## **GEP Assessment:**Course ePortfolio Workshops

December 18 & 19, 2013

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January 15 & 16, 2014

Our new General Education Program (GEP) includes a detailed Assessment Plan (based on Step 6 of the revision process). The GEP Assessment Plan requires that all instructors offering Foundation Level courses during Fall 2013 submit what is called a Course Portfolio. These Course Portfolios will then be reviewed by Faculty Learning Communities. For more information about the GEP Assessment Plan, the specific components of the Course Portfolios, and the role of Faculty Learning Communities, please visit: http://www.uwsp.edu/acadaff/Pages/GEP\_Assessment.aspx.

If you are currently offering a Foundation Level course (First Year Seminar, Oral Communication (COMM 101), Written Communication (ENGL 101, 150, 202), Quantitative Literacy, or Wellness), then you are required to submit a Course Portfolio by February 1, 2014. To facilitate this process, Course Portfolios will be submitted using the ePortfolio function within Desire-2-Learn (D2L). Instructors will be "enrolled" in a special course within D2L where an ePortfolio template will be used.

While this ePortfolio function might be familiar to some instructors, we recognize that others might benefit from additional assistance. To provide this support, Karyn Biasca (Paper Science and Engineering) has agreed to offer four (4) workshops focused on creating a GEP Course ePortfolio. Each workshop will take place in LRC 316 and will provide hands-on assistance. Each workshop is a repeat session, so please select the day and time that works best for you. To help us anticipate the number of participants at each ePortfolio workshop (and because seating is limited in the LRC 316 computer lab), please register for one of the sessions:

January 2014
ePortfolio Workshop #3
Wednesday, January 15, 2014
1:00 – 2:00 pm in LRC 316
Register here:
http://survey.uwsp.edu/TakeSurvey.aspx?SurveyID=86LI6985
ePortfolio Workshop #4
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Thursday, January 16, 2014
10:00 – 11:00 am in LRC 316
Register here:
http://survey.uwsp.edu/TakeSurvey.aspx?SurveyID=86LI6I85

If you have any questions or concerns specifically about the use of *ePortfolios*, please contact:

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