

**The Nature of Innovation in the Community College  
Interviews with Selected Innovation of the Year Award Recipients**

**Interview Questions**

You were recognized by the League for Innovation with an Innovation of the Year award.

1. What motivated you to create the innovation?
2. What has been the impact of the innovation you created
  - On your college?
  - On students?
  - On you?
  - Outside the college?
3. What is the current status of your innovation within the college? Is it still in place? Has it been adopted widely in the college? Is it supported by regular college funding?
4. What is the most important thing your college can do to encourage more innovation? To ensure that innovations, once implemented, continue to expand and thrive?
5. What does the term “innovation” mean to you?
6. What advice would you give to a colleague who wants to create and then sustain an innovation?