

Topical Session 3-1

Date:

Time:

Presenter:

Friday, March 26, 2010

2:30 p.m. - 2:50 p.m

"Greening Existing Curriculum in Wisconsin Technical Colleges"

Presenters to include:

Blackhawk Technical College:

Nancy Lightfield

Wisconsin Indianhead Technical College:

Garry Krause and Ted May, Ph.D.

Worldwide Instructional Design System (WIDS):

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Learn how colleges infuse green principles into course and program design. Two colleges share their experience in using a common curriculum framework to 1) capture learning outcomes informed by industry input, 2) build performance expectations for the new curriculum, and 3) design assessment. Featured are those on the frontlines of Wisconsin Indianhead Technical College's Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning/Refrigeration (HVAC/R) technical diploma and Blackhawk Technical College's Green Industry Technician program. Representatives from both colleges share the process and impact on local industry, and how they've packaged green principles into other courses and certificates that can be applied across the college. Additionally, a WIDS representative discusses how curriculum facilitation services can be adapted to your unique learning environment.