

Welcome

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MASSACHUSETTS
Department of
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DHE Assessment Update

Amcoa Team Meeting
Quinsigamond Community College
Robert Awkward, Director of Learning Outcomes Assessment
March 31, 2017

AMCOA Sixth Annual Assessment Conference

- ▶ **Sixth Annual Assessment Conference on April 21, 2017 from 8:00am – 4:00pm**
- ▶ **Doubletree by Hilton – Westborough/Boston, Westborough, MA**
- ▶ **Online registration available**
- ▶ **Who should attend?**



Advancing the Work of Assessment

- ▶ Pat Marshall and Bob Awkward presented to the Community College Council of Presidents Friday, February 17, 2017
 - ▶ NECC President and Task Force Chair Glenn Lane, Pat Marshall and Bob Awkward presented to the Board of Higher Education Tuesday, March 21, 2017
 - ▶ Pat Marshall and Bob Awkward to present to the State Universities Council of Presidents on Friday, April 14, 2017
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Planning for 2017–2018

- ▶ Thought Prompts:
 - What topics would you wish to have covered?
 - What speakers would you wish to hear?
 - What do you see as the direction of the Amcoa Team for next year?
 - How can this organizing vehicle best serve you?
 - What can we improve upon to make this more useful?

Transparency in Learning & Teaching (TILT)

- ▶ Mary–Ann Winkelmes is the Coordinator of Instructional Development and Research at UNLV, and Principal Investigator for the Transparency in Teaching and Learning in Higher Education, which she founded at the University of Illinois.



Transparency in Learning & Teaching (TILT)

- ▶ **Transparent Assignment Goals**
- ▶ **Purpose:**
 - Skills practiced
 - Knowledge gained
- ▶ **Task:**
 - What students will be able to do
 - How to do it (steps to follow)
- ▶ **Criteria for Success:**
 - Checklist , rubric or an example of what excellence looks like

Transparency in Learning & Teaching (TILT)

- ▶ Small Group Discussion Prompts:
 - What did you learn from this video?
 - How would you apply this learning on your campus?
 - What obstacles do you foresee implementing this approach would encounter?
 - How would you try and overcome them?
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Emerging Trends in Technology for Assessment

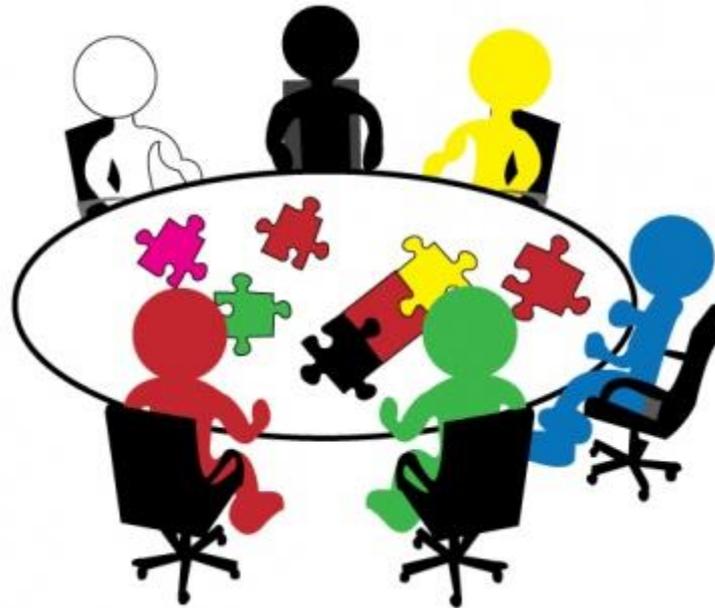
- ▶ Peter Shea
- ▶ Director of Professional Development
- ▶ Middlesex Community College



Regional Professional Development

- ▶ Finalize regional professional development planning for 2016–2017

Ideas to Action Planning



The End

- ▶ See you at the Westborough Doubletree!
- ▶ See you next year!!

