The purpose of this workshop is for nursing faculty to explore skills in writing NCLEX® type exam questions and interpret exam item analyses.

Objectives
At the end of the conference participants will be able to:
1. Evaluate ideas for career development class
2. Learn how to quickly and effectively transform knowledge-based questions to application or higher level
3. Collaborate with peers to develop test items
4. Use a curriculum grid to align content with the NCLEX® test plan
5. Discover how to identify “nice-to-know” versus “need-to-know” information

Agenda
8:00 – 8:30a  Registration
8:30 – 9:00a  Career Development Class including NCLEX Prep
9:00 – 10:30a  NCLEX update
               Transforming knowledge based questions
10:30 – 10:45a  Break
10:45 – 11:45a  Item analysis from authentic exams
11:45 – 12:00n  Working in teams to develop test items
               Alternative items
12:00 – 1:00p  Lunch
1:00 – 2:00p  Aligning with NCLEX
               The NCLEX activities
               Curriculum Map
               SAFETY
2:00 – 2:15p  Break
2:15 – 3:00p  Prioritizing assignments
               Backward Design
3:00 – 3:15p  Summary

Featured Speaker
Melissa Geist, EdD, MSN, CNE
Tennessee Technological University

A passionate academician, researcher, author and practitioner, Dr. Geist is a Certified Nurse Educator with a history of excellence in teaching and practice as a board certified FNP and PPCNP. Her experience as a nurse educator includes over 10 years of faculty development and NCLEX® reviews. She is highly cognizant of the National Council of State Boards of Nursing research documents that are utilized as the backbone of the NCLEX® Blueprint and uses this knowledge in organizing faculty development and reviews.

Statements from previous reviews:
“I learned more from Melissa in one day than any other faculty development I have ever attended.”

“Engaging speaker, lots of energy”

“Very practical and feasible. I feel like I can get started today.”
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Register online at www.ukconce.org. *UK faculty, email eawo223@uky.edu to register.
Registration fee includes attending the conference, lunch, continuing nursing education contact hours, and access to conference materials. The University of Kentucky, College of Nursing will provide conference materials online.

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800 Rose Street, Lexington, KY  40536  
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