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Theological Educators' Symposium on Digital Media for Ministry

Purpose

Gather selected participants in Digital Media for Ministry Asset Mapping project for summative briefing, learning exchange, resource creation, and conversations about collaboration and ways to advocate for greater attention to this area of 21st-century theological leadership formation.

Participants

Specially invited faculty members and others in theological education ministries interviewed as part of the project. Other interested parties may send a statement of interest to koliver@vts.edu.

Lisa Kimball, Stacy Williams-Duncan, and Kyle Oliver of the Center for the Ministry of Teaching will host and facilitate. Paul Myhre, Associate Director of the Wabash Center, will serve as respondent and “theme weaver.”

Incentives

- Opportunity to network and learn with colleagues at little to no cost
- Opportunity to shape direction of possible collaboration/proposals
- Complimentary housing for symposium and travel reimbursement of up to \$400 for first dozen participants (additional funding by availability)
- Opportunity to attend some or all of [e-Formation 2016](#) for just the cost of housing

Agenda

(Optional) Sunday, June 5 - Wednesday, June 8

Participants wishing to take part in [e-Formation 2016](#), our yearly practitioners' conference on ministry in a digital world, arrive and participate.

Wednesday, June 8, Afternoon/Evening

Symposium participants check in.

Thursday, June 9, 8:30-9:00 am

Breakfast

Thursday, June 9, 9-9:15 am

Opening prayer, welcome, orientation (Dean Knowles?, Kimball, Williams-Duncan, Oliver)

9:15-10:30 am

Reflections on study design and workshopping of emerging conceptual framework (Oliver)

11:00 am -12:15 pm

Report on results w/ focus on desired digital literacies (Oliver)

12:15-2:00 pm

Noonday prayer, lunch, break

2:00-3:30 pm

Two rounds of invited participant case reflections from interview participants (Kimball facilitates)

3:45-5:00 pm

Designing a “digital literacy toolkit” for theological educators (Williams-Duncan facilitates)

(Optional) 6:00 pm

Dinner out together

Friday, June 10, 9-10:15 am

Integrative reflection on research results and case reflection themes (Myhre)

10:30-11:45 am

Open conversation about possible next steps, collaboration (Kimball)

11:45 am -12:00 pm

Noonday prayer, distribute box lunches, adjourn