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During the fall semester, the SASI (Support All Staff Involvement) horizontal team in conjunction with Career Services hosted “True Colors,” a workshop led by Bill Blank. The dynamic, interactive workshop helped staff better understand their individual qualities and characteristics that they bring to the office.

Bill Blank, Career Services, describes the program as such: we all have different needs and motivations, as well as differing ways of analyzing and responding to situations. These differences can sometimes create natural barriers to interpersonal communications and interactions resulting in misunderstandings or even resistance to working with one another.

Using colors as a metaphor, four patterns of human behavior were discussed and assessed. Employees were able to identify their primary color along with their preferred way of interacting with the world around them (supervisors, peers, and even students). Based on the MBTI, True Colors was developed by David Keirsey as a fun and easy tool to use for both personal and professional development to enhance relationships and create harmonious environments.

Staff not only included USPS staff members, but A&P, graduate students, student assistants, and OPS personnel from SDES.











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Orange

- Fun
- Adventure
- Risk-Taking
- Impulsive
- Outgoing
- Challenging







