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Faculty Success Newsletter

Summer Teaching Institute
Gifts of Teaching

Join us July 10-14 for this banner week of collegial connection, and the design of new courses and teaching materials. Applications are open for the two stipended ($1K) topical pathways.

- **Hybrid Teaching** – With a support network of colleagues, instructional designers, and faculty consultants, you'll explore the opportunities and challenges of teaching a hybrid course. Receive an additional $1,500 stipend when your developed hybrid course is taught for the first time. Apply by May 19.
- **Access for All** – This summer, join a supportive community to explore and apply Universal Design for higher education, and build flexibility into the architecture of your courses. We'll also offer practical support to make existing course content more accessible. Apply by May 19.

EVENTS & WORKSHOPS



Duck In: Claim your seat! Ever wish you could see José Melendez empower students as agents of change? Keli Yerian energize a large class learning how to learn languages? Raghu Parthasarathy break down how physicists think? Maile Hutterer use collaborative learning to help students appreciate medieval art? Jon Bellona flip the classroom as students play, record, and mix music?

They are among 22 wonderful colleagues who have opened seats in their classes during Week 7 (May 15-18) to share their inclusive teaching strategies in action and build faculty community around teaching. Claim your seat and get inspirational ideas!

Duck In

Claim your Seat!
Week 7, May 15-18

Choose from 22 colleagues across campus who have opened their classrooms for observation.

Teaching and Artificial Intelligence Systems

Insights and Strategy Panel
Thursday, May 11
1:00 to 2:30pm
EMU Ballroom

A panel of UO faculty will share insights on how AI systems work, their relationship with big data, and emerging considerations for the future.

UO Online Explores Series

Regular and Substantive Interaction
Friday, May 19
1:30 to 3:00pm
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Ongoing Events

Science Teaching Journal Club
Thursdays at 9:00am
LISB 217 or via Zoom

Neurodivergent Instructors Affinity Group
Friday, May 12
2:00 to 3:00pm on Zoom

UO Online Explores: This spring series will helping students flourish in online and hybrid courses will conclude with a workshop on Regular and Substantive Interaction, a criteron for online courses. Online students flourish when instructors engage with them in meaningful ways. Register to join us on May 19 as we explore what it means when regular and substantive interactions guide student learning in your online class.

Teaching and Artificial Intelligence Systems: Insights and Strategies: A panel of UO faculty will share insights on how AI systems work on May 11, including their relationship with big data and emerging considerations for the future of teaching and learning, such as ways we can help students learn to interact with these systems critically, creatively, and ethically. Panelists will include Ramón Alvarado (Philosophy), Colin Koopman (Philosophy), Rebekah Hanley (Law), and Phil Colbert (Computer Science).

Neurodivergent Instructors Affinity Group: This recurring, virtual affinity-group discussion is a space for neurodivergent instructors (including umbrella neurodivergence like autism, ADHD, dyslexia, bipolar, etc.) to positively connect and share resources, strategies, questions, and scholarship around things that matter to you. Register here for upcoming meeting dates:

- Friday, May 12, 2-3pm: Dealing with multiple projects (teaching, research, service) when you are at capacity
- Monday, May 22, 11-12pm: Calibrating our energy—being in "flow" and preventing burnout
- Friday, June 16, 2-3pm: Identifying how institutions can create a more supportive climate

RESOURCES

Prepare for mid-term exams: Take advantage of the tools and resources that UO Online makes available during midterms:

- **Exam proctoring for online classes:** These services have been temporarily relocated to rooms 041 and 042 of Knight Library during construction of a new, combined site for testing services. If you use the UO Online Exam Center to proctor exams for your online class, please advise students of this temporary location change.
- **Adjusting setting for Canvas exams:** If you have created Canvas exams to be timed or time-limited, you may need to adjust settings for students with accessibility accommodations. Moderating Quizzes to Allow for Additional Time and Attempts will guide you through the process.
- **Need more assistance with Canvas exam settings?** Walk-in support is available weekdays from 8:30am to 4:30pm in PLC 68. You can also call 541-346-1942 or email UO Online for assistance.

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Hybrid Teaching Pathway
Apply by May 19

Access for All Pathway
Apply by May 19

AWARDS & OPPORTUNITIES

Environment Initiative Curriculum Seed Funding
Apply by May 8

Book Publication Award
Apply by Dec 31

Professional Development: Academic Impressions

Leading Change From Where You Are: Strategies for Faculty

Maximize Your Public Speaking by Overcoming Your Discomfort

Schedule a Consultation

UO Online and TEP are here to support all aspects of your teaching.

Academic Impressions: Login to access free professional development resources.

- 2-hr virtual training: Leading Change From Where You Are: Strategies for Faculty
- 1.5-hr virtual training: Maximize Your Public Speaking by Overcoming Your Discomfort

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