2023 Roche Teaching Scholars Application





The Roche Teaching Scholars Program aims to enhance the learning experience for CALS students by developing dynamic teaching leaders. We invite faculty with a minimum 30% Teaching appointment and 5 years of teaching experience to apply for this program. The following components are required expectations for all faculty participants:

• Attend all designated Roche Teaching Scholars Program sessions:

January 26-27, 2023 – Who am I as a teacher?

This session will focus on individual assessment tools that connect to influences on your approach to teaching (critical thinking, intercultural development, etc.), and providing integral frameworks for moving forward on your Roche Teaching Scholar projects.

May 11-12, 2023 – Teaching to Enhance Learning

This session will focus on adding teaching tools to your repertoire as you design/re-design a course, as well as address several issues you may face as a teacher in our ever-changing culture and growing student body (i.e. contentious topics, accessibility, diversity, etc.).

June 19-24, 2023 – North American Colleges & Teachers of Agriculture Conference (New Mexico State University, Las Cruces, NM)

November 16-17, 2023 – Educational Policy and Administration

This session will focus on various campus policies and procedures that impact teaching (i.e. budget, accreditation, curriculum review, etc.), as well as a look at innovative learning spaces.

- Develop or re-develop a course using concepts learned in the program.
- Develop and initiate a teaching-related special project to benefit the department/center or CALS (i.e. program review, workshop series, etc.). The proposed project should benefit more than just the applicant and have impacts beyond a single course.

For participants of the Roche Teaching Scholars Program, Department Chairs/Center Directors agree to provide \$2,500 in travel funds for the NACTA Conference, as well as additional teaching support (e.g., release time for the faculty member for 1 course (preferably Fall), extra TA allocation, or counting participation as a part of the regular teaching assignment).

For additional information, please contact Dr. Al Wysocki (<u>wysocki@ufl.edu</u>). Submit applications to Dr. Wysocki by **Wednesday, November 30, 2022.**

The 2023 Roche Teaching Scholars will be announced by Friday, December 9, 2022.