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Institutional Data: Revised Taulbee Groupings, New Data and Services, Data Buddies, and More

Panelists: **Stu Zweben**, Ohio State U., Taulbee Survey
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Tracy Camp, CO School of Mines, Data Buddies

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Potential discussion questions (1)

- ❖ How do *you* (or your colleagues) use Taulbee or TauRUs data?
 - resource requests (e.g., to dean)?
 - programmatic/departmental decisions?
 - use by graduate students?
 - benchmarking for load: lab/teaching load, other quality/size of work data
 - advice you'd give to new chairs about effective data use

Potential discussion questions (2)

- ❖ What other data could/should be gathered?
 - curricular, course size?
 - departmental structure (e.g., staff, computing support)
 - student completion rates/times?
- ❖ Value/interest of gathering data similar to data reported to NRC?

Potential discussion questions (3)

- ❖ How to get more participation?
 - ❖ In Taulbee
 - ❖ In data buddies
- ❖ What would make you more likely to participate?
- ❖ How to make participation easier?