



OBTC 2016 at Walsh University
June 8th – 11th, 2016

Submission Template

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Submission Template for the 2016 OBTC Teaching Conference for Management Educators

1) Title, Abstract & Keywords

Mid-Career and Senior Consortium

Our session will explore the many issues and challenges mid-career and senior faculty face as we attempt to juggle multiple demands and a changing educational and academic environment. This will be a conversation among the facilitators and audience toward continuing to build a community of support for ourselves. Based on conversations in previous years, topics could include:

- what are you doing about retirement decisions?
- are you thinking of changing directions as you continue your career?
- what are you doing now that you are passionate about/ feeds your soul?
- what other topics are of interest to you?

Keywords: Mid-career faculty, Senior faculty, facilitated discussion

2) Format

- Activity or exercise
 Roundtable discussion (60 minute only)
 General discussion session EXCEPT IT IS A CONSORTIUM

2a) For activities and exercises only, is yours best suited for

- A traditional classroom
 An online class
 Either MORE FOR FACULTY DEVELOPMENT

2b) For activities and exercises only, is yours best suited for

- Undergraduate students
 Graduate students
 Either MORE FOR FACULTY DEVELOPMENT

3) Time Requested:

- 30 Minutes
 60 Minutes (*Roundtables must select 60 minutes*)
 90 Minutes

4) Planning Details:

We would appreciate a room with comfortable chairs in a location that would be private

5) Teaching Implications:

The goal of the session is to provide a community of support and safety to make it easier for people to have a conversation of importance to more senior faculty

6) Session Description and Plan:

We will facilitate a conversation on issues of interest to the participants

7) Application to Conference theme:

Not specifically related to the theme

8) Unique Contribution to OBTC:

There has been a Mid-career and Senior Consortium on the program of OBTC since at least 2009. It has annually been attended by about a dozen to two dozen individuals, most of whom will comment how useful it is to them. Given the current emphasis on newer faculty (e.g. the DI and EEI), this consortium offers added value to more senior participants.

A similar proposal for a Consortium will be made to the Eastern Academy of Management annual conference as has been done each year since at least 2008.