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Sampson Community College's QEP Newsletter



QEP Update: Teaching Excellence Coordinator Appointed

To better facilitate the QEP project and ensure its long-term success, SCC will expand QEP co-director Britt Honeycutt's responsibilities include the role of Teaching Excellence Coordinator. This role will be part-time, as Britt will retain her department chair duties and a partial course load.

The Teaching Excellence Coordinator will be trained in course design and evaluation by the Online Learning Consortium. Once training is complete, the coordinator will be tasked with administering the Navigator Course to enhance online teaching skills for faculty and with evaluating online courses using the OLC's OSCQR rubric. More information about this timeline will be forthcoming.

Britt (aka Oscqr the Viking) looks forward to this new challenge.

What's New with the QEP?

To support the QEP, SCC has become a member of the **Online Learning Consortium.** This membership includes:

- · OLC Quality Scorecard
- · Access to <u>publications and research</u>
- · Webinars
- · Member pricing on our workshops, certificate programs for online teaching and instructional designers, and conferences

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Viking Pride Spotted

What's in the tumbler, Mark? Good sport and Viking CEW enthusiast Mark Brown was seen sipping a tasty beverage from his CREW mug.



Online Teaching Resource of the Week



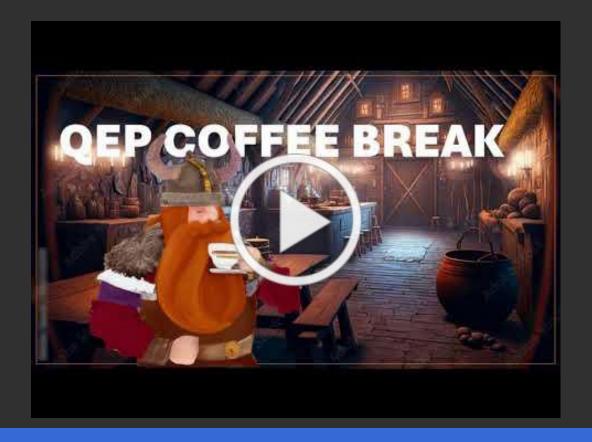
BEYOND BELONGING: CREATING
ONLINE AND BLENDED SPACES
FOR FIRST-GENERATION
STUDENTS TO FLOURISH

After this one-hour OLC webinar, participants will leave with a plan to employ small course changes with the goal of going beyond belonging to create inclusive academic online and blended experiences for first-generation students. (The really good stuff starts around the 30 minute mark). You can count this free workshop toward your Professional Development credits.

Read More

QEP Coffee Break

This week, join Jake and Barney at the track as they discuss workplace challenges, stress management strategies, and their career trajectories.



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