Professional Development

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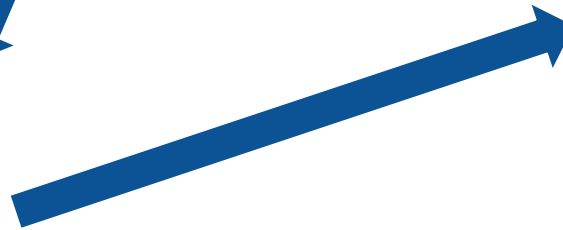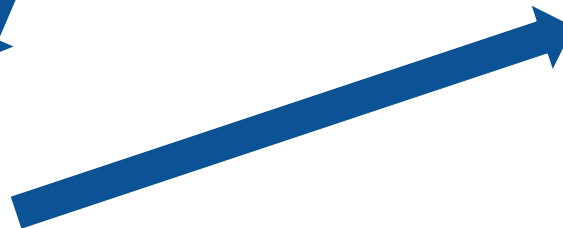
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Professional Development

The process of obtaining the skills,qualifications, and experience that allow you to make progress in your career.

Macmillan Dictionary

Professional Development

Learning how to do something new and stretch myself. Anything that makes me a stronger employee or benefits my program or department.

Why do it?

- stay relevant
- engage yourself
- challenge yourself

How to's

- say yes
- make it personal
- ask
- be OK with being uncomfortable

My examples

- technology
- going to conferences
- presenting at conferences
- becoming published

  (possibly coming soon)
- joining committees

Pamela

- Educational Research using my program(s)

- Mentoring others in their career development

- Quality Improvement projects

- Curriculum development

Charlene

Collaboration with PDs/APDs/PCs locally and nationally
- Scholarship
- Assessments
- Program Improvement
- Faculty Development

Leadership roles locally and nationally/Grassroots organizing
- Coordinators' Council
- APPD Coordinators' Executive Committee
- TAGME Committees (Applications and outcomes)

Manuscripts/Book Chapters/Invited Talks!

Michelle

Saying "Yes!"
Accomodater type- Thomas-Kilmann

QI/PI- so much of what we do is process improvement!

Mentoring

Finding your passion- community

Tammy

Collaboration - across areas and roles

➔ Department
➔ Interdivisional
➔ College of Medicine
➔ GME
➔ Across Campus
➔ Affiliates

Insert yourself and don't be afraid to be at the table
Feel the Fear and do it anyway!

Common Barriers

- $$$
- support
- time
- no clear direction

Resources

- people
- events
- webinars
- structured learning

Thank you!

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