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Dr. Arlen Viste
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After much frustration and little progress on the 2a Bush Grant awarded to the Education Department, I am pleased to inform you that we will be pursuing specific activities and course development for the remainder of this year and during the summer of 2005. Dr. Laurie Wenger, Dr. Sharon Andrews and Dr. Sherry Feinstein will be developing on-line courses related to our Masters in Education and our Master of Arts in Teaching.

Dr. Wenger will be developing a blended on-line course that will use an asynchronous design to deliver instruction to four non-traditional students in EDUC 610A, The Master Teacher. The class will meet face-to-face for approximately ½ of the contact hours and "meet" on-line for the remainder of the course. Bush Grant 2a funds will be used for curriculum design and instructional materials.

Dr.s Wenger, Andrews and Feinstein will be developing modular on-line courses in Reading in the Content Area, Adolescent Development and Educational Measurement for non-traditional students in the MAT program. Bush Grant 2a funds will be used during the summer of 2005 to develop curriculum and purchase instructional materials appropriate to on-line courses. We are very pleased with these developments. It moves our Masters programs to the electronic world in an appropriate way. All of the courses will become a part of the curricular seminar credits in the MA and MAT programs. I hope this is helpful. Please contact me if you have questions.
Bob Kiner