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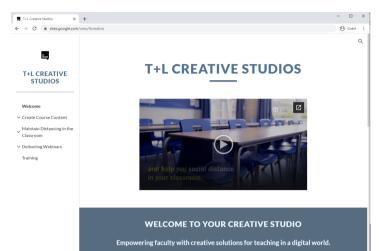
Your Teaching + Learning team has created a Fall Programming Catalogue, which outlines some of the various supports we will be offering this fall semester. Though we continue to support faculty remotely, we are introducing a number of new and updated initiatives this fall. <u>Please click here to open the Fall</u> <u>Catalogue pdf fil</u>e to learn more about new initiates such as these...

Communities of Practice: Back by popular demand! We are supporting a number of Communities of Practice this fall. Groups will meet regularly to engage in dialogue and share approaches and resources related to a number of topics. Most groups are open and available to all faculty.

On-Demand Training: We have developed over 40 interactive training sessions, many of which focus on online teaching and learning in particular. These sessions can be booked for smaller groups of faculty looking for support in a particular area. Sessions are scheduled according to a time that is convenient for your group and the facilitator.

3-Part Webinar Mini-Series: We are offering a number of 3-part mini-series that will offer a chance to 'dive deeper' into some of the most pressing topics we are navigating this fall, including how to handle 'hot moments' in the online classroom, and how to build out your ed-tech toolkit.

An update from the Creative Studios



The T+L Creative website has officially

launched! T+L Creative has officially launched its new website. Packed with the latest tips, tricks, and tools that can be used to support you in the creation of engaging video content, the T+L Creative website is your go-to for video-related teaching & learning support at Humber.

What you'll find:

- Information on how to create multiple types of videos, with information on how to get access to 6 different video tools.
- Looking for a way to maintain social distancing with your students while conducting demonstrations? We've got you covered.
- Tips & Tricks for delivering webinars ...and more!

We will be continuing to add lots of great resources to this site, so be sure to add it to your bookmarks.

<u>Click here to visit the new T+L Creative website</u> today!

Get In Touch with someone from the Creative Studios

Have video-related questions? Don't know where to start? Connect with the T+L Creative team, and we'll be happy to get you sorted. Fiona Tudor Price (Fiona.TudorPrice@humber.ca) Patrick Barfoot (Patrick.Barfoot@humber.ca) Darren Richards (Darren.Richards@humber.ca)

Faculty Handbook 2020-2021

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The Faculty Handbook 2020-2021 is designed to help faculty become familiar with the facilities and virtual resources available to support you at Humber. It also contains policies and procedures that will contribute to and enrich your teaching experience. <u>Click here to view or download</u> <u>a copy from the Teaching + Learning</u> <u>website, under Additional Resources.</u>

We want to hear from you! In order to be as responsive to your needs as possible, please take a moment to let us know what you need help with right now. We tailor our programming according to you!

CLICK HERE TO TELL US WHAT YOU NEED HELP WITH

Meet our new Waterloo Students!





NOYALA ISIDORE

MARIAM OMILABU

The Instructional Support Studio has another couple of incredible Waterloo coop students for the Fall semester, as you will begin to discover through introductions below. You can contact our students via email, phone or through our live virtual drop-in. You can find all their contact info on the <u>Teaching + Learning website.</u>

Hi, I'm Noyala Isidore, and I'm a Health Studies student going into my third year. This is my second co-op term and I'm so pleased to be spending it with the amazing faculty and staff here at Humber College. I haven't yet confirmed my career selection, however, I'm hoping to become a Physician's Assistant or pursue a Masters in Public Health.

Hello everyone! I'm Mariam Omilabu, and if you also love art and food then we will definitely get along. I'm currently in my third year of Health Studies with hopes of becoming a cardiologist. I look forward to helping you with your Blackboard problems the same way I will one day mend broken hearts!

A Message from one of our Instructional Designers

Every day, Teaching + Learning's Instructional Designers work with faculty members on effective ways to bring their course goals to life in this newly online world. The global response to COVID-19 required our faculty to shift their courses online extremely rapidly. This is very different than the careful methodical design of an online course over several months or even years with the aid of an instructional designer. We meet faculty who are brand new to teaching, and we also meet with experts who are interested in trying something new, or just shaking things up a bit! For instance: In the online environment, how can students work together in groups, so they can build critical collaboration skills? How can assignments be differentiated so that learners can choose how to demonstrate their learning? What does educational research data say about how to maintain engagement during a live lesson? If these sorts of issues sound similar to the ones you are facing, bring your challenge to us and we'll find a solution together. As we move through this unprecedented semester, we would love to hear from you about how things are going. These are challenging times, and as you strive to put your students' needs first, Teaching + Learning is here for you.

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