

## Graduate Student Credit for the AEC Pedagogy Brownbag Series

The AEC Pedagogy Brownbag Series, also known as the Taking Time for Teaching Seminar, is a 1-credit graduate student seminar. As graduate students in AEC, most of you will have an opportunity to teach here and later in your career. But teaching isn't a "you've got it or you don't" kind of skill—like any other, it is a skill that can be acquired with study and practice. Each meeting will focus on a teaching topic to introduce some best practices, tools, how to apply them in the classroom and online, and actively explore pedagogy questions for AEC classes. The meetings are monthly during the academic year (see the website for the full schedule: <https://appliedecon.oregonstate.edu/applied-economics/seminars/aec-pedagogy-brownbag-series>). As such, there will be 2-3 meetings each term.

There are two requirements that registered students must complete each term to receive credit for the seminar:

- 1) **Seminar attendance:** students are expected to attend all seminars, but since there may be schedule conflicts, credit may be given to students that attend the majority of seminars.
- 2) **End of term reflections:** personal reflections are due the Thursday of finals week each term. The personal reflections are graded pass/fail. The reflections should be 2 pages, 11-12 point font, double-spaced, and discuss which seminar topic they think was most useful/interesting for them, why that seminar was most useful/interesting to them, and how they might apply what they learned to their teaching practices. The reflections may also discuss additional questions that emerged after learning the content and topics they would like to see discussed at future meetings. The due dates for personal reflections are as follows:
  - Fall -12/7/2017
  - Winter - 2/22/2018
  - Spring - 6/14/2018

Graduate students should submit their personal reflections and questions about the seminar to seminar co-organizer Beau Olen ([beau.olen@oregonstate.edu](mailto:beau.olen@oregonstate.edu)).