A Teacher’s Road to Excellence
Effectiveness of a course for honours teachers
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Research Questions
How influences ATRE:
1) teachers’ value of the three dimensions of honours teaching strategies,
2) teachers’ self-efficacy, and
3) practice?

Method
Self-assessment (N=13) (5 points Likert scale)
Value of, and competence in: creating community; enhancing academic performance, and offering bounded freedom
T1: start; T2: Half way; T3: end

Questionnaire (N=10) (open questions)
What is changed in practice?

Results
ATRE positively influences the self-efficacy of teachers and how teachers value the three dimensions of honours teaching strategies. Teachers indicate that after following ATRE they had more courage to do things differently and to try new methods and learning formats.

Honours
Programs: selective study programs designed for students who are able and willing to do more than the regular program offers
Didactics: three dimensions of teaching strategies: offering bounded freedom, enhancing academic competence and creating a community (Wolfensberger, 2012)

The course
A Teachers Road to Excellence (ATRE) is based on:
1) Van Veen et al. (2010) who indicate that teachers should actively create new knowledge, share knowledge and experiences, and implement content practice; and 2) Guskey (2002), who indicates that teacher training should result in a change in class activities, learning outcomes, and attitude and believes

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