DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

During the allotted time, your table will be asked to discuss and record key thoughts on one of the following questions. Use the Post It Pads provided, note any comments or suggestions, and attach to the corresponding poster.

1. In the years since Reed, which has proved more important: the subject matter of the courses you took, or learning how to learn? What is your most lasting insight from your time at Reed?

2. In the aftermath of the Great Recession, careers have become a major focus of the alumni board. What, if anything, should the college do to help student transitions to “life beyond Reed”?

3. The faculty recently added an interdisciplinary major in environmental studies. Looking ahead, should Reed’s faculty consider modifying the curriculum in any other way? What do you think Reed’s curriculum should include or emphasize in the future (for instance: computer science, gender studies, study abroad)?

Comments posted will be collected and recorded on the blog post for this event. Follow the links at: reed.edu or blogs.reed.edu/riffin_griffin/2013/01/reed-on-the-road-2013/.