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THE IDU PRESENTS ITS SECOND
TEACHING AND LEARNING RESEARCH DAY
The Scholarship of Teaching and Learning (SoTL): Maximising Teacher Effectiveness

Teaching and Learning Research Day 2011 will take place on **Wednesday December 7th, 2011 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m**. at the Institute of Critical Thinking, UWI St Augustine.

Our feature speaker, Professor Ian Robertson is a former Dean and has been a committed lecturer who has done extensive research on linguistics in the Caribbean. Pro Vice Chancellor and Campus Principal Professor Clement Sankat will welcome participants and delegates to this forum.

More than 25 scholars will gather to expound on the theme *The Scholarship of Teaching and Learning (SoTL): Maximising Teacher Effectiveness* The aim of this event is to highlight and acknowledge scholarly teaching and emphasize teaching professionalism that debunks the idea that teaching involves only private and lonely acts.

The day promises to be exciting and informative and will take the form of paper presentations, poster sessions and workshops relevant to teaching conceptualization and teaching practice. It will present an opportunity within the life of the St Augustine Campus for participants to network. It will also cater to teaching professionals at all levels of the education system and interested members of the public.

Research papers and poster presentations have been submitted in topics such as:
- Using Cloud Computing to Facilitate Student Collaboration on the Chemical Engineering Design Project
- MobileMath: An Innovative Solution to the Problem of Poor Mathematics Performance in the Caribbean.
- Factors Influencing Degree Performance at The University of the West Indies, St Augustine Campus
- An Examination of types and usefulness of analogies generated by Upper Primary School Students- A Case Study
- Salting the Oats: Student Motivation by Course Design
- Enhancing Dalgarno and Lee's Model of Learning in a 3-D Virtual Learner Environment

- Using Web 2.0 Technologies to Enhance 21st Century Higher Education
- Business Ethics in Accounting
- The Use of Haptic Technology in Teaching Removable Partial Denture Design
- Using the Communicative Emotive Approach to Teach a Foreign Language
- Introducing Nanotechnology into the Curriculum
- Using Google Earth to Enhance Teaching Geological Mapping
- Teaching Permutation Groups Using A Cooperative Learning Strategy
- Reflections on Teacher Leadership Issues
- Human Capital Management
- Cyber Ethics

Persons interested in registering can e-mail idu@sta.uwi.edu