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The purpose of the consortium is to foster collaboration among USG institutions in regards to professional development to facilitate benchmarking, share development resources and implement best practices.

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Conflict Management for Leaders

Wednesday, September 27, 2017 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM Valdosta State University— Details Forthcoming

Participants enrolled in this course will explore being a collaborative problem solver. Topics include conflict analysis, individual responses to conflict, and strategic managerial intervention in non-productive conflict situations. Ongoing dialogue as a way to enhance performance management is discussed with attention given to methods for effectively handling both the supervisor's and the supervisee's emotions during a dialogue.

- Analyze conflict situation by discerning the sources and dynamics of conflict.
- Identify stages of a collaborative problem solving process.
- Distinguish difference between interest and position
- Apply a dialogue process as a means to enhancing supervisor-supervisee relationship

Generate ways to stay in dialogue when emotions are high

Instructor: Dr. Tim Hedeen

Dr. Timothy Hedeen is a Professor of Conflict Management and serves as University Ombudsman at KSU.

He provides mediation services and training; delivers introductory and advanced trainings in conflict resolution, decision-making, and communication; facilitates group and public policy decision making and planning; and conducts research and evaluation on dispute resolution and justice policy. He serves on the editorial board of *Conflict Resolution Quarterly* and is an appointed member of the Commission on Dispute Resolution of the Georgia Supreme Court.

Register Online

Online - <u>visitor login</u> for participants without VSU login credentials.

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