



SU Peer Facilitation Training Short Course

Are you dedicated to your studies and keen to share your experiences?

Becoming a Peer-to-Peer Facilitation of Learning is for you!

Enroll for the Peer-to-Peer Facilitation of Learning SU accredited Co-curricular training short course and receive recognition on your academic transcript as an experiential learner.

The Centre for Teaching and Learning offers a **FREE** opportunity to **ALL** tutors (*demi's, module-, learning-, teaching and assessment assistants*) to join an exciting training opportunity on Peer Facilitation of Learning. You can complete the training short course at your own pace and have up to 13 weeks to complete it (*depending on when you enroll*) or as indicated by your department/faculty.

Who may apply?

- 1. Demis
- 2. Module assistants
- 3. Learning assistants
- 4. Teaching assistants
- 5. Assessment assistants

What's in it for me?

- 1. you will become an accredited peer facilitator recognized by SU.
- 2. you will have boundary setting skills and become resilient and adaptive in peer facilitation sessions.
- 3. you will promote the development of students and apply practical skills that encourage students' selfefficacy.
- 4. you will be a developed peer facilitator who is an engaged leader (*curious, interested and passionate about learning*).
- 5. your graduate attributes will be developed (professionalism, inter/-intrapersonal skills and social intelligence).

How do I apply?

- 1. You should 1st apply for a peer facilitation (tutorship) opportunity within your department or faculty when advertised
- 2. Once selected by your department or faculty, you should enroll for the Peer-to-Peer Facilitation of learning training short course

What is in the course?

- 1. Session 1: What is required of you as a peer facilitator
- 2. Session 2: Who you can contact for support
- 3. Session 3: Technical and administrative skills
- 4. Session 4: Facilitating learning and engagement
- 5. Session 5: Managing time and stress

What is expected of me?

- 1. Spend at least 1,5 hours a week on completing course activities?
- 2. Check announcements on the SUNLearn module daily for new updates.
- 3. Check your emails daily for possible administrative tasks.
- 4. Communicate with the course coordinator whenever you are experiencing problems.
- 5. Become part of the peer facilitation family and share your experiences with other peer facilitators by engaging in online discussions and providing feedback to others.
- 6. Enjoy the training and your facilitation experience!

Closing dates for applications:

20 August 2021

For further information and application enquiries contact:

Sim Ntwasa at <u>sim@sun.ac.za</u> or your faculty/departmental tutor coordinator.