## SME Information Collection Framework

Module Introductio	n Time to Complete:
Title:	
Item Description:	
Provide a few	
sentences	
describing this	
item. This will be	
displayed in the	
LMS when	
students see the	
list of content	
items.	
First Paragraph:	
Provide a	
welcome and	
introductory	
paragraph. Include	
a "hook" to get	
learner attention.	
Second	
Paragraph:	
Provide deeper	
information here	
for the learner.	
What will they be	
learning in this	
module? The	
beginning of this	
section is a good	
place for any advice or	
warnings. Reading	
Overview:	
Briefly describe	
the reading.	
(Remember, this	
will be covered	
more in depth	
later, but we want	
to make the	

introduction a	
one-stop-shop).	
Activities and	
Assignments:	
Provide a bulleted	
list of all activities	
and assignments	
in this module. If it	
has a completion	
date, include that	
too.	
Final Advice:	
Provide some	
advice for the	
learners to take	
with them into the	
rest of the	
module.	

Module Readings	Time to Complete:
Item Description:	
Provide a few sentences describing this item.	
This will be displayed in the LMS when	
students see the list of content items.	
Introductory Paragraph:	
Provide a paragraph introducing the readings	
and explain their purpose (as a whole) to the	
learners.	
For Each Reading Section/Resource:	
List the pages/chapters and the source, then	
provide specific guidance for the learners	
when they are reading through this section.	
Copy this row as many times as needed to	
capture each reading section.	
Active Reading Guidance:	
Provide information for students about what	
they should be looking for in the readings.	
What can they do to make this a more active	
task?	

Repeat this section for each piece of media in this module.

Video/Media	Time to Complete:
Item Description:	

Provide a few sentences describing this item.		
This will be displayed in the LMS when		
students see the list of content items.		
For each video/media item, repeat the following 4 rows.		
Media Name:		
Provide the name of the piece of media being		
used.		
Link/Source:		
Provide the link to the media being used. If		
this is a video, make sure that it is a) free to		
use, and b) has closed captioning to remain		
ADA compliant.		
If possible, include a backup link/source in		
case the first stops working.		
Media Description:		
In broad strokes, describe the media for		
learners so they know what they are getting		
into when they begin. If a specific section of		
the video is important, call that out here.		
Guiding Questions:		
Provide a list of questions for learners to be		
answering as they watch the video.		
Commentary:		
Provide your commentary for this resource.		
Why was it selected? What do you want		
students to gain from it? How is this resource		
related to the rest of the module, or to the		
course at large.		
End Repeating Section		
Conclusion:		
Provide 2-3 sentences that wrap up this item.		
Where applicable include "next steps" to		
direct students where to go next.		

Repeat this section for all discussions (graded and ungraded)

Discussion Board	Time to Complete:
Graded?	Score: (If graded)
Discussion Prompt:	
Write the discussion prompt. Give guidance	
on the information you are looking for.	
Clarify anything that might be confusing.	
Discussion Requirements:	

Detail the requirements that learners must	
follow when making their initial post and	
responding to others in the class. (Number of	
responses? Length/detail of response? Etc.)	
Rubric:	
Attach rubric when you return this	
framework and list the title of it here.	
Faculty Notes:	
Provide context, instructions, and grading	
information for the instructor. Additionally	
model and provide details about how to	
engage in the discussion with learners.	

## Repeat this section for each assessment in the module

Assessment	Time to Complete:
Title:	
Type of Assessment: (Quiz, Exam, Midterm,	Score:
Final, etc.)	
Item Description:	
Provide a few sentences describing this item.	
This will be displayed in the LMS when	
students see the list of content items.	
Introduction:	
Introduce the assessment. What topics will	
this assessment cover? How many and what	
time of questions?	
Repeat this section for each TYPE of assessment question	
Questions:	Multiple Choice Question?
On the right provide questions. Make it clear	*1. Correct answer/Feedback
what type of question this is. Use the	2. Wrong Answer/Feedback
examples to format your questions.	3. Wrong Answer
	4. Wrong Answer
All questions will be randomized by the LMS,	
so please leave the correct answers at the	Multiple Select Question?
top.	*1. Correct Answer
	*2. Correct Answer
If you want to provide any form of feedback,	3. Wrong Answer
add that after the responses or the question	4. Wrong Answer
as a whole (see the multiple choice and	
multiple select for examples)	True/False Question?
	*True (Correct)
	False

	Short Answer: This is a sentence and the <u>Answer</u> is underlined.
	Essay Question: Prompt. Answer.
	Matching question prompt a. Response/Match b. Response/Match c. Response/(LEAVE THIS BLANK IF YOU WANT FEWER MATCHES THAN RESPONSES, OR VICE VERSA)
<b>Faculty Notes:</b> Provide context, instructions, and grading information for the instructor.	

Repeat this section for each piece of informational content in the module

Informational Content	Time to Complete:	
Title:		
Type of Content Item: (HTML Page,	THIS CELL LEFT INTENTIONALLY BLANK	
Articulate Storyline interaction, Padlet, etc.)		
Item Description:		
Provide a few sentences describing this item.		
This will be displayed in the LMS when		
students see the list of content items.		
Introduction:		
Provide one paragraph introducing this		
content item. This paragraph should clue		
learners into the content they will be		
engaging with. Cover the basics of the topic		
and any background information that you		
think learners will need.		
Instructions for Content Creation:		
Describe what this item will look like. This		
information is for your instructional designer,		
and is not student facing.		
Describe the colors, fonts, and overall		
appearance.		

Determine what kind of interaction this item will have (if any). Is this a simple informational object? Will this be interactive?	
Describe how you want learners to engage with this item. Will they read it? Click through slides? Match items? Click on pins? Etc.	
Instructions for Learners: Provide broad-strokes instructions for	
learners. Don't get bogged down in the specific, technical details of how they will interact with the item, but instead, focus on	
the learning outcomes they will meet, the questions they will need to ponder, etc.	
Provide 1-2 sentences concluding this content item. Link it to previous and	
subsequent items. Faculty Notes: Provide context, instructions, and any	
additional information for the instructor.	

This section is not student-facing, and instead is for the instructor of the course.

Instructor Notes	
Introduction:	
Provide one paragraph describing the	
module from the instructor point of view.	
What is this about? Where would learners	
have encountered it before (if at all)? How	
can the instructor hook learners?	
News Items:	
{Optional} Provide any news items that the	
instructor should mention during this module	
in addition to their own personal news items	
to post.	
Reading Instructions:	
Provide information for <b>each</b> reading and	
resource that will be assigned in this module.	
What kind of questions will learners have?	
What kind of additional guidance should the	
instructor provide? Is there more context	

around these resources the instructor should	
be aware of?	
Common Misunderstandings:	
Are there areas that learners might struggle?	
What kind of information may need	
clarification? Are there topics that may cause	
confusion or controversy?	
Provide guidance to the instructor to help	
head off some of these issues.	
Tips and Tricks:	
Provide any insights, tips, and tricks that you	
have picked up preparing or teaching this	
course. What do you wish you had known	
going into this module or topic? What can	
the instructor do to encourage participation?	
Engagement:	
Provide guidance to help the instructor	
engage with the learners throughout the	
module. Remember, an online or	
asynchronous course still benefits from an	
active instructor.	
Additional Resources:	
Are there any resources that are outside the	
required materials for the course? If so,	
provide a list here and for each item give	
guidance to the instructor on how to use it.	