

The Bradley University Center for Teaching Excellence and Learning is pleased to announce funds to advance the ability of Bradley STEM faculty to cultivate inclusive learning environments for students. This six week program has two components: 1) an online "Inclusive STEM Teaching" course divided into several modules and 2) a Bradley Learning Community (LC) that will be moderated by Dr. Melinda Faulkner and Dr. Kristi McQuade. LC meetings will be held weekly on Wednesdays from 12-1 pm, with an alternate meeting time selected based on participant availability.

The course begins March 24th and runs through May 6th, 2025.

In support of Bradley's NSF-funded SUSTAIN program, we are especially interested in supporting faculty who teach STEM courses that enroll first year students. However, all full-time faculty are eligible to apply.

Ten Bradley STEM faculty will be eligible for a \$500 stipend, contingent on satisfactory completion of the program. Participants should plan to spend 3-5 hours per week engaged in the course and associated discussions, which include review/completion of course materials, plus the 60-minute weekly learning community meeting.

Instructions: Please type in the requested information. Email the completed form to: <u>ctel@bradley.edu</u>by March 14, 2025.

Name:

Department:

Rank:

Do you teach in a STEM discipline?

Do you teach first year STEM courses (If so, which ones)?

Can you be available on Wednesdays at noon for the LCs?