

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SCIENCE

FOUNDATIONS TA SEMINAR #3

Effective Assessment Strategies



Since 2003, Jon has facilitated seminars on good assessment practices for the History Department, the Centre for Support of Teaching/Teaching Commons, and the LA&PS Foundations program. This workshop focuses on practical advice and active classroom learning. Participants can expect to emerge from this 90 minute session with a variety of different assessment models, some advice on their application, and some practice at using them.

Jon Sufrin Ph. D is an Assistant Lecturer, appointed to the Department of Writing in 2015. He holds graduate degrees in History (York) and a BA in Humanities (York). As the preceding sentence suggests, he's been a York a long time, and would have fought harder to bring the subway to York during the 1995 campaign, except he never figured on staying so long. In the interim, he's taken a turn as a program coordinator, won a University-wide teaching award, and enjoyed running various faculty and university-wide essay competitions. Now in the Writing Department, he works in the LA&PS Writing Centre, and teaches courses in composition and digital culture.

11:30-1, Thursday October 4, S701 Ross

All TAs are welcome to attend. NEW first time Foundations TAs will be paid **one hour** compensation at the CUPE overload rate. This workshop counts towards the Record of Completion Certificate offered through the Teaching Commons. For more details, visit the [Teaching Commons website](#).

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