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CRTLE NEWSLETTER

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CRTLE Syllabus Student Learning Outcomes (SLO) Project All-Campus, All Discipline SLO Workshop #2

Wednesday, September 19
2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
CRTLE Classroom, Trinity Hall Room 105
(With the option to join online)

The CRTLE Team and Faculty Facilitators are hosting monthly workshops open to all faculty to provide guidance on writing educationally sound, effective student learning outcomes for course syllabi. These workshops are casual and interactive, and all are welcome to join! Refreshments provided for in-person attendees

RSVP SLO All Campus Workshop 2

CRTLE GUEST SPEAKER SERIES Co-sponsored with the COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Reinforcing Learning Outside of the Classroom: The Use of Smartwatches for Automatizing Spaced Testing as a Learning Reinforcement Technique

Dr. Anne Cleary
Professor of Cognitive Psychology
Colorado State University



Wednesday, October 19
3:30 pm - 4:30 pm - Presentation
4:30 pm - 6:00 pm - Reception with drinks and heavy appetizers
Trinity Hall Room 104 or Hybrid via Teams

Join us for this guest speaker event with Dr. Anne Cleary as she shares her research in cognitive psychology as applied to teaching and learning in higher education, and specifically how smartwatches encourage spaced retrieval. Dr. Cleary's body of research focuses on human memory, retrieval failure, residual memory during retrieval failure, subjective experiences of memory, deja vu, and tip-of-the-tongue experiences.

Access this link for more information on Dr. Cleary's research [Human Memory](#) and here on her research laboratory [Human Memory Laboratory](#).

RSVP below and indicate in-person or online attendance

RSVP CRTLE-COED Guest Speaker

Visit Us in Trinity Hall October 25!

Studio Open House

11:30 am - 1:30 pm
Trinity Hall Studio Room 119

Join us in Trinity Hall for an *Open House* tour of the Digital Course Production Studio in room 119. We will tour the studio every half hour and have conversations about how you would like to use the space. **Lunch will be provided in the CRTLE Classroom, Trinity room 105.**

Questions? Email elarningtm@uta.edu

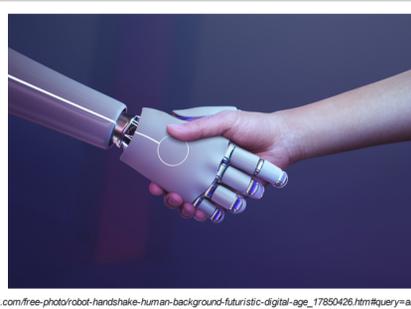


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AI and Learning Analytics: Understanding the Impact on Teaching and Learning

Thursday, October 27
2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
CRTLE Classroom, Trinity Hall Room 105
(With the option to join online)

Presenters:

Dr. George Siemens, Department of Psychology
Dr. Pete Smith, University Analytics

A key mission of UTA is to engage in data driven discovery. Over the past decade, data science has impacted all aspects of higher education, including administration, research, and teaching. The data generated by students and professors can provide important insights into how learning occurs and how learners can be better supported. More recently, interest has turned to the role of AI in shaping the future of humanity. In educational settings, AI remains hyped, but new advances are increasingly promising a dramatic impact in creating adaptive pathways, providing automated feedback, and even developing profiles of learners as they move through their university experience and into the labor market.

This session will review the current state of learning analytics at UTA and explore the needed technical and skills-based infrastructure to ensure UTA takes a leadership role in AI to support learning. Refreshments provided to in-person attendees.

RSVP below and indicate in-person or online attendance

RSVP AI and Learning Analytics Seminar



CRTLE Faculty Lounge Culturally Sustaining Pedagogy in College Teaching and Learning

Monday, October 31
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm
CRTLE Classroom

Trinity Hall Room 105 or Hybrid via Teams

Led By: Dr. Carla Amaro-Jimenez, Department of Curriculum and Instruction, CRTLE Faculty Coordinator/Facilitator Inclusive Education

The CRTLE Faculty Lounge, led by Faculty Facilitators and/or CRTLE Team members, features unique topics, workshops, informal conversation, and exchange of great teaching ideas. This month we address creating and maintaining an inclusive, equitable classroom teaching environment that is responsive to our diverse population of UTA students.

Attending online via Teams is also available
Lunch is provided for in-person attendees

RSVP CRTLE Faculty Lounge

Peer Observation of Teaching

Interactive Training Sessions for Faculty with Certificate

Wednesday, November 9
12:00 pm - 1:30 pm
Q&A/Discussion - 2:00 pm
CRTLE Classroom, Trinity Hall Room 105
(With the option to join online)

Lunch provided for in-person attendees

CRTLE is leading a second Peer Observation session this semester to prepare faculty for conducting observations and completing the proper documentation for the *Formal Peer Observation of Teaching* now needed for many non-tenure track faculty and as a requirement for tenure-track and tenured faculty by the UT System.

If you attended peer observation training more than 5 years ago, things have changed! We recommend attending to update your knowledge.

A certificate of completion will be provided to attendees as a **Certified Peer Observer**.

RSVP below and indicate in-person or online attendance

RSVP Peer Observation with Certificate

CRTLE News and Upcoming Events



2022 Outstanding Assessment Practitioner Award

Dr. Andrew Clark, CRTLE

We are proud to announce that Dr. Andrew Clark, Associate Director of

CRTLE, QEP Director, and Professor in the Department of Communication received the **2022 UTA Outstanding Assessment Practitioner Award** from the Office of Institutional Effectiveness and Reporting. This award recognizes his outstanding work on the university's Quality Enhancement Plan as part of our university's SACSCOC accreditation, as well as evaluation work within his department on Unit Effectiveness. **Congratulations!!**

CRTLE Partners in Supporting Teaching Excellence

Center for Distance Education (CDE)

Join the UTA Center for Distance Education (CDE) for trainings on Canvas, Ally, and more! The calendar of trainings offered by CDE and sign-up links are [here](#).

Office of Information Technology (OIT)

Our Office of Information Technology (OIT) offers trainings on Teams, MyMav, and other tools. Access the OIT training schedule and sign-up links [here](#).

Educational Technology Support Services

Need classroom technology support? Go to their website [here](#) or contact their office: classroomsupport@uta.edu.

Coming Soon in CRTLE

November 10: Syllabus Learning Outcomes Workshop Session #3

November 15: Accessibility Seminar - Teaching Students with Low Vision and Hearing Loss/Hard of Hearing

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