

# ASSESSMENT SWAP SHOP



**Date:** Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> May 2009

**Time:** 1-2pm

**Location:** Blue Room (tbc)

**Suitable for:** Staff involved in assessing students

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## Rationale for Swap Shop:

There is evidence of a lot of good practice and innovative approaches to assessment being utilised in the university at present...but we rarely have the opportunity to share our experiences with colleagues, particularly those in different departments / faculties. The swap shop aims to provide a forum in which this can occur and to enable people to network, communicate, collaborate and support each other! There are also many new ideas and opportunities (i.e. online assessment), that we hear about, but can never quite find the time to explore. Learning technologists are happy to come along and explain such techniques so you can assess their suitability for your programmes and therefore the swap shop aims to share good / new practices and links so that we can support each other while we implement new methods!

## First Session

The idea of the first swap shop is to come along and explain one method that you use for assessment that could be considered as innovative in some way, in the hope that everyone who attends will leave with some new ideas for assessment. If you don't feel you use innovative methods...you are welcome to come and listen! This session will also be used to discuss the structure of future sessions.

If you are interested in attending the Assessment Swap Shop please contact **Shauna McCusker**, Law and Criminal Justice Studies, ([shauna.mccusker@canterbury.ac.uk](mailto:shauna.mccusker@canterbury.ac.uk)).