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**INSTITUTE FOR TEACHING  
AND LEARNING EXCELLENCE**

*Supporting faculty in the creation and development of high-impact learning opportunities*



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## 1. PREPARE AND MAINTAIN A CLASSROOM OF CARE

Start by reading last week's Faculty Focus by Dr. [Lauren E. Burrow](#) regarding learning environments centered on care, mutual respect, and relationship building. Dr. Burrow shares four quick activities that you can bring into your classroom today in order to start the semester off on the right foot!

[Read More](#)

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## 2. SCHOLARSHIP OF TEACHING AND LEARNING

This workshop focuses on the hallmarks of effective teaching in higher education. It is appropriate for those wishing to hone the craft of university teaching and those wanting a research-informed foundation before undertaking peer mentoring.

[Register Here](#)

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## 3. BUILDING A COMMUNITY OF LEARNERS

When students feel a sense of social belonging in an atmosphere that projects kindness and respect, they are more motivated and engaged. Use these one-page assignments at the beginning of the semester to help build classroom community.

[PDF Guide](#)



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## 4. VIRTUAL CANVAS TRAINING - SPRING 2023

There is still time to register for the Canvas learning management system training. This training will be conducted via Zoom on Jan. 19. A link to the webinar will be sent in the confirmation notice.

### Canvas Quizzes: The New and the Classic

Learn the difference between these assessment tools in Canvas and the basic steps of setting up each.

*Jan. 19, 1-2:30 p.m.*

[Register Here](#)

### Canvas Tips

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## 5. PREPARING ONLINE INSTRUCTORS - SPRING 2023

This six-week workshop, from **Jan. 30 to March 10**, is designed to help faculty prepare to meet the challenges and embrace online teaching opportunities. This workshop is facilitated to provide faculty with the knowledge and skills necessary to effectively teach in an online environment. Structured as a fully online offering, participants can expect to work independently and as part of a cohort.

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## 6. INCLUSIVE TEACHING

In this workshop series facilitated by Drs. Kristi Dickey and Gina Morris, you will investigate the development of learning environments that are accessible and equitable for all. This event starts on Jan. 30.

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### Need Help with Your Course

#### Design?

As you begin the semester, remember that

### Have Questions About

#### Teaching Online?

Contact ITLE for assistance with your

ITLE teaching support specialists are happy to assist. You can reach out to [kdickey@okstate.edu](mailto:kdickey@okstate.edu) or [gina.morris@okstate.edu](mailto:gina.morris@okstate.edu) for assistance.

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