Facilitating Learning: Using VARK to Assess Learning Styles
Friday, September 20, 2013 with Dr. Melissa S. Medina

Learning Objectives

At the completion of this presentation, participants will be able to:
- Identify your learning style preference using the VARK
- Describe the 4 VARK learning styles
- Predict your students' learning styles
- Explore how to adapt learning materials to fit students' learning style preferences

About the EGR Presenter

Dr. Melissa S. Medina is the Assistant Dean for Assessment and Evaluation, and an Associate Professor at the University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center College of Pharmacy. She also serves as the Director of Preparing Future Faculty for the University of Oklahoma Graduate College.

At Rutgers University in New Jersey, Dr. Medina earned her bachelor's degree in psychology and master's and doctorate degree in educational psychology. Dr. Medina joined the faculty at the University of Oklahoma College of Pharmacy in August 2000 and directs and coordinates several teaching methods courses and teaching certificate programs for faculty, residents, and graduate and professional students nationally, across campus, and within the College of Pharmacy. Dr. Medina has delivered over 80 teaching-related presentations, workshops, and retreats locally and nationally for faculty and students and written over 30 peer-reviewed articles related to the scholarship of teaching and learning.

Dr. Medina has received the University of Oklahoma Presidential Professorship and 6 teaching awards at the OUHSC College of Pharmacy, including Teacher of the Year in 2005.

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