UCI School of Social Sciences

Office of Faculty Development & Diversity



COMMUNITY OF PRACTICE FOR SOCIAL SCIENCES STATISTICS INSTRUCTORS

The Office of Faculty Development and Diversity (OFDD) is pleased to announce the launch of a Community of Practice for Social Sciences Statistics Instructors.

WHAT IS A COMMUNITY OF PRACTICE?

It's a "group of people who genuinely care about the same reallife problems or hot topics, and who on that basis interact regularly to learn together and from each other." (Wenger et al., 2002)



WHO IS IT FOR?

All interested Social Sciences faculty and graduate students who teach statistics.



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In-person meetings with an option to participate via Zoom



WHEN?

First meeting day/time TBD in consultation with interested parties; possibly May.

WHY JOIN?

Because statistics courses are dispersed among various Social Sciences departments, there are limited opportunities for instructors to come together to discuss issues that are unique to statistics instruction. This Community of Practice will offer regular opportunities to share common challenges and successes, compare information and experiences, and turn knowledge and theory into practice. Instructors may include reflections on how COP participation has enhanced their teaching as evidence of Teaching Effectiveness for Academic Personnel (AP) review.

INTERESTED?