BioMath Meeting, Wednesday, March 20, 2013

Attendance:
Kristen Beck (Math)
Lisa Elfring (MCB)
Susan Hester (MCB)
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Natalia de Roock (Teaching Team)
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Michelle Woodward (Math)

Continued the discussion of common training for undergraduate preceptors focusing on:

1. What population of students (for which courses) would be included in the common training?

2. What skills would we teach in the common training? - Because content is specific to subject and often even to the instructor, we expect that common training would focus on the general skills of being an effective in-class preceptor and tutor.

3. How would the training be structured?

4. What programs exist that could serve as a model for common preceptor training? - e.g., Think Tank training

5. Who would conduct the training each semester, and who would train the trainers? - This will be important for keeping a common training program sustainable.

6. How will the faculty be involved in the training/interaction with preceptors in their courses?