Opportunities for Excellence

- Ohio Project Kaleidoscope (a group that promotes evidence-based practices in STEM higher education) holds an annual one-day conference each year. This year's conference, Increasing STEM Student Success in Higher Education, is on Saturday May 18, 2019 at the University of Dayton. The day includes a vibrant program of oral presentations, posters, and workshops by Ohio educators from a variety of STEM disciplines. The cost is only $85 and includes food, all sessions, and conference materials. Kathy Harper attended last year and found it inspiring.
  - More information about the conference, including a draft program with abstracts, housing options, and a link to the registration page, is available at https://www.aacu.org/pkal/ohio/2019/spring-conference. Further questions can be directed to the conference chair, Mark Masthay, at mmasthay1@udayton.edu

- Can you dig it? Growing cut flowers and pollinator plants. Join Ohio State expert Christopher Ratcliff as he equips you with great tips for the upcoming growing season, including gardening techniques, soil preparations, pest control and seed starting April 16, noon-1 p.m., and April 25, noon-1 p.m., in 150 Thompson Library.
  - Contact

Reminders

- When reserving an EED conference room or classroom, make sure that you INVITE the room. Just listing in the location will not reserve it. You WILL get a confirmation if you’ve reserved the room correctly. Thanks!

- Need to borrow Pcard? Start & save eRequest; submit when receipt uploaded. No taxes on Pcard purchases. Amazon orders should not be put on EED’s Pcard (submit eRequest as “Standard Purchasing Request”).

- Have an upcoming trip? Submit eTravel request & obtain T# before paying for anything (registration, hotel, car rental, etc.)! Flights must be booked using CTP.

- Conference room phone number 614-292-4483

- Front desk phone number 614-292-7923

- Have a potential news story?
  - Submit Here
- If you have a small project for one of our front desk student assistants, contact Francine Butler,1091 who will assign the work requests. Please submit any requests at least a week in advance.

- Do you have a message or event you'd like to see highlighted on EED's social media platforms (e.g. Twitter, Facebook)? Email your posts to Chai Balasubramanyam,2 with "EED Social Media" in the subject line.

- Do you have an announcement or message you want to see in the next weekly email? Email the ENG-EEDFrontDesk@osu.edu with "WeeklyEmail" in the subject line.

Have a wonderful rest of the week!

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