

2025 Institute for Teaching and Learning (ITL)

Celebrating 20 years: Confident and Creative Educators Committed to Advancing Outcomes

Friday Conference Center 100 Friday Center Dr, Chapel Hill, NC, 27599 August 25-28, 2025 Agenda Outline

Monday, August 25 (Day 1): Establishing a Firm Foundation Eastern Time

8:30 - 9:15 a.m.	Registration Breakfast & Networking Conversations
9:15 - 9:25 a.m.	Opening & Welcome
9:25 - 9:30 a.m.	ITL Overview
9:30 - 10:00 a.m.	Class of 2025 Introductions
10:00 - 11:15 a.m.	1.1 The Effective Educator: Promoting Learning through Self-Discovery
11:15 - 11:30 p.m.	Break
11:30 - 12:30 p.m.	1.2 Shaping an Educational Philosophy with Intentionality
12:30 -1:15 p.m.	Lunch
1:15 – 2:30 p.m.	1.3 Navigating Educator Expectations & Relationship Building
2:30 - 2:45 p.m.	Break
2:45 - 4:15 p.m.	1.4 Fostering Professional Identity Formation in Students
4:15 – 4:30 p.m.	Evaluation / Q&A
4:30 p.m.	Adjourn
5:30 – 6:30 p.m.	Welcome Reception (Location TBA)

Tuesday, August 26 (Day 2): Incorporating Processes to Stimulate Critical Thinking EasternTime

8:30 - 9:15 a.m.	Breakfast & Networking Conversations
9:15 - 10:30 a.m.	2.1 Mastering Feedback: Enhancing Learning
10:30 - 10:45 a.m.	Break
10:45 a.m 12:15 p.m.	2.2 Mastering Feedback: Enhancing Assessment
12:15 - 1:00 p.m.	Lunch
1:00 - 2:00 p.m.	2.3 Clinical Teaching Scenarios Practical Application (Part 1)
2:00 - 3:00 p.m.	Utilizing Evidence-based Dentistry for Improving Student Learning Experiences (Practical Application)
3:00 - 3:15 p.m.	Break
3:15 - 4:45 p.m.	2.4 Aligning Scholarship with the Advancement of Educational Research
4:45 – 5:00 p.m.	Evaluation / Q&A

Wednesday, August 27 (Day 3): Implementing Strategies for Optimized Learning & Outcomes Eastern Time

5:00 p.m.

Dinner on Your Own

Adjourn

8:30 - 9:00 a.m.	Breakfast & Networking Conversations
9:00 - 9:15 a.m.	Collaborative Learning: Reflection & Assessment
9:15 - 10:45 a.m.	3:1 It's All in the Approach: Equal Access to Dental Education
10:45 -11:00 a.m.	Break
11:00 – 12:15 p.m.	3:2 Integration of Professional and Empathic Patient Communication
12:15 - 1:00 p.m.	Lunch
1:00 - 2:15 p.m.	3.3 Integrating Clinical Case-based Scenarios in Course Curriculum
2:15 - 2:30 p.m.	Break
2:30 - 3:30 p.m.	3.4 Reflective Alumni Moment: The Impact and Transformational Power of Mentoring on Student Success
3:30 - 3:45 p.m.	Evaluation / Q&A

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3:45 p.m. Adjourn

Dinner on Your Own

Thursday, August 28 (Day 4): Integrating Technology-driven Approaches to Cultivate Creativity and Productivity

Eastern Time

8:15 - 8:50 a.m. Breakfast & Networking Conversations

8:50 - 9:00 a.m. Collaborative Learning: Reflection & Assessment

9:00 - 10:30 a.m. 4.1 Rigor in Objectives and Assessments Using Bloom's

Taxonomy

10:30 - 10:45 a.m. Break

10:45-11:15 am 4.2 Incorporating Technology into Educational Activities in the Classroom

11:15 -12:00 pm Lunch

12:00-1:00 p.m. 4.3 What's Next? Deliberate, Adaptive & Resilient Actions

1:00-1:15 p.m. Evaluation and Closing Remarks

1:15 p.m. Adjourn (Do not depart before 1:00 pm)

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