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Paul Hanstedt is a Professor of English at Roanoke College in Salem, Virginia. During his tenure there as Director of General Education, he led his campus in a successful curricular revision that resulted in a theme-based general education program featuring writing, quantitative reasoning, and oral communications across the curriculum.

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