

Canvas Update | New Training Options for Faculty/Instructors

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Dear Colleagues,

I am writing with some exciting news about enhanced training opportunities for instructors.

New Offerings from Canvas

Canvas has launched an updated training series, and they have offered us the opportunity to work new sessions into our previously announced training schedule. In addition to updating sessions already on our schedule, we also are adding sessions dedicated to Quizzes, Content Development, Working With the Student Group tool, and Student Data/analytics. As with the sessions we already had scheduled, we will be able to provide access to recordings of these new sessions, as well.

Two More Sessions Added for May

We also have added two more sessions in May. On May 18th, we'll offer Content Creation, which will take you through everything you can do in the rich content editor in Canvas. This session will be repeated on May 28th. Both sessions are from 9:00 am to 10:30 am Central time. Recordings will be available in Growing With Canvas (the self-paced introduction that you have access to in Canvas), and both sessions will be repeated live throughout the summer.

As a reminder, the first training sessions start tomorrow, and live/virtual sessions are scheduled throughout the summer. You can find updated session descriptions and the full training schedule at: <https://www.slu.edu/ctl/canvas.php>

Canvas : SLU

As the University transitions from Blackboard to Canvas, the Reinert Center is taking a lead role in coordinating training and development, as well as in supporting faculty who need assistance with migrating courses.

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On this webpage, you also can sign up to work with a Course Migration Assistant to help with moving classes from Blackboard to Canvas. *Reminder: the earlier you sign up, the more support we'll be able to provide.*

I am so pleased that we are able to offer such a comprehensive and flexible set of training opportunities and resources. If you prefer live, structured training and a curriculum, we've got it. If you prefer learning on your own, we've got that, too.

Best,
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