

## **PUTTING THE "LEARNING" BACK IN SERVICE- LEARNING FOR FIRST-YEAR STUDENTS**

### **Professional Development Webinar**



**Thursday 12/15/2011**

**12:00-1:30 p.m.**

**UC Hidalgo Room 2.214**

**Brown Bag Lunch**

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### **Attention UTSA Faculty & Staff**

Join us in the UC Hidalgo Room 2.214 for an online Academic Impressions Web Conference, designed especially for educators, that focuses on how to prepare your students to engage with UTSA and local and global communities as they discover their power to effect positive change. Watch the webinar for ideas on how to plan your service-learning curriculum that meets students learning needs.

## **AGENDA**

- **Exploring the research – why is service-learning important to integrate into the first year?**
  - **Retention**
  - **Improved skills**
- **Creating desired student outcomes for first-year students participating in service-learning**
- **Components of an effective model for service-learning in the first year**
- **Examples of institutions that effectively create service-learning for first-year students**
- **Q & A**
- **Meet UTSA Service-Learning staff**



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In 2004, she was recognized with an Excellence in Teaching Award by The College of Education at OSU. She has also held a variety of student affairs positions at William and Mary, Grinnell College, University of Wisconsin Madison, Case Western Reserve University, and The Ohio State University. Her doctoral dissertation focused on racially underrepresented students' experiences in service-learning.