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## 2021 Teaching with Technology Conference

### 1. 2021 VIRTUAL TEACHING WITH TECHNOLOGY CONFERENCE

Conference: 8:30 a.m. to noon June 23 Online

[Register Here](#)

[PDF Flyer](#)

Learn how to use educational technologies to teach effectively and engage students in a variety of settings, from online to hybrid to traditional face-to-face. Hear from instructors who have successfully implemented technology-based solutions in their classes to help students succeed.



## 2. VIRTUAL BIG 12 TEACHING AND LEARNING CONFERENCE

June 10-11 Online

[Register Here](#)

[Website](#)

In today's interconnected and networked world, we can engage in discussion with individuals across the globe and access diverse opportunities to learn about, and from, each other. Many college and university units, however, have reported difficulties in knowing where or how to build on the potential of these opportunities for collaboration, cross-campus dialogues and projects. Join your Big 12 colleagues to discuss how to best keep students engaged in alternative course delivery formats and what their lasting impact will be on the future of higher education.

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## 3. FALL 2021 VIRTUAL GTA CONFERENCE

This virtual event will occur on Wednesday, Aug. 11 from 9:00 a.m. to noon. An agenda will be provided as we get closer to the fall semester. There will be multiple breakout sessions available.

9 a.m. to noon Aug. 11 Online

[Register Here](#)

## 4. COMBINE COURSE SECTIONS IN CANVAS



Course sections within Canvas for Summer & Fall of 2021 can be combined upon request. To request a combination of two or more course sections, send an email to [canvas@okstate.edu](mailto:canvas@okstate.edu) with the names of the courses as they currently appear in Canvas including the five-digit CRN code.

Example:

Please combine the courses below.

ABCD-1234-12345

ABCD-1234-12346

Please be aware that only the materials, submissions, etc. from one section can be preserved during the combining process. Because of this, it is not recommended to combine sections once a semester has begun.

[More Canvas Tips](#)

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## Self-Paced Online Teaching Workshop

This self-paced online teaching workshop covers a variety of topics such as outcome-oriented course design, engaging online learners, creating an online activity and assessment plan and more. Whether you are new to online teaching or need a refresher, this course is designed to meet your needs in a flexible format. While working through modules in the workshop, participants will create an Online Learning Assessment Portfolio, which will be submitted to the instructor upon completion of the final module. After receiving your portfolio, the instructor will set up a time to discuss your experience in the workshop with a one-on-one video conference.

[Self-Paced Online Teaching Workshop Syllabus PDF](#)

[Register Here](#)

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## Need Help with Your Course Design?

As you begin creating your upcoming courses, remember that ITLE teaching support specialists are happy to assist. Although we are not in our offices every day, we are still available to help with all aspects of online teaching. Contact us at [kdickey@okstate.edu](mailto:kdickey@okstate.edu), [gina.morris@okstate.edu](mailto:gina.morris@okstate.edu), or [simon.ringsmuth@okstate.edu](mailto:simon.ringsmuth@okstate.edu).

## Have Questions About Teaching Online?

Contact ITLE for assistance with your online teaching questions.

Phone: (405) 744-1000

Email: [canvas@okstate.edu](mailto:canvas@okstate.edu)

## Shifting to Online Teaching

With a shift to teaching a course online, instructors need a plan to produce high-quality instruction. To accomplish this, it is helpful to think about key elements of learning as you prepare. For more information visit the [Teach Online Effectively](#) webpage.

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