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PROGRAM PROPOSAL FORM

1986 POD Conference - October 30 - November 2, 1986
Hidden Valley Resort, Somerset, PA

NAME OF PROPOSER: _____

ADDRESS: _____

TELEPHONE: (_____) _____

Others who will be involved: _____

Subject/Title: _____

Format of presentation: _____

Length of session (1/2 hour to 3 hour): _____

Program description or abstract: _____

Special needs (space, arrangements, equipment): _____

Target Audience (e.g., Deans, Faculty members, New developers, "Old

Hands" _____

NOTE: We will send you a request for final session description in the Spring. To guarantee a place on the program, send this proposal form to: Dr. John Anderson, Chairperson of Department of Economics, Bucknell University, Lewisburg, PA 17837, by March 15, 1986.

THE POD NETWORK'S ELEVENTH NATIONAL CONFERENCE

October 30th--November 2nd, 1986
Hidden Valley Conference Center
Somerset, Pennsylvania

POD Conference Registration Form

Name _____

Title _____

Institution/Organization _____

Address _____

Telephone _____

1986 POD Conference Registration Fees

Member registration fees	\$ 75.00
Nonmember registration fees	105.00
Student registration fees	35.00

Please remember, you may register at "member rates" only if you send your 1986-1987 POD membership dues now. If you register as a nonmember, you will receive one year's membership in the POD Network.

I am enclosing the following conference registration fees: \$ _____

1986-1987 POD Membership Dues

\$ 25.00	Individual Membership
100.00	Institutional Membership (Five members)
15.00	Student Membership
---	Nonmember Registration Fees include one year's membership

I am enclosing the following amount for POD Membership Dues: \$ _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED: \$ _____

Make checks (U.S. currency, please) payable to POD NETWORK and mail to

Toni McIltrot
Tutoring Center
Duff's Business Institute
110 Ninth Street
Pittsburgh, PA 15222

POD NETWORK'S 1986 PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOP
Hidden Valley Conference Center
Somerset, Pennsylvania

COLLEGE TEACHING AND THE DEVELOPMENT OF REASONING

Conducted by
The ADAPT Program, University of Nebraska at Lincoln

Wednesday, October 29th, 5:00 p.m.--9:00 p.m.
and continuing
Thursday, October 30th, 9:00 a.m.--2:00 p.m.

Workshop Registration Fee: \$35.00

"College Teaching and the Development of Reasoning" is an active-learning workshop to explore Piaget's theory of cognitive development and to consider classroom instruction in light of that theory. Activities include analyses of reasoning patterns, (one's own first and then those of students), discussions of filmed and videotaped portrayals of different reasoning patterns, examination of educational materials, and creation of sample classroom activities.

Both research and experience indicate that many college freshmen find it difficult to use formal reasoning in at least some disciplines. Indeed, even mature thinkers tend to employ concrete reasoning patterns when they begin to explore new fields. Yet, understanding in college level courses demands formal reasoning. Piaget's theory provides a fruitful way to examine the thinking students do, to identify their reasoning patterns, and to create activities to promote cognitive growth.

Workshop leaders are faculty who have worked with the ADAPT Program, a multidisciplinary, experience-based freshman program that draws upon Piagetian theory. They have expertise and experience with Piagetian programs in a variety of disciplines.

The registration deadline is September 26th, and enrollment is limited to 32 people. To reserve a place in the workshop, send your \$35.00 registration fee (checks payable to POD NETWORK) and registration form to:

Toni McIltrot, Tutoring Center
Duff's Business Institute
110 9th Street
Pittsburgh, PA 15222

Also, remember to make room, board, and transportation reservations for Wednesday, October 29th, with Hidden Valley at POD Conference rates.

**College Teaching and the Development of Reasoning
Pre-Conference Workshop Registration Form**

Name _____ Title _____

Institution/Organization _____

Address _____

City _____ State/Prov. _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Professional and Organizational Development
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Pre-Conference (i.e. bus) Activity

Welcome to the POD 1986 Conference. To help you shift gears from home to here, we would like you to participate in this activity. As the name of the organization implies, we are interested in supporting a network of people through sharing ideas and expertise.

At this year's conference, we want to begin that sharing by compiling ideas from you regarding your work in professional and organizational development. Would you please take some time on this bus trip to fill out two cards, one yellow and one blue.

On the yellow card, describe for us a good idea that worked well. On the blue card, describe another good idea that didn't work very well - but still has merit. Be ready to turn both cards in when you arrive at the conference site. (NOTE: if you want to talk about these ideas with someone on the bus as an ice-breaker, GO AHEAD!)

During the conference, we will compile, categorize and post these cards so we can facilitate the process of networking at the conference. It is also our intention to enter these on a computer and print out copies for conference attendees.

Name _____

Address _____

An Idea that Worked -

Please describe briefly some brilliant idea you have had with regard to development which worked like a charm. What were you trying to accomplish? Why do you think it worked?

Name _____

Address _____

An Idea that Didn't Work -

Please describe briefly some brilliant idea you have had with regard to development which failed miserably. What were you trying to accomplish? What do you think went wrong?