Tuesday, February 21, 2017 - This webinar will be delivered in English.

Presentation 1: 12:00 to 13:00 EST
Presentation 2: 12:00 to 13:00 PST (3:00pm-4:00pm EST)

Title: Taking the Sting out of Assessment: Is There a Role for Progress Testing?

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Overview:
In this webinar, Dr. Pugh will discuss the role of progress testing in mitigating some of the unintended consequences associated with assessment. She will examine the literature on how assessment drives learning and how this might apply to progress testing. She will also explore the distinction between assessment of learning and assessment for learning, including ways in which they overlap and differ. Finally, she will discuss how the properties of an assessment tool can be harnessed to optimize learning.

Learning Objectives:

• To explore the unintended consequences of assessment
• To consider how progress testing might mitigate some of these unintended consequences
• To consider the implications of implementing progress testing