

Training for Mentoring Online

I. PURPOSE

In this training event, participants will acquire and practice skills in the use of Blackboard distance learning tools for mentoring EfM Online. Instruction will be offered in how to plan live chat sessions, to use the whiteboard and to prepare slides for Theological Reflection. Trainees will be preparing to mentor in a virtual reality. This event is an In-service event. Accreditation is not automatic.

II. PERSONS WHO MAY ATTEND

The trainee must have been accredited in a face-to-face Basic/In-service Mentor Training.

III. DURATION OF TRAINING

The training is on-site, intensive, and requires 18 contact hours. The training usually involves six to eight participants and two trainers. Full participation is mandatory. Information on events scheduled in the United States may be obtained from EfM coordinators, the EfM website (<http://www.sewanee.edu/EFM>) or by contacting:

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