

Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning

June 2008



Workshops

101 Tips for Teaching Large Classes

How do we maintain our standards for excellent teaching and effective learning when teaching large or even very large classes? Come to this workshop to share your ideas and learn new perspectives.

June 16, 11:00-12:00

“Second Life” as a Teaching Tool

The persistent online world of Second Life offers 3-D virtual interaction through avatars. Come for a roundtable discussion and brainstorming session of how this tool, rapidly gaining in popularity, could be used to augment your classes, whether you are teaching in WebCT or face-to-face.

June 13, 2:00-3:00

Strategies to Internationalize Teaching & Learning

We will discuss curricular and instructional techniques that add an international dimension to your teaching and student learning.

June 10, 9:00-10:00

Turnitin.com Workshop

Grad advisors and teachers, come sign up for a Turnitin account, learn how and when to use it, and engage in a discussion about its effectiveness in preventing plagiarism and promoting academic integrity.

June 12, 9:00-10:30

June 23, 1:00-2:30

June 26, 2:00-3:30

Wikis, Blogs, Podcasts, Facebook, RSS, YouTube and More

We'll provide an introduction and overview of emerging technologies that offer new ways to communicate and interact electronically with your students. Learn what blogs, wikis, podcasts, and RSS feeds are, and learn how to use them for your classes. We'll also explore ways to use YouTube, Facebook, digg, del.icio.us, Google Alerts, AuthorPoint, Camtasia, and a myriad of other online tools.

June 12, 10:30-11:30

New Faculty Orientations

New faculty members at UCF participate in two required orientations, each having very different purposes: The Human Resources New Faculty Benefits and Payroll Orientation is where you will complete the paperwork necessary for those two very important areas, and the New Faculty Academic Orientation (August 18-20) is where you will learn about various policies and procedures (including Tenure and Promotion) that impact your various roles as members of the UCF Faculty.



*Here's what's happening this month at the Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning.
Make plans to join us!*

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For more information please go to www.fctl.ucf.edu/calendar

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