



Explore Diversity, Improve Student Achievement

Schoolcraft College is proud to present an exciting professional development opportunity for teachers.

Come and explore the achievement gap with Dr. Ron Ferguson, Senior Lecturer in Education and Public Policy at the Harvard Graduate School of Education and the Harvard Kennedy School.

Learn strategies for differentiated instruction in the classroom to help all students achieve success.

Raising Achievement in Our Schools

Examine the achievement gap in the context of teaching, leadership, parenting and peer culture with particular emphasis on teaching. The core ideas will be drawn from the Tripod Project for School Improvement, a national effort to understand effective teaching and improve student achievement. This workshop will explore the teaching practices, termed the “Seven C’s” (Caring, Controlling, Clarifying, Challenging, Captivating, Conferring and Consolidating) which are part of the framework of the Tripod Project. The Gates Foundation’s project on Measuring Effective Teaching indicates that classrooms where teaching rates higher on the Seven C’s produce greater gains in student achievement. Engage in this unique opportunity to work with nationally renowned expert, Dr. Ron Ferguson, to examine these issues and discover how you can apply this knowledge in your classroom.

June 22nd from 8:30am-3:30pm SB-CEUs: 0.6 Fee: \$50 CES 0968 / Section 929662
Location: VisTaTech Center 550 Instructor: Dr. Ferguson

Strategies to Raise Achievement – Online Course

Delve into the strategies shared by Dr. Ferguson through virtual collaboration. Explore “real world” scenarios in the context of parenting, teaching, peer culture and leadership and work in partnership with your peers to develop best practices for addressing these challenges. Students will be provided with online access information prior to the class start.

Prerequisite: CES 0968 Raising Achievement in Our Schools.

July 11th— August 11th SB-CEUs: 0.6 Fee: \$0 CES 0969 / Section 939663
Location: Online Instructor: Alex McNeece

Raising Achievement: Best Practices & Classroom Application

Continue to explore strategies for raising achievement and narrowing gaps in our schools. Develop skills to implement in your classroom for the upcoming school year through shared best practices and collaboration with fellow educators.

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August 18th from 1:00pm-4:30pm SB-CEUs: 0.3 Fee: \$0 CES 0970 / Section 939664
Location: VisTaTech Center 500A-D Instructor: Dr. Ferguson

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