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Call for Applications
The 9th Annual Active Learning Institute (ALI)
December 9 & 10, 2015 -- 9:00am-4:00pm, both days

When is the last time you were able to spend two days focused solely on your teaching? The Active Learning Institute (ALI) provides the opportunity to devote time and attention to one of the most rewarding aspects of your work. By exploring evidence-based practices that maximize student learning, you will come away with new approaches and ideas to incorporate into your courses.

By the end of the ALI participants will able to
- Apply the basic principles of backwards design in course preparation
- Determine which active learning strategies are useful for student learning goals
- Identify tools that can be used to support active learning
- Describe basic cognitive science principles and their relationship to learning
- Access appropriate college resources to support their teaching and course design

Participants will receive a $500 stipend for full participation in the two-day institute. Anyone holding a faculty teaching appointment at Dartmouth at any rank (Arts and Sciences, Engineering, Tuck, Geisel) is eligible to apply.

To apply for the institute, please complete the online application by October 31, 2015.

The ALI planning committee reads every application and selects a cohort of participants based on the following criteria:
- Congruence between your goals and ALI program goals.
- Desire to form a cohort that can learn from and with each other.

Those applicants accepted into this year's institute will be notified by November 7, 2015.

Questions about ALI? Contact dcal@dartmouth.edu