

Creating a Culture of Teaching and Learning

Utilizing a Community
of Practice Model

Community of Practice

A group of people who share a concern or a passion for something they do, and learn how to do it better as they interact.

Domain

Share a Passion for a
Domain of Knowledge

Members develop a
shared **identity** around a
topic that represents a
collective intention to
steward a domain of
knowledge and sustain
learning about it.

Community

Thrive on the Social Energy
of Learning

Collective learning **forges**
a bond among members.
Held together by the
learning value members find
in their interactions.

Practice

Produce Resources

Interactions produce
artifacts that affect their
practice. Because they
respect each other,
questions and challenges
are exposed . . . responses
reflect **practical**
experience.