

Teaching in the Digital Age
CELT Professional Day

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Tuesday, August 29, 2017

9:00 a.m. – 3:15 p.m.

Crabiel Hall, Brunswick Room

9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. Welcome, and Meet the eLearning Team

9:30 a.m. – 10:45 a.m. Keynote Address

*Integrating New Literacies and Technology Tools in Instruction:
A Practical Approach*

Discover the new literacies associated with online and mobile technologies as well as the skills and competencies that are critical for success in today's connected world. Participants will also learn about a framework for incorporating new and emerging technologies into classroom instruction and explore various online and mobile tools, including the Canvas LMS, in alignment with this framework.



Dr. Martha Bless is an Academic Lead at the Association of College and University Educators (ACUE). She was drawn to ACUE's mission because her passion is to create transformative learning experiences for educators in order to develop and support their practices and improve student outcomes. An educator for more than 19 years, Dr. Bless has taught and supervised high school English, worked as an Education Consultant, and taught in the Education Departments at Albertus Magnus College in New Haven, CT, and Southern Connecticut State University, where she teaches both face-to-face and online courses. Dr. Bless received her undergraduate degree in English from Post University, Master's degrees in English and Educational Leadership from Southern Connecticut State University, and Ph.D. in Educational Technology from Walden University.

10:45 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Break

11:00 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. Faculty Panel: How We Use Tech at MCC

Learn how fellow faculty members use technology in and out of the classroom. In this session, a panel of MCC faculty will discuss their experiences and provide examples of how they've enhanced teaching and learning and increased productivity through the strategic use of technology.

12:15 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. Lunch

Afternoon Program: *Technology Tools at MCC*

1:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.

1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. *Are You Getting the Most from Office 365?*

Crabiel Hall, 221

Presented by: Professors Phyllis Fleming and James Martiney

There's much more to Office 365 than email. In this hands-on session, learn how to efficiently organize email, manage files in the OneDrive, and use the Calendar and Tasks tools to help organize and prioritize your week. We'll also explore some of the other tools available in the Office 365 suite.

2:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m. *Introduction to Canvas*

Location TBD. Registrants will be notified by email.

Presented by: Michael Sullivan, Director of eLearning, and Maria Breger, Instructional Technologist

The Canvas Learning Management System (LMS) is a web-based tool that allows users to develop and deliver engaging and interactive educational material to students in an online environment. This hands-on workshop will provide faculty the basic building blocks needed to create online and hybrid courses as well as to enhance and support face-to-face courses. At the end of the session, faculty will be able to effectively utilize and navigate the Canvas LMS, customize notification settings, send announcements, create a module, and upload a course syllabus. This session will also cover best practices associated with delivering online content.

Space is limited!
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