Example of the Teaching Academy Fellows Program Schedule of Events

Each year the actual dates of the program events vary as well as the presenters for each working dinner.

Typically, in early fall semester the Program chairs host an orientation reception in August.

In the Month of August or September a team building session is presented at the UGA low Ropes Course.

There are 7 working dinners throughout the academic year in the following months:

September, October, November, January, February, March, and April

Each working dinner begins at 5:30pm with a short reception. Then the introduction of the guest presenter and topic begin between 5:45 – 5:50.

Dinner then begins in the area of 6:00-6:15pm. Discussion and additional presentation occur during the dinner.

Interaction between the presenter, mentors and participants is fluid and a pleasant element of the evening's work. Networking, resourcing, friendships, and skills are developed effortlessly.

Each year the fellows are divided into one of four groups and each group is assigned two mentors. They will remain with their group throughout the program year. These groups are encouraged to meet outside of the working dinner programs.