

*Thursday,
November 8*

PAES Autumn Workshop:

*Enhancing Critical
Thinking Among
our Students:
The path from student to
independent scholar*

*with Dr. Kathryn Plank
FTAD*

*12:15—1:45
4th floor—PAES*

Lunch choices:

Sandwich: Turkey, Ham, Roast Beef, or Veggie

Bread: Multigrain baguette, Sourdough baguette,
Whole Wheat, or Rye

Side Salad: Potato Salad, Pasta Salad, or Cole Slaw

Cookie: Choc. Chunk, White Choc. Macadamia or
Oatmeal Raisin



Critical thinking is best understood as the ability of thinkers to take charge of their own thinking. This requires that they develop sound criteria and standards for analyzing and assessing their own thinking and routinely use those criteria and standards to improve its quality (Elder & Paul, 1994).

This workshop will encourage us to think of ways to attend to the development of critical thinking among our students. We will discuss how to use the curriculum and classroom assignments to push students toward higher levels of critical thinking.

Dr. Plank will present some of the latest information on critical thinking and methods to promote critical thinking in our teaching. We also will hear how these methods have been implemented in programs within PAES, and of course, we'll have plenty of time for discussion!

November 8 Luncheon Info:

12:15—lunches provided

12:30—workshop begins

**This session is appropriate for
faculty members at all stages of
career development!**

RSVP by November 5 to:

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*When you RSVP, be sure to
include your lunch choices!*