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**FSSE 2016**  
**Teaching Professional Development**  
**Topical Module**  
University of Baltimore

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|   | Var. Name  | Response Options | Lower Division     |    | Upper Division |    | Total |    |     |
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| <b>1. How important is it that your institution assists you in the following areas?</b> |  |                  |                    |    |                |    |       |    |     |
| a.  | Incorporating active learning strategies                                   | fTPD01a          | Not important      | 0  | 0              | 4  | 10    | 4  | 7   |
|   |  |                  | Somewhat important | 4  | 20             | 4  | 10    | 8  | 14  |
|   |  |                  | Important          | 8  | 40             | 17 | 44    | 25 | 42  |
|   |  |                  | Very important     | 8  | 40             | 14 | 36    | 22 | 37  |
|   |  |                  | Total              | 20 | 100            | 39 | 100   | 59 | 100 |
| b.  | Developing students' critical thinking or problem-solving skills           | fTPD01b          | Not important      | 0  | 0              | 2  | 5     | 2  | 3   |
|   |  |                  | Somewhat important | 4  | 21             | 5  | 13    | 9  | 16  |
|   |  |                  | Important          | 6  | 32             | 15 | 38    | 21 | 36  |
|   |  |                  | Very important     | 9  | 47             | 17 | 44    | 26 | 45  |
|   |  |                  | Total              | 19 | 100            | 39 | 100   | 58 | 100 |
| c.  | Improving your interactions with students                                  | fTPD01c          | Not important      | 2  | 10             | 5  | 13    | 7  | 12  |
|   |  |                  | Somewhat important | 6  | 30             | 11 | 29    | 17 | 29  |
|   |  |                  | Important          | 6  | 30             | 15 | 39    | 21 | 36  |
|   |  |                  | Very important     | 6  | 30             | 7  | 18    | 13 | 22  |
|   |  |                  | Total              | 20 | 100            | 38 | 100   | 58 | 100 |
| d.  | Facilitating experiences with diversity                                    | fTPD01d          | Not important      | 5  | 26             | 10 | 26    | 15 | 26  |
|   |  |                  | Somewhat important | 3  | 16             | 6  | 15    | 9  | 16  |
|   |  |                  | Important          | 6  | 32             | 17 | 44    | 23 | 40  |
|   |  |                  | Very important     | 5  | 26             | 6  | 15    | 11 | 19  |
|   |  |                  | Total              | 19 | 100            | 39 | 100   | 58 | 100 |
| e.  | Using technology to improve student learning                               | fTPD01e          | Not important      | 0  | 0              | 1  | 3     | 1  | 2   |
|   |  |                  | Somewhat important | 5  | 25             | 8  | 21    | 13 | 22  |
|   |  |                  | Important          | 8  | 40             | 10 | 26    | 18 | 31  |
|   |  |                  | Very important     | 7  | 35             | 20 | 51    | 27 | 46  |
|   |  |                  | Total              | 20 | 100            | 39 | 100   | 59 | 100 |
| f.  | Creating a supportive learning environment                                 | fTPD01f          | Not important      | 0  | 0              | 2  | 5     | 2  | 3   |
|   |  |                  | Somewhat important | 1  | 5              | 5  | 13    | 6  | 10  |
|   |  |                  | Important          | 7  | 35             | 15 | 38    | 22 | 37  |
|   |  |                  | Very important     | 12 | 60             | 17 | 44    | 29 | 49  |
|   |  |                  | Total              | 20 | 100            | 39 | 100   | 59 | 100 |
| g.  | Assessing student learning   | fTPD01g          | Not important      | 0  | 0              | 6  | 15    | 6  | 10  |
|   |  |                  | Somewhat important | 2  | 10             | 6  | 15    | 8  | 14  |
|   |  |                  | Important          | 8  | 40             | 15 | 38    | 23 | 39  |
|   |  |                  | Very important     | 10 | 50             | 12 | 31    | 22 | 37  |
|   |  |                  | Total              | 20 | 100            | 39 | 100   | 59 | 100 |
| h.  | Planning course content (i.e., learning objectives, course goals, syllabi) | fTPD01h          | Not important      | 4  | 20             | 6  | 15    | 10 | 17  |
|   |  |                  | Somewhat important | 7  | 35             | 14 | 36    | 21 | 36  |
|   |  |                  | Important          | 4  | 20             | 10 | 26    | 14 | 24  |
|   |  |                  | Very important     | 5  | 25             | 9  | 23    | 14 | 24  |
|   |  |                  | Total              | 20 | 100            | 39 | 100   | 59 | 100 |
| i.  | Organization and time management   | fTPD01i          | Not important      | 4  | 20             | 13 | 33    | 17 | 29  |
|   |  |                  | Somewhat important | 9  | 45             | 11 | 28    | 20 | 34  |
|   |  |                  | Important          | 4  | 20             | 7  | 18    | 11 | 19  |
|   |  |                  | Very important     | 3  | 15             | 8  | 21    | 11 | 19  |
|   |  |                  | Total              | 20 | 100            | 39 | 100   | 59 | 100 |
| j.  | Advising and/or mentoring students   | fTPD01j          | Not important      | 2  | 10             | 8  | 21    | 10 | 17  |
|   |  |                  | Somewhat important | 5  | 25             | 9  | 23    | 14 | 24  |
|   |  |                  | Important          | 5  | 25             | 10 | 26    | 15 | 25  |
|   |  |                  | Very important     | 8  | 40             | 12 | 31    | 20 | 34  |
|   |  |                  | Total              | 20 | 100            | 39 | 100   | 59 | 100 |

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| k.   | Enhancing students' information literacy or fluency                                 | fTPD01k                 | Not important      | 0        | 0              | 5        | 13           | 5        | 8   |
|  |   |                         | Somewhat important | 6        | 30             | 7        | 18           | 13       | 22  |
|  |   |                         | Important          | 5        | 25             | 15       | 38           | 20       | 34  |
|  |   |                         | Very important     | 9        | 45             | 12       | 31           | 21       | 36  |
|  |   |                         | Total              | 20       | 100            | 39       | 100          | 59       | 100 |
| l.   | Specifying learning outcomes  | fTPD01l                 | Not important      | 1        | 6              | 8        | 21           | 9        | 16  |
|  |   |                         | Somewhat important | 8        | 47             | 12       | 32           | 20       | 36  |
|  |   |                         | Important          | 3        | 18             | 12       | 32           | 15       | 27  |
|  |   |                         | Very important     | 5        | 29             | 6        | 16           | 11       | 20  |
|  |   |                         | Total              | 17       | 100            | 38       | 100          | 55       | 100 |
| m.   | Designing assignments or exams  | fTPD01m                 | Not important      | 6        | 32             | 15       | 38           | 21       | 36  |
|  |   |                         | Somewhat important | 7        | 37             | 11       | 28           | 18       | 31  |
|  |   |                         | Important          | 3        | 16             | 7        | 18           | 10       | 17  |
|  |   |                         | Very important     | 3        | 16             | 6        | 15           | 9        | 16  |
|  |   |                         | Total              | 19       | 100            | 39       | 100          | 58       | 100 |
| n.   | Leading discussions   | fTPD01n                 | Not important      | 6        | 32             | 18       | 46           | 24       | 41  |
|  |   |                         | Somewhat important | 10       | 53             | 5        | 13           | 15       | 26  |
|  |   |                         | Important          | 1        | 5              | 10       | 26           | 11       | 19  |
|  |   |                         | Very important     | 2        | 11             | 6        | 15           | 8        | 14  |
|  |   |                         | Total              | 19       | 100            | 39       | 100          | 58       | 100 |
| <b>2. During the current school year, have you done the following?</b> |   |                         |                    |          |                |          |              |          |     |
| a.   | Participated in an institution-wide instructor orientation                          | fTPD02a                 | No                 | 18       | 90             | 32       | 84           | 50       | 86  |
|  |   |                         | Yes                | 2        | 10             | 6        | 16           | 8        | 14  |
|  |   |                         | Total              | 20       | 100            | 38       | 100          | 58       | 100 |
| b.   | Participated in an instructor orientation specific to your department or discipline | fTPD02b                 | No                 | 13       | 65             | 30       | 79           | 43       | 74  |
|  |   |                         | Yes                | 7        | 35             | 8        | 21           | 15       | 26  |
|  |   |                         | Total              | 20       | 100            | 38       | 100          | 58       | 100 |
| c.   | Participated in a faculty learning community devoted to teaching                    | fTPD02c                 | No                 | 16       | 80             | 24       | 63           | 40       | 69  |
|  |   |                         | Yes                | 4        | 20             | 14       | 37           | 18       | 31  |
|  |   |                         | Total              | 20       | 100            | 38       | 100          | 58       | 100 |
| d.   | Been mentored by a faculty member with regard to teaching                           | fTPD02d                 | No                 | 16       | 80             | 31       | 82           | 47       | 81  |
|  |   |                         | Yes                | 4        | 20             | 7        | 18           | 11       | 19  |
|  |   |                         | Total              | 20       | 100            | 38       | 100          | 58       | 100 |
| e.   | Mentored a faculty member with regard to teaching                                   | fTPD02e                 | No                 | 13       | 65             | 22       | 58           | 35       | 60  |
|  |   |                         | Yes                | 7        | 35             | 16       | 42           | 23       | 40  |
|  |   |                         | Total              | 20       | 100            | 38       | 100          | 58       | 100 |
| f.   | Attended or presented at a professional conference focused on teaching              | fTPD02f                 | No                 | 17       | 85             | 29       | 78           | 46       | 81  |
|  |   |                         | Yes                | 3        | 15             | 8        | 22           | 11       | 19  |
|  |   |                         | Total              | 20       | 100            | 37       | 100          | 57       | 100 |

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| <b>3. During the current school year, about how often have you done the following?</b> |  |                         |                |          |                |          |              |          |     |
| a.   | Visited an office or center that supports faculty (Center for Teaching and Learning, Center for Teaching Excellence, etc.) | fTPD03a                 | Never          | 8        | 40             | 15       | 39           | 23       | 40  |
|  |  |                         | Sometimes      | 11       | 55             | 16       | 42           | 27       | 47  |
|  |  |                         | Often          | 1        | 5              | 4        | 11           | 5        | 9   |
|  |  |                         | Very often     | 0        | 0              | 3        | 8            | 3        | 5   |
|  |  |                         | Total          | 20       | 100            | 38       | 100          | 58       | 100 |
| b.   | Attended a workshop or training session to enhance your teaching   | fTPD03b                 | Never          | 9        | 45             | 18       | 47           | 27       | 47  |
|  |  |                         | Sometimes      | 8        | 40             | 18       | 47           | 26       | 45  |
|  |  |                         | Often          | 2        | 10             | 1        | 3            | 3        | 5   |
|  |  |                         | Very often     | 1        | 5              | 1        | 3            | 2        | 3   |
|  |  |                         | Total          | 20       | 100            | 38       | 100          | 58       | 100 |
| c.   | Had a faculty or staff member observe your teaching and provide feedback   | fTPD03c                 | Never          | 10       | 50             | 19       | 50           | 29       | 50  |
|  |  |                         | Sometimes      | 8        | 40             | 13       | 34           | 21       | 36  |
|  |  |                         | Often          | 2        | 10             | 5        | 13           | 7        | 12  |
|  |  |                         | Very often     | 0        | 0              | 1        | 3            | 1        | 2   |
|  |  |                         | Total          | 20       | 100            | 38       | 100          | 58       | 100 |
| d.   | Worked one-on-one with a faculty or staff member to help improve your teaching   | fTPD03d                 | Never          | 12       | 63             | 27       | 71           | 39       | 68  |
|  |  |                         | Sometimes      | 4        | 21             | 9        | 24           | 13       | 23  |
|  |  |                         | Often          | 2        | 11             | 1        | 3            | 3        | 5   |
|  |  |                         | Very often     | 1        | 5              | 1        | 3            | 2        | 4   |
|  |  |                         | Total          | 19       | 100            | 38       | 100          | 57       | 100 |
| e.   | Worked with a group of faculty or staff to help improve your teaching  | fTPD03e                 | Never          | 12       | 60             | 27       | 71           | 39       | 67  |
|  |  |                         | Sometimes      | 6        | 30             | 9        | 24           | 15       | 26  |
|  |  |                         | Often          | 1        | 5              | 1        | 3            | 2        | 3   |
|  |  |                         | Very often     | 1        | 5              | 1        | 3            | 2        | 3   |
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| f.   | Discussed teaching issues with other faculty or staff  | fTPD03f                 | Never          | 1        | 5              | 2        | 5            | 3        | 5   |
|  |  |                         | Sometimes      | 5        | 25             | 10       | 27           | 15       | 26  |
|  |  |                         | Often          | 9        | 45             | 14       | 38           | 23       | 40  |
|  |  |                         | Very often     | 5        | 25             | 11       | 30           | 16       | 28  |
|  |  |                         | Total          | 20       | 100            | 37       | 100          | 57       | 100 |
| g.   | Consulted books, articles, or online resources to enhance your teaching  | fTPD03g                 | Never          | 0        | 0              | 8        | 21           | 8        | 14  |
|  |  |                         | Sometimes      | 5        | 25             | 10       | 26           | 15       | 26  |
|  |  |                         | Often          | 11       | 55             | 11       | 29           | 22       | 38  |
|  |  |                         | Very often     | 4        | 20             | 9        | 24           | 13       | 22  |
|  |  |                         | Total          | 20       | 100            | 38       | 100          | 58       | 100 |
| h.   | Solicited feedback from students about your teaching beyond institution-provided end-of-course evaluations                 | fTPD03h                 | Never          | 1        | 5              | 8        | 22           | 9        | 16  |
|  |  |                         | Sometimes      | 9        | 45             | 10       | 27           | 19       | 33  |
|  |  |                         | Often          | 7        | 35             | 9        | 24           | 16       | 28  |
|  |  |                         | Very often     | 3        | 15             | 10       | 27           | 13       | 23  |
|  |  |                         | Total          | 20       | 100            | 37       | 100          | 57       | 100 |