Online Learning Consortium (OLC) Workshops for McNeese Faculty Members 2023-2024

McNeese is providing faculty members with an opportunity to sign up for professional development workshops sponsored by the university. OLC offers virtual learning for instructors who are at any stage in their careers. Whether you are new to online or a seasoned professional, OLC has a wide range of programs for those who are eager to take their teaching career to the next level. And remember, OLC workshops can be used to satisfy McNeese's online learning professional development requirements.

If you are interested in enrolling in an OLC workshop, complete the OLC Workshop Request Form as soon as possible. The first 100 faculty who respond will be enrolled in the workshop of their choice.

To get started, please review the list of workshops below; then use the McNeese Training Sign-Up Form to select training workshops. OLC training is only available to faculty members, visiting lecturers, and online academic teaching instructors. The Provost's office and campus Deans from each college will be reviewing the requests.

Faculty members should not self-register for sessions directly on the OLC website. The university will not be financially responsible for any self-registered sessions made directly through OLC. Instead, use the link above to request training.

Self-Paced Workshops 2023-2024

All of the self-paced workshops available this year have been listed below. These workshops offer the greatest flexibility and are accessible for a year after enrollment. Each of these self-paced workshops is rated as Beginner / Intermediate. To review additional details about each workshop, select the links below.

ADA & Digital Accessibility

Assessment Strategies that Engage Students

Blended Learning: Creating Your Own Blend

Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, & Accessibility in Online Learning

Engaging Learners in Online Discussions

Facilitating Online Group Work

Giving Effective Feedback

Increasing Interaction & Engagement

Podcasting for Teaching and Learning

June 2023 - January 2024 Workshops

Below are all of the workshops that begin and end on specific dates. On the request form, you will be asked to

select a workshop and a date that you are available for training. Use the links below to learn more about each workshop.

Accessible Course Design Using WCAG (Beginner; Intermediate)

October 30, 2023 - November 5, 2023

Adaptive Learning Strategies and Tools (Intermediate; Advanced)

August 07, 2023 - August 13, 2023

Applying the Neuro, Cognitive, and Learning Sciences to Instructional Design (Beginner; Intermediate; Advanced)

September 11, 2023 - October 08, 2023

Artificial Intelligence Demystified (Intermediate; Advanced)

July 10, 2023 - July 16, 2023

Assessment Strategies that Engage Students (Beginner)

June 12, 2023 - June 18, 2023

September 18, 2023 - September 24, 2023

December 11, 2023 - December 17, 2023

Augmented and Virtual Reality in Higher Ed (Intermediate; Advanced)

October 30, 2023 - November 05, 2023

Competency-Based Education (Beginner; Intermediate; Advanced)

October 02, 2023 - October 08, 2023

Copyright & Fair Use, Part 1: The Fundamentals (Intermediate; Advanced)

September 26, 2023

Copyright & Fair Use, Part 2: From Court Decisions to "Best Practices" (Intermediate; Advanced)

October 17, 2023

Course Quality Review (ID4) (Beginner; Intermediate)

July 31, 2023 - August 27, 2023

October 23, 2023 - November 19, 2023

February 12, 2024 - March 10, 2024

Curating and Evaluating Resources for Faculty (ID3) (Beginner; Intermediate)

June 26, 2023 - July 23, 2023

September 18, 2023 - October 15, 2023

January 8, 2024 - February 4, 2024

Data Stories: An Introduction to Data Visualization (Beginner; Intermediate)

October 16, 2023 - November 12, 2023

Digital Accessibility: Developing a Strategic Plan (Intermediate; Advanced)

November 13, 2023 - November 19, 2023

Diverse, Equitable, and Inclusive (DEI) Digital Learning Environments (Beginner; Intermediate; Advanced)

June 5, 2023 - July 2, 2023

September 25, 2023 - October 22, 2023

Evaluating Online Faculty (Intermediate; Advanced)

August 07, 2023 - August 13, 2023

Facilitating Live, Online Sessions (Intermediate; Advanced)

August 23, 2023 - August 25, 2023

December 06, 2023 - December 08, 2023

Flipped Learning Course Design (Intermediate)

July 24, 2023 - July 30, 2023

October 02, 2023 - October 08, 2023

Game-Based Learning (Intermediate; Advanced)

June 05, 2023 - June 11, 2023

September 11, 2023 - September 17, 2023

December 04, 2023 - December 10, 2023

Gamification Principles and Strategies (Intermediate; Advanced)

November 27, 2023 - December 03, 2023

Getting Started with Research (Beginner; Intermediate)

October 23, 2023 - November 19, 2023

Helping Faculty with New Course Development (ID2) (Beginner; Intermediate)

August 14, 2023 - September 10, 2023

October 23, 2023 - November 19, 2023

Hybrid-Flexible (HyFlex) Course Design (Beginner; Intermediate)

July 10, 2023 - July 16, 2023

August 21, 2023 - August 27, 2023

October 30, 2023 - November 05, 2023

Inclusive Assessment: (Un)Grading for Growth (Beginner; Intermediate)

July 24, 2023 - July 30, 2023

Infographics for Learning (Intermediate; Advanced)

June 26, 2023 - July 2, 2023

September 11, 2023 - September 17, 2023

Interactive Video Tools (Intermediate; Advanced)

June 14, 2023 - June 16, 2023

September 20, 2023 - September 22, 2023

Liquid Syllabus Design (Intermediate; Advanced)

July 26, 2023 - July 28, 2023

November 8, 2023 -November 10, 2023

LX Design Methods, Part 1: Personas (Beginner; Intermediate)

June 12, 2023 - June 18, 2023

LX Design Methods, Part 2: Experience Mapping (Beginner; Intermediate)

June 26, 2023 - July 2, 2023

Managing Workload and Reducing Burnout (Intermediate; Advanced)

August 21, 2023 -August 27, 2023

Multimodal Course Design (Intermediate; Advanced)

September 25, 2023 - October 01, 2023

November 13, 2023 - November 19, 2023

Neuro, Cognitive & Learning Sciences: Regular and Substantive Interaction, Policy & Practice (Beginner; Intermediate; Advanced)

October 30, 2023 - November 5, 2023

Neuro, Cognitive and Learning Sciences, Part 1: Bringing Theory to Practice (Beginner; Intermediate; Advanced)

September 18, 2023 - September 24, 2023

Neuro, Cognitive and Learning Sciences, Part 2: Applying Theory to Practice (Beginner; Intermediate; Advanced)

October 2 - October 8, 2023

OER, Part 1: Exploring Open Educational Resources (Beginner; Intermediate; Advanced)

October 2, 2023 - October 8, 2023

OER, Part 2: Implementing Open Educational Resources (Beginner; Intermediate; Advanced)

October 16, 2023 - October 22, 2023

Online Leadership 1: Online Program Planning (Intermediate; Advanced)

September 11 - September 17, 2023

Online Leadership 2: Online Program Operations (Intermediate; Advanced)

September 25 - October 1, 2023

Online Leadership 3: Sustaining Online Programs (Intermediate; Advanced)

November 6 - November 12, 2023

Online Presentation Tools (Beginner; Intermediate)

June 5, 2023 - June 11, 2023

Sept. 11, 2023 - Sept. 17, 2023

Online Teaching Essentials 1: Getting Started (Beginner)

June 12, 2023 - June 18, 2023

July 24, 2023 - July 30, 2023

September 11, 2023 - September 17, 2023

October 2, 2023 - October 8, 2023

November 13, 2023 - November 19, 2023

December 11, 2023 - December 17, 2023

Online Teaching Essentials 2: Converting Your Course (Beginner)

June 5, 2023 - June 11, 2023

August 7, 2023 - August 13, 2023

October 16, 2023 - October 22, 2023

Online Teaching Essentials 3: Course Design Basics (Beginner)

June 26, 2023 - July 2, 2023

August 21, 2023 - August 27, 2023

October 30, 2023 - November 5, 2023

Online Teaching Essentials: ADA & Digital Accessibility (Beginner)

September 18, 2023 - September 24, 2023

Online Teaching Essentials: Engaging Learners In Online Discussions (Beginner; Intermediate)

July 10, 2023 - July 16, 2023

September 25, 2023 - October 1, 2023

Online Teaching Essentials: Giving Effective Feedback (Beginner; Intermediate)

November 6, 2023 - November 12, 2023

Online Teaching Essentials: Increasing Interaction & Engagement (Beginner; Intermediate)

August 7, 2023 - August 13, 2023

November 27, 2023 - December 3, 2023

Practical Applications for Universal Design for Learning (UDL) (Beginner; Intermediate)

July 24, 2023 - July 30, 2023

November 27, 2023 - December 03, 2023

Professional Foundations: Researching, Collaborating, and Networking (ID1) (Beginner; Intermediate)

July 10, 2023 - August 6, 2023

September 18, 2023 - October 15, 2023

Reframing Disability: Language, Media, and Universal Design (Beginner; Intermediate)

August 07 - August 13, 2023

October 16, 2023 - October 22, 2023

Relationship-Building for Effective Collaboration with Faculty/SMEs (Intermediate)

June 26, 2023 - July 2, 2023

Retention Strategies for Online Programs (Beginner; Intermediate; Advanced)

September 18, 2023 - September 24, 2023

Rubric Design for Effective Assessment (Beginner; Intermediate; Advanced)

August 9, 2023 - August 11, 2023

December 6, 2023 - December 8, 2023

Student Mental Health and Wellbeing in Digital Learning Environments (Beginner; Intermediate; Advanced)

June 05, 2023 - June 11, 2023

September 11, 2023 - September 17, 2023

Supporting Online Adjunct Faculty (Intermediate; Advanced)

July 24, 2023 - July 30, 2023

Trauma-Informed Pedagogy to Support Student Success (Beginner; Intermediate; Advanced)

October 02, 2023 - October 08, 2023

November 06, 2023 - November 12, 2023

YouTube for Teaching & Learning (Intermediate; Advanced)

June 26, 2023 - July 2, 2023

November 13, 2023 - November 19, 2023

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