

Center for Teaching and Learning



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HERE!

March 2024



March Newsletter Highlight Reel

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~ 2024 Spring Events ~

Session Topics:

- Asynchronous Engagement
- Extended Reality
- Effective Data Presentation
- Adobe Express
- Video Engagement
- Canvas Pages
- Canvas Tips & Tricks

Keynote Presentation:
*Personalization, Plagiarism, & Productivity:
Helping Educators Leverage AI*
Dr. Graham Clay, UNC-Chapel Hill

Moderated Panel:
KSU Perspective & Expertise on Gen AI
Vanessa Earp, Adam Lockwood & Janet Reed

AI Related Sessions:

• Image generation	• Design Process
• Translation & data privacy	• Lessons Learned
• Plagiarism or Assistant?	• Demystifying AI
• Coaching	• Creative Expression

E2 - Virtual Free Conference
March 8th, 9:00am - 2:00pm

Keynote Speaker
Graham Clay, Ph.D.
"Personalization, Plagiarism, and Productivity: Helping Educators Leverage AI"

[Click here to register for the E2 Conference](#)

Graduate College Faculty Development Series

Caring for Self While Juggling Faculty Life

April 16th 12:00p - 1:30p

[Microsoft Teams](#)

SPRING 2024 FACULTY DEVELOPMENT SERIES



**"Caring for Self,
Caring for Others"**

CARING FOR SELF WHILE JUGGLING FACULTY LIFE

Panelists:
Charmaine Crawford, Associate Professor, Department of Africana Studies
Dana Miller-Catto, Assistant Professor, Department of Psychological Sciences
Mary Ann Raghanti, Professor and Chair, Department of Anthropology
Melissa Zullo, Associate Dean and Professor, College of Public Health

4/16

12-1:30 p.m.

[Microsoft Teams](#)

~ Funding is Still Available ~

Applications for Innovation Initiative Flipping your Classroom and
Fall Teaching Scholars
Open through March 25th



Innovation Initiative Flipping your Classroom

\$1,500 Stipend

This series of 9 workshops is designed to give faculty members the opportunity to learn the skills needed to flip a course. [Read More....](#)

[Click here to apply for Innovation Initiative](#)

Teaching Scholars Program

3 Credit Hour Workload Reallocation

The Teaching Scholars Program promotes shared scholarly inquiry into teaching and learning. [Read more..](#)

[Click here to apply for the Teaching Scholars Program](#)

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**Teaching
Scholars**

~ Featured Leader ~



Eric Taylor, PhD

Department of Earth Sciences
Faculty Affiliate, Center for Teaching and Learning
Stark Campus

Eric Taylor has been an amazing leader and supporter in the Center for Teaching and Learning as a Faculty Affiliate over this past year. He has been instrumental in the roll out of the Belonging Champions communities, where he has created curriculum, led tutorials on the Ascend Survey tool, and been a wonderful leader of communities of transformation as well as leading facilitator meetings. His thoughtfulness, intelligence, and servant-leadership mindset have helped so many, and we are grateful for his leadership.

~ March Featured Educators ~



Archana Mehta

Fashion Design & Merchandising
Kent Campus

Archana is being nominated for providing meaningful examples and tools during class time with her students.



Zachary Morris

Political Science
Kent Campus

Zach has gone above and beyond in his teaching development over the past two years in seeking new opportunities to build a student-centered classroom environment that promotes critical thinking and scaffolds learning.

[**Read More about our Featured Educators**](#)

~ Teaching Recognition Awards ~



The [Teaching Recognition Awards Program](#) recognizes actions that enhance teaching and learning at Kent State University. [Read more..](#)

Congratulations to:

Bronze

Yee Lin Elaine Yuen
Mary Step
Trask Roberts (2)

Silver

Hussein Abu-Rayyash

Gold

Platinum

~ Additional Opportunities ~



[The University Teaching Council's Summer Teaching Development Grant](#)

\$9,000 10 Week Project/ \$4,500 5 Week Project

Deadline Extended to Friday, March 8th

These grants are intended to enhance student learning by engaging faculty to significantly improve teaching methods, develop curricula, or create innovative course materials. [Read more..](#)

[Click here to apply for the Summer Teaching Development Grant](#)



~ Additional Resources ~

Past Event Resources

Check out our past events page to view resources related to previous workshops. Resources may include

- workshop recordings
- presentation slides
- handouts
- links to additional resources

[Click here to view past events](#)



Educational Resources

Whether you are wanting to explore some new ideas for your course or dive deeper into an evidence-based practice.

[Click here to explore CTL resources](#)



Connect with Us:

CTL is here to support you; whether it is teaching face-to-face, remote, or a combination of both. Email ctl@kent.edu with your questions and/or set up a consultation time.

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