

INTRODUCING THE...



INSTRUCTIONAL EXCELLENCE ACADEMY

The Center for Academic Innovation and Excellence is offering a new **Instructional Excellence Academy** each semester beginning Spring 2020.

- + The Academy will be five meetings over 16 weeks and allow volunteer or nominated instructors to learn, share and discuss pedagogical approaches for all methods of course delivery: face-to-face, online, hybrid, seminar, webinar, etc...
- + The Academy will be presented in a "flipped" format over one semester. Speakers and presentations will be recorded or zoomed and watched at your convenience. This requires less travel and allows an "interactive workshop & discussion" feel with only 3 required face-to-face meetings*.
*(Academy participants at a distance will be allowed to zoom in.)
- + The Academy is open to anyone who wants to become a better instructor, trainer, or leader (and has supervisor approval). Instructors, adjunct instructors, or any other employees may apply or be nominated by their supervisors.

APPLY OR NOMINATE SOMEONE YOU SUPERVISE TODAY

Proposed Dates - Live meetings will be in Great Bend - Application Deadline is 2 weeks before start

- + Spring Proposed Dates: Jan 24 (Live), Feb TBD (Zoom), Mar 6 (Live), Apr TBD (Zoom), May 1 (Live)
- + Summer Proposed Dates: June 11 (Live), June 25 (Zoom), July 9 (Zoom), July 23 (Live)
- + Fall Proposed Dates: Aug 28 (Live), Sep TBD (Zoom), Oct 16 (Live), Nov TBD (Zoom), Dec 4 (Live)

"I NEED A MENTOR"

I would like to have someone to check in from time to time to make sure I am on the right track in my classroom.

"I AM A NEW INSTRUCTOR"

Help! This is the first class I have ever taught and I have no idea where to start.

"I WOULD LIKE TO BE A MENTOR"

I have ideas and approaches I would like to share.
I would like to be available to answer another instructor's questions and brainstorm classroom ideas.

"I WANT TO SHARE"

I would like to discuss my profession with my peers, share an idea or two, and steal an idea or two. I want to be more efficient and see how others are managing their students and coursework.

"I WANT TO GO DIGITAL"

I want to go OER (textbook free), Online, or just get rid of paperwork clutter in my classroom.

"I WANT TO LEARN MORE"

I am an online instructor who wants to learn more about face-to-face or hybrid techniques.
I am a face-to-face instructor who wants to learn more about online or hybrid techniques.

"I WANT TO SEE IF I AM UP TO SNUFF"

I am not sure if my instruction is good, bad, or somewhere in-between. I would like to discuss my class and approach with some peers.

"I WOULD LIKE TO BE AN INSTRUCTOR"

I have been offered the opportunity to, or would like to teach a course someday.