

The official newsletter of Humber's Innovative Learning Team

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Welcome to all Full-Time and Part-Time Humber Faculty! We are excited to welcome you and hope you can join us for Orientation week. Please visit our website to learn more and to register for Orientation week activities.

Orientation Week Schedule

Monday, August 23

All New Faculty Welcome

Monday, August 23 & Wednesday, August 25

New Part Time Faculty Orientation: Teaching and Learning at Humber

New Full-time Faculty Orientation: Teaching Excellence Program (invite only)

Thursday, August 26 & Friday, August 27

ED-Venture Days: 2 Day Online Conference

All New Faculty Welcome Monday, August 23: 10-11 am

Humber is a leader in polytechnic education, and has identified five core institutional values: Courage, Equity, Innovation, Health & Wellbeing, and Sustainability. Each of these values guides the work that we do.

We invite you to an online welcome session for all new full- and part-time faculty. During the session, you will meet members of Humber's executive leadership team, learn about our institutional priorities and learner-centered focus, and find out about the training and resources available to you as a faculty member.

New Full-time Faculty Orientation: Teaching Excellence Program (invite only)

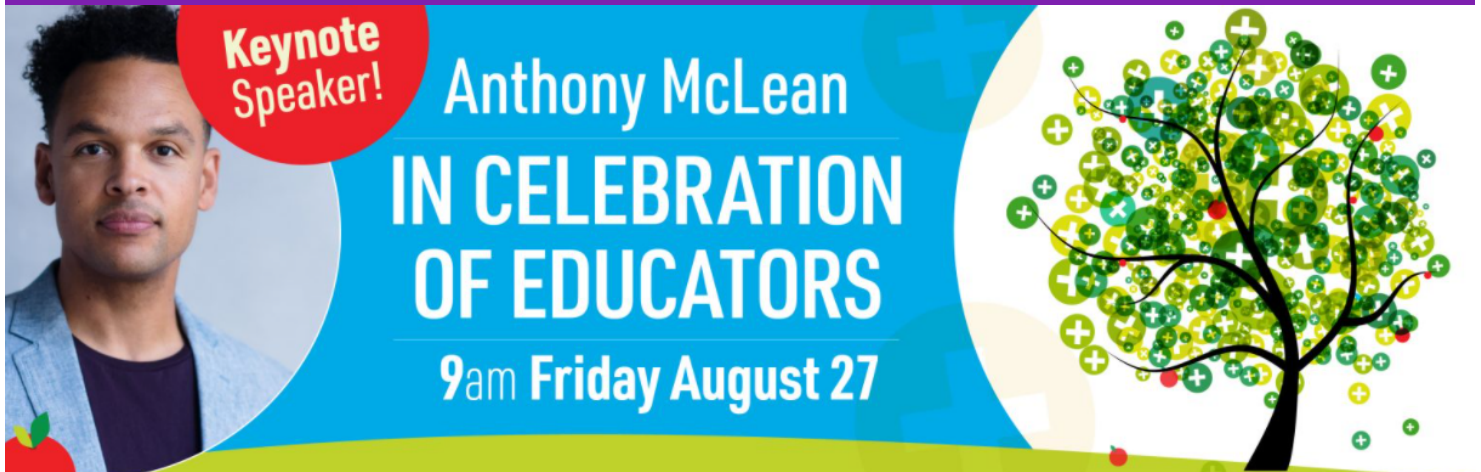
Humber's Teaching + Learning endeavours to create and facilitate authentic and meaningful faculty development experiences that promote and support teaching excellence. Members of the Teaching + Learning professional learning team will introduce you to the Teaching Excellence Program (TEP) and facilitate two online workshops focused on teaching methodology and organization in the college classroom.

New Part-Time Faculty Orientation: Teaching and Learning at Humber Monday, August 23: 1-3 pm

Wednesday, August 25: 10 am-12 pm

Humber's Teaching + Learning endeavours to create and facilitate authentic and meaningful faculty development experiences that promote and support teaching excellence. During this year's Part-time Faculty Orientation, members of the Teaching + Learning professional learning team will share resources and information about the supports available to instructors as they start their journey at Humber. This will be an opportunity to get to know the Teaching + Learning team, ask questions, share ideas, tips and strategies for the first week and beyond, and connect with your colleagues. Additionally, we will be joined by a partial load instructor who will share her experience as Humber faculty.

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Keynote Address: In Celebration of Educators

This is an encouraging, morale-boosting talk to inspire educators who give their best every day. Teachers and administrators are often overwhelmed and sometimes feel burnt out by the end of the week. In the midst of a busy year, it's easy to forget that the daily interactions we have with students are some-times the most valuable moments of our day.

In this laugh-out-loud presentation, Anthony McLean tells funny and inspiring stories about the teachers and administrators who changed his life by acknowledging his effort, encouraging his strengths, and pushing him to give his best. Every educator needs this reminder – the reward for not giving up on our students is the ability to make a difference and change the world one student at a time.

Keynote Speaker: Anthony McLean

Anthony McLean has delivered hundreds of inspiring talks across Canada, including at McMaster University and the University of Regina, and in the United States. Anthony has been featured in the documentary films Colour Me, SOAR, and Rising Above. Anthony is an accomplished actor and performer, he has a background in theatre and is well-versed in topics related to mental health, diversity, and anti-racism.



Kicking off Season 2: Meet Anthony McLean

Catch a preview of Anthony's Keynote as he chats about hip hop, early school experiences, and how he creates a safe learning space.

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Registration
now open!

August 26–27

FACULTY
ED-VENTURE DAYS



Thursday, August 26, 2021

9–10:30 am: Go The Distance with Library Assistance

10:30 am–12 pm: UDL Tech Tools to Support Inclusion and Engagement

1:30–3 pm: An Introduction to Research and Innovation at Humber

1:30–3 pm: Preparing for the Move to Blackboard Ultra

3–4:30 pm : Making Inclusive and Accessible Videos

4:30–5:30 pm: Developing HLO Mindsets Through Interconnections: EDI, Sustainability, and Systems Thinking

Friday, August 27, 2021

9–10:15 am: **KEYNOTE** Anthony McLean "In Celebration of Educators"

10:30 am–12 pm: Designing Lesson Plans for Engagement

12–1:30 pm: Preparing for the Move to Blackboard Ultra

2–3 pm: Level UP - Academic Accommodations and Accessibility for the Teaching Mindframe

3–4:30 pm: Faculty Self-Care

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