Tide Professorship Application 2019-2010 Equity-Oriented Faculty Development of Teaching in CLAS and COEHD

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Abstract

The proposed project responds to calls for institutional support of equity-focused teaching (AAC&U, 2015) and aligns with CLAS' and COEHD's commitments to interdisciplinary engaged scholarship that impacts students and lifelong learning. Led by two faculty from the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences (CLAS) and two faculty from the College of Education and Human Development (COEHD), this project will build on an existing Teaching with Equity (TWE) Community of Practice (CoP), focusing its scope to instructors across the two colleges, from August 2019 to August 2020. The project aims to support instructors in developing and implementing equity-focused pedagogies, while also disseminating the knowledge and skills gained from the CoP to the broader campus community. Informed by the ongoing assessment of the processes and outcomes in the original CoP, we plan to develop resources, workshops, and outreach to both scale up and focus the program on CLAS and COEHD.