

STPP Next Steps

Develop core curriculum:

Eventual Target: 4 course concentration

Core STPP Course (similar to Harvard)
STPP Seminar (more issue-focused)
Two-Course Sequence (economics+statistics+policy)

2004-2005:

Develop Core STPP Course (fall term)
Run STPP Seminar (winter term)
Explore development of economics+statistics+policy sequence

Conduct comprehensive survey of existing university resources

Existing "issue" courses
Possible faculty involvement
Develop survey to assess student interest

Summer-2004: (Graduate student support)

Faculty resources

One senior faculty (established scientist with strong policy interests)
One junior faculty

Begin recruiting effort in 2004-2005 (opportunistic)

Possible Funding Opportunities

- i) IGERT proposal?
- ii) Specific foundation support (Sloan)

Develop proposals in Summer-2004

Market Segmentation:

PhD Concentration
MPP Concentration
Package program into a single year (like MPH)
Structure as an executive program for mid-career (akin to Bus Ad)
Package as post-doc traineeship (3-6month intensive program)