All sessions will be held in the **Graduate School Conference Room, Computer Science**

**SEMINAR I: Introduction to the Pedagogy Seminar Series**

**Wednesday November 8th, 3:00 - 4:30pm**

- Establish and strengthen rapport with your students (the secret ingredient to successful teaching!) regardless of class size or discipline
- Engage your students and audiences
- Strip away all that is unnecessary to get at the essence of your message
- Embrace the ideas of simplicity, clarity, honesty, integrity, and passion
- Present with a fresh perspective
- Use slides that fit well with the talk and are harmonious with the message

*Facilitator: Radha Ganesan, PhD  Curriculum Designer, Alan Alda Center for Communicating Science*

**SEMINAR II: Evidence-Based Instructional Practices I**

**Wednesday November 15th, 3:00 - 4:30pm**

- Overview of Scientific Teaching

*Facilitator: Marvin O’Neal, PhD  Director of Introductory Biology Labs*

**SEMINAR III: Evidence-Based Instructional Practices II**

**Wednesday December 6th, 3:00 - 4:30pm**

- Active learning / Peer instruction
- Effective questioning
- Clickers (lightning rounds, formative assessment)

*Facilitator: William Collins, PhD  Associate Professor, Biology*