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UTA CRTLE NEWSLETTER

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Deadline Extended for CRTLE Seed Grant Proposals

The Center for Research on Teaching and Learning Excellence (CRTLE) together with Collaborate UTA (our Quality Enhancement Plan) have *extended the deadline* to submit proposals for the Research Seed Grant Competition on the scholarship of teaching. These grants provide funds for faculty to examine outcomes of innovative practices and/or teamwork in teaching and learning at UTA.

The new deadline is 5:00 pm Friday, April 10, 2020:

[Access the Research Seed Grant Proposal Guidelines Here](#)

Continuing Online Course Support

Faculty Helping Faculty Teams Site

Join this Teams group where UTA faculty along with CRTLE and CDE staff support one another by exchanging best online teaching strategies, asking/answering questions, and sharing online teaching experiences.

Join the Teams Site Here:

[UTA Faculty Helping Faculty](#)

More Online Events and Resources

Hover over and access the tools at each "click here" below.

Access to the Online Training Calendar and Recordings of Past Events

[Click for CRTLE Website](#)

Open Labs

Do you need 1-1 help with your online course? Faculty help is available during our Open Labs. Reserve a session with CRTLE or CDE to help you navigate Canvas, Teams, and other online teaching tools.

CRTLE Open Lab

Wednesdays 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

To register for an individualized session, please fill out the form at the link below.

[Register](#)

CDE Open Lab

Fridays 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM

To register for an individualized session, please fill out the form at the link below.

[Register](#)

Drop-In Virtual Events Sponsored by the UTA Libraries

[Click for UTA Libraries](#)

Pivoting to Online Teaching: Research and Practitioner Perspectives

[Click here](#)

Moving Your Course Online: When Campus Closes

[Click here](#)

UTA Library Guides (FlipGrid, Course Reserves, and other tools)

[Click here](#)

Online Course Trainings by CDE

Presenter: Joseph Rutledge

Import Exams to Canvas with Respondus Test Authoring

Tuesday, March 31, 10:00 am – 11:30 am

Access Here: <https://zoom.us/j/264616305>

Respondus 4.0® is a powerful tool for creating and managing exams that can be published directly to Canvas. Exams can be created in the Windows environment. Import questions from Word documents or create questions directly in Respondus 4.0®, preview your exams, then publish directly to your Canvas course. You can also Import tests from The Respondus Test Bank Network® which contains thousands of test banks for the leading textbooks in higher education.

Canvas Quizzes and Lockdown Browser

Wednesday, April 1, 2:00 pm – 3:30 pm

Access Here: <https://zoom.us/j/522265328>

Create exams in your Canvas course with Canvas Quizzes. This session will help you create tests and quizzes in Canvas, use question banks, and how to add the lockdown browser to a test or quiz.

Canvas Assignments and Gradebook

Thursday, April 2, 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Access Here: <https://zoom.us/j/718349513>

Create assignments in Canvas where your students can submit course work online. In this session, you will learn to create and grade assignments in Canvas. We will also cover discuss using Assignment Groups to calculate a final course grade and grade book navigation.

Studio: Video in Canvas

Thursday, April 2, 2:00 pm – 3:30 pm

Access Here: <https://zoom.us/j/781632208>

Studio is a communication tool that allows instructors and students to actively collaborate through video and audio media. This session will cover recording a video from your desktop or webcam, Uploading a video from your computer or YouTube, adding Closed Captions to your recordings, and adding videos to your course.

UTA Remote

[Click here](#)

Make Echo 360 Sessions on your Own Computer

[Click here](#)



Save the Date!

CRTLE Faculty Showcase: A Celebration of Teaching Excellence

When: April 24, 2020

Where: Online

CRTLE is planning a virtual, conference-style event to share best online and on-campus teaching practices and to celebrate faculty excellence in teaching at UTA. **Details are forthcoming!**

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