Brief History

- 1996-2000 Random Faculty Development Programs
- 2003-2008 Strategic Planning and Performance Evaluation Initiatives
  - Improvement of teaching at all levels
  - Sharing of practices, innovations
- Master Teacher Program established
  - Open participation
  - Improvement
  - Sharing
Mission

Mission: To provide the resources, programs and leadership that support the highest quality of professionalism and instruction within the various educational missions of the CVM
We Value

- Continuously improving, high quality instruction
- A positive attitude and respectful approach to teaching
- Open participation and open exchange of ideas
- Confidentiality and respect
We Value

- Discovery and innovation
- Mentoring and administrative support for teaching development
- The importance of excellent teaching in promotion, tenure and merit decisions
Goals

- Strengthen teaching and student learning
- Provide support for documentation of teaching
- Promote sound methods for evaluating teaching and educational programs
- Identify and advise CVM on organizational issues
- Pursue a program for education-related research
- Provide a venue for sharing innovations and fostering collaboration
Selected Accomplishments

- Core Introductory Workshops
- Graduate Student Teaching Fellowship support
- Advocacy and structure for effort allocation, peer evaluation and support of teaching in P & T
- Host of 2010 Veterinary Educator Collaborative
- Positive impact on recruitment of faculty
- Presentations and Publications
2015 Team Award
But What’s Next?
2015-2016 Review

- Annual Surveys
- Leadership Team Discussions
- Focus Groups
Goal: Advocacy

- The Master Teacher Program is For Everyone!
  - New faculty
  - Departments
  - Teaching technicians and staff
  - House officers

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Leadership Team for the Future

- Michael Cunningham
- Mee Ja Sula
- Misty Bailey
- Mickey Sims
- India Lane
- Nancy Howell
- Dianne Mawby
Goal: Quality Content Supporting Instruction

- “Greatest Hits” this summer
- Establish parallel recurring series
- Foster Guest speakers
- Reenergize workshops
Goal: Support Relevant Policy

- Expanded leadership team
- Policy sessions
Goal: Discovery and Dissemination

- Teaching and Learning Center Collaborations
- Travel opportunities
- TEDEd Talks
- Open Course packaging
- Topical publications
Thank You