

CRITICAL THINKING – MENTOR

Description

Faculty analyze results of the integration of critical thinking learning objects in their classrooms and foster faculty engagement in the teaching, learning, and assessment of critical thinking at GGC.

Outcomes

At the end of the Mentor Level of the Critical Thinking Track, faculty will be able to:

1. Analyze the quality of their students' critical thinking to propose means of enhancing the instruction of critical thinking or to compare teaching and learning strategies associated with the development of critical thinking competencies and aptitudes.
2. Lead faculty in the design and development of customized critical thinking learning objects for specific courses.

Completion Criteria

Faculty achieve Mentor Level by earning four microbadges:

- Critical Thinking Microbadge 6: Lead a second CAT GGC faculty scoring session.
- Critical Thinking Microbadge 7: Implement two approved CAT App critical thinking learning objects in the same course and assessed the critical thinking of students using a CAT pre-test/post-test or formative/summative model.
- Critical Thinking Microbadge 8: Present the results of that course experience at a CTE faculty forum or similar forum sponsored or organized by the Director of Academic Assessment.
- Critical Thinking Microbadge 9: Lead a CTE Critical Thinking Learning Objects workshop to assist colleagues in the design and approval of two CAT apps for integration into a specific course.

Milestone Badge

You can apply for the milestone badge by visiting the GGC Academic Commons, located at <http://commons.ggc.edu>. Once there, you can click on Badge Library menu item, and locate the Critical Thinking, Mentor milestone badge using the filters on the left of the page or the actual badge listings. Once you have located the badge and reviewed the criteria, you can click on the “Apply for Badge” button.

NOTE: Verification and badge application processing time will take 24-48 hours. Once the badge is awarded you can verify receipt by logging into the Academic Commons. Once logged in, you will receive a popup notice indicating a badge has been awarded.