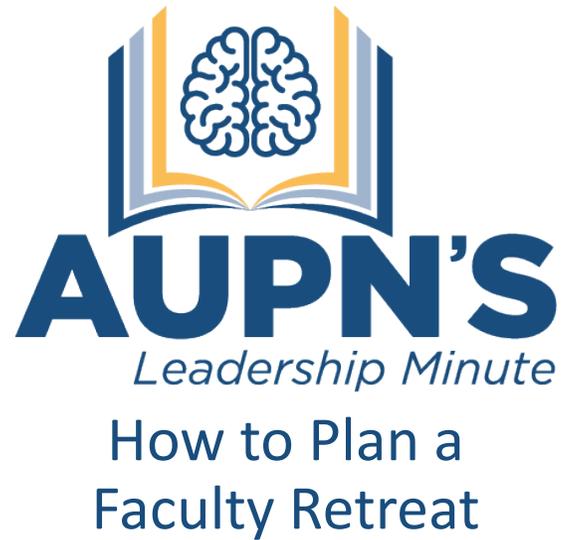




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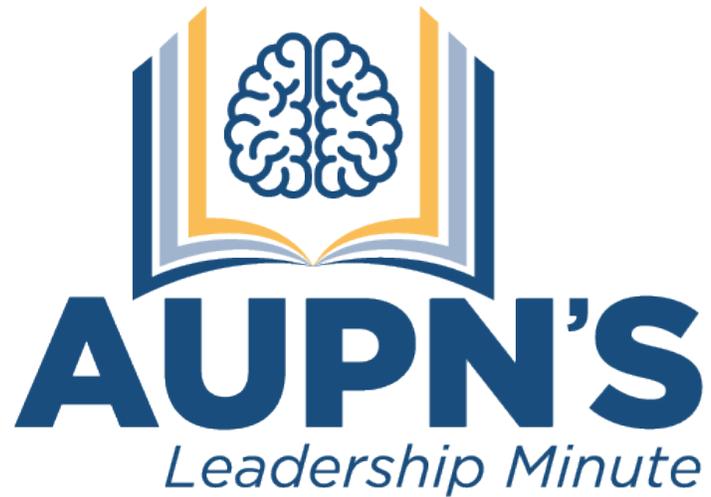


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# Tips for a faculty retreat

- Pick a theme/goal for the retreat
  - Is it a “working” retreat or a “social” retreat?
  - Is there a focus on research, education, or clinical practice?
  - Don’t try to cover too much
  - Make sure the activities fit the theme
  - Communicate the goals at the beginning and the end
- Make it interactive (not didactic)
  - All attendees should have a chance to contribute
  - Break into smaller groups if the retreat is large
- Provide food and fun



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