

In the Academy
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CENTER for FACULTY DEVELOPMENT

Together Toward Excellence

Faculty Dialogue Groups: These faculty groups are formed based on response and usually meet 3 times during the semester. Confirm your participation with **Kendra BeDen-5131 by February 12** so the books can be ordered.

Why Teach? In Defense of a Real Education; Mark Edmunson

Teaching Naked, How Moving Technology Out of Your College Classroom Will Improve Student Learning; Jose Bowen

Till We Have Faces: A Myth Retold; C. S. Lewis

A Simple Way to Pray; Martin Luther

Newell Innovative Teaching Award: Faculty members self-submit proposals of innovation that introduce something new and creative in the classroom and are relatively comprehensive in scope. The innovation must have involved changes in the way a subject (not necessarily an entire course) is taught. Classroom innovations must have occurred in the academic year the proposal is submitted.

Application Deadline: April 11, 2014

For more details about the award go to the Faculty Development web page at

<http://www.uu.edu/centers/faculty/programs/innovative/>

Spring 2014 Pew Luncheon: 2012-13 Pew Grant Recipients (Keith Bates, Brad Green, and Ben Phillips) will present their research.

Date: Wednesday, April 16th at 12:00 noon

Location: Grant Center

Union University Scholarship Symposium. The Research Program sponsors an annual university-wide symposium for the purpose of disseminating scholarship produced by the Union community. Presentations are open to undergraduate and graduate students who have completed a collaborative, innovative scholarly project during the current academic year.

For more information go to <http://www.uu.edu/events/uuss/>

Date: Tuesday, April 29; 12:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Abstract Submission Deadline: Friday, March 28