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Teaching with Technology Track

All Sessions located in LRC-136 (Training Studio)
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Tuesday, August 13, 2019

8:30 - 9:00 AM	Breakfast
9:00 - 9:50 AM	<p>What's New with Distance Education? Welcome Back! There is so much going on in the world of DE we want to provide an overview of local, district, and statewide updates, software purchases, committee trends, and policy changes for the new Academic Year. <i>*web-Conferencing available via Conferzoom in the DE Faculty Hub: https://tinyurl.com/defacultyhub</i></p>
10:00 - 10:50 AM	<p>Lights, Camera, Action! Getting Started Camtasia Video Editor Are you looking for a way to capture a step-by-step process, record a lesson, talk over a slide show, or demonstrate a problem or solution for your students? Camtasia could be your next software adventure! Through the recommendation of DDEAC (District Distance Educational Advisory Committee) the district has purchased the professional version of Camtasia which provides screencasting, editing layouts, quizzing, and other interactive features. We will give you an overview, information on where you can use it and request your own copy (for your vcccd computer).</p>
11:00 - 11:50 AM	<p>Go Green with the New Canvas Accessibility Tool You may have noticed red, orange, yellow, or green dials next to your Canvas course files. That's the handywork of the new VCCCD accessibility tool that helps convert course files into accessible formats. This session will cover the top five ways you can improve ADA compliance in your course materials and show you how to earn badges for getting your syllabus and first week materials green lit.</p>
12:00 - 1:00 PM	Lunch
1:00 - 1:50 PM	<p>Peer Online Course Review Panel Discussion Do you know what the Peer Online Course Review (POCR) process is? It's not a card game, and it is definitely not an evaluation. It's a chance for self-reflection to improve your online courses for your students. This session will discuss how to leverage the wisdom of other online instructors across disciplines by implementing the Peer Online Course Review process developed by the CVC-OEI. We will talk about steps for becoming a course reviewer and submitting courses for voluntary review with supportive peer feedback, instructional design guidance, and help with accessibility alignment. Our panel includes experts such as CVC-OEI peer reviewer Meg Phelps, instructors who have participated in the review process, and our local instructional technologist designers.</p>



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8:30 - 9:00 AM	Breakfast
9:00 - 10:30 AM	<p>Teacher Presence in Your Online Course</p> <p>Based on a chapter from our summer reading "The Online Teaching Survival Guide" (Boettcher & Conrad), we will explore ways to increase instructor presence in an online course. By examining Social, Teaching, and Cognitive presence we will rethink how to organize online courses into four key phases. We also have a few copies left in our VC DE Teaching and Learning Library, so you can check one out today!</p>
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM	<p>Canvas for On-Campus Courses</p> <p>Do you want to improve communications with your students in on-ground courses? Do you feel like you are optimizing the Gradebook? Would announcements to your students and the Canvas messaging system help you reach your students on their mobile devices? This lab session is for instructors who are interested in using Grades, Announcements, and Posting Materials in Canvas for their on-campus courses.</p> <p><i>*web-Conferencing available via Conferzoom in the DE Faculty Hub: https://tinyurl.com/defacultyhub</i></p>
12:00 - 2:45 PM	<p>Working Lunch & Open Studio: Fall 2019 DE Prepathon</p> <p>Are you looking for time to chat with an Instructional Technologist / Designer? Do you need a cool workspace with great wifi and privacy? Are you interested in hanging out in our LRC Studio to see what is new in online education? Are you prepping your class with last minute questions? The LRC Training Studio will be available with instructional technologist / designers to help you with technical and design needs for your Fall 2019 courses.</p> <p><i>*web-Conferencing available via Conferzoom in the DE Faculty Hub: https://tinyurl.com/defacultyhub</i></p>
3:00 - 3:30 PM	<p>The New Canvas Gradebook</p> <p>There is a new gradebook coming to Canvas Spring 2020. In this session, we will highlight key new features and show you how to gain early access so you can test it out before there's no turning back!</p> <p><i>*web-Conferencing available</i></p>
4:30- 5:20 PM	<p>Canvas for On-Campus Courses (Bonus Session)</p> <p>Do you want to improve communications with your students in on-ground courses? Do you feel like you are optimizing the Gradebook? Would announcements to your students and the Canvas messaging system help you reach your students on their mobile devices? This lab session is for instructors who are interested in using Grades, Announcements, and Posting Materials in Canvas for their on-campus courses.</p>
6:00 - 7:30 PM	New Part-Time Faculty Orientation w/ Niki Milani

Thursday, August 15, 2019

3:00 - 3:50 PM	<p>What's New with Distance Education? (Encore Session)</p> <p>Welcome Back! There is so much going on in the world of DE we want to provide an overview of local, district, and statewide updates, software purchases, committee trends, and policy changes for the new Academic Year.</p> <p><i>*web-Conferencing available via Conferzoom in the DE Faculty Hub: https://tinyurl.com/defacultyhub</i></p>
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