Cluster Day Agenda: Exploration and Discovery

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CLUSTER DAY MEETING AGENDA FOR EXPLORATION AND DISCOVERY

Purpose: Build community within cluster members and obtain feedback on leadership models

Tangibles:
1. Introduce faculty who may or may not know each other very well
2. Identify talents and interests of the group
3. Obtain feedback on existing leadership models
4. Form working groups for future

Intangibles:
1. Generate community and a sense of common mission
2. Engage all voices in integrating the variety of programs into the cluster

10:00 – 11:00 Intro agenda and goals

Discussion of E&D Cluster Work and Leadership Pilot Proposal to date
Jeremiah Duncan (from PPT)

11:00 – 12:00 Active Idea Share

1. Why did you choose/enter your discipline? (this could also lead to getting to know your students)
   a. How does that help you connect with your students?

2. What areas of scholarship, academic, or professional interests do you have?

3. How do you see your disciplinary training/practice fitting into this cluster. Is it easy for you to see how your work in the cluster can happen or do you think it will be a tough endeavor? Why? (“I don’t know” is an okay answer)

4. What do you imagine your disciplinary and teaching expertise/interests could be linked to a different discipline in our cluster in terms of project creation, outside partnerships/constituents, and team-teaching/curricular Gen Ed types of courses/experiences?

12:00 – UTC Open Questions and Interim Leadership Proposal (Chris Chabot)

Lunch