Professional Development Opportunities
Summer 2019
Ann Arbor campus

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CUAA Scholarship Boot Camp

Tuesday May 28, 10:00—4:00 in Krieger 101
Deadline to register: Thursday, May 23 at 5:00pm Registration link

Do you have goals to research, write, or produce scholarship this summer—a journal article, conference presentation, book chapter, or dissertation? Would you like to learn what projects your colleagues are working on? Then come get a jump-start on your goals and faculty scholarship projects first thing after Memorial Day. Come as you are; arrive and leave, as you need to. The goal of this time is to produce tangible work. We provide the space, beverages, a lunch, and you supply the focus and attention to projects.

Schedule:
10:00—12:00: Individual work
12:00—12:45: Lunch and conversation about our projects
1:00—4:00: Individual work

Writing Support Available: 30-minute slots available at 10:30, 11:00, 11:30, 3:00 and 3:30
Statistical Planning and Analysis Support Available: 30-minute slots available at 1:00pm, 1:30pm, 2:00pm to meet with Angela Walmsley, via Zoom

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CITG Grant Applications Due June 1st

The 2019-2020 Concordia Intramural Teaching Grant (CITG) application form is now available on the forms repository, on the CELT portal channel, and on the CELT website. Applications are due June 1, 2019. This is a grant related to a teaching innovation in a course to be taught by full-time faculty members at either campus in the academic year 2019-2020. The grant can be connected to a scholarship of teaching and learning project for which recipients can receive a $500 stipend.

Please contact Elizabeth Evans, CELT Director, with questions at x4283 or Elizabeth.evans@cuw.edu.

Developing Evaluation and Assessment Leaders (DEAL) for Faculty and Staff

Tuesdays June 11, June 25, July 9, July 23, 9:00—10:00 am via Zoom Registration link

At Concordia, faculty and staff are involved in evaluation processes and continuous improvement in many different ways. For those new to this work, or wanting a refresher, a series of four 1-hour sessions over Zoom this summer will provide an opportunity for learning and conversation about continuous improvement, assessment resources, best practices, the Concordia cycle of assessment, why we find this work valuable. Leadership in assessment is leadership in change. . . Please join us.

ALCF Conference Announcement and Call for Papers—Proposals due August 1

The 83rd Annual Conference of the Association of Lutheran College Faculties (ALCF) will be held at Wittenberg University in Springfield, Ohio, Friday October 4 and Saturday October 5, 2019. The theme is "Remaking Ourselves: The Impact of Human Creativity on Humanity and the World." All Concordia faculty are welcome to attend and submit proposals for the only inter-disciplinary, peer-reviewed conference for faculty teaching at one of the 38 Lutheran colleges and universities. The call for papers is now open and **proposals are due August 1, 2019.** For more information, including the form for submitting proposals, visit: https://www.wittenberg.edu/alcf

Faculty Scholarship Week

The 2019 Faculty Scholarship Week takes place Wednesday, November 6 in the Kreft Arts Recital hall. Includes posters and presentations.

Deadline to submit abstractions is **Friday September 13, 2019.**

Contact Jan Weisenbach with questions.

Respondus LockDown Browser

Streamed from the Mequon campus to your computer via Zoom. All times are Eastern.

Wednesday June 19, 11:30—12:30 Registration link
Thursday July 18, 1:00—2:00 Registration link
Learn how to use Respondus LockDown Browser, a deterrent to cheating, for a test in Blackboard when the instructor is in the room during the test. When using LockDown Browser, students cannot print, make screen captures, access other web pages, or access other applications while taking the exam.

June—July Blackboard Sessions

Streamed from the Mequon campus to your computer via Zoom. All times are Eastern.
Blackboard Basics
Tuesday June 11, 1:00—2:00 Registration link
Monday July 8, 1:00—2:00 Registration link
Learn how to log in and find your courses, add a folder, upload a document, create an Assignment ("drop box"), set up the grade center, open course for students, copy a course.

Blackboard Tests and Rubrics
Thursday June 13, 1:00—2:00 Registration link
Tuesday July 9, 11:30—12:30 Registration link
Learn how to create online tests using a variety of test questions. Learn how to create electronic rubrics you can attach to drop boxes and other assignments.

Blackboard More Tools
Wednesday July 17, 2:00—3:00 Registration link
Learn how to embed YouTube videos, discussion forums, email/course messages, and add the Panopto tool.

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