Fall Faculty Development Day 2023

Higher Education: Security, Technology, Opportunities

Thursday, August 10th, 2023 Collin College Plano Campus Conference Center

PROGRAM OF EVENTS

TITLE & DESCRIPTION
Doors open. Sign-in and breakfast
Welcome Dr. Allison Boye, <i>Director, Center for Teaching and Learning</i>
Keynote Introduction Dr. Patrick Lewis, Chair, Faculty Development Advisory Committee

9:15 - 10:15 am

Conference Center Main Room

KEYNOTE SESSION

Al and Chat GPT: Exploring Implications and Concerns for Teaching, Learning, and Assessment

Dr. Peggy Semingson, University of Texas - Arlington

This session provides a broad overview of key topics, trends, issues, and concerns about ChatGPT and their implications on teaching and learning. Time for exploring possibilities, specific tools beyond ChatGPT, caveats, assessment issues, and more will be shared and discussed. Faculty will have a chance to examine the issues and consider how they might rethink assessment practices and incorporate ChatGPT into teaching and student use while mitigating concerns for plagiarism.

10:30 am - 11:30 am

Conference Center Main Room

The Future is Now: A Panel Discussion on Al at Collin

Panelists:

- Dr. John Macready, Professor of Philosophy
- Dr. Sukanya Subramanian, Professor of Biology
- · Mindi Bailey, Professor of Humanities
- Terrence Brennan, District Dean of Students
- Dr. Lupita Tinnen, Dean of Academic Affairs/Workforce, Plano Campus
- Dr. Juli Westcott, Director of Health Professions

Moderator: Regina Hughes, Associate Dean and Co-Chair, CO-AID (Collin Academic Integrity/AI Defense) Committee

This panel discussion featuring faculty and administrators from the Collin College community will explore the varied perspectives on the presence of AI in the college classroom. Should we embrace it? Should we challenge it? How is it currently impacting our students' learning and behavior, and how are faculty and administrators responding? Join us for what is sure to be a vibrant discussion!

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11:30 am - 2:00 pm

eLearning Centers Drop-In Smart Bar

L257 (Plano eLC)

Whether you're setting up your course, creating assignments, or just need some new ideas on using technology for teaching and learning, the eLearning Center staff are available in L257 (2nd floor of the library) and online in Zoom to help. Drop in to discuss your ideas, learn something new, pick up some swag, or just to say hi.

The Smart Bar will offer in-person consultations from 11 am to 2 pm, and online consultations via Zoom from 8 am to 5 pm. **ZOOM LINK**

11:30 am - 12:15 pm Conference Center

Lunch (prior registration required)

11:45 – 12:15 pm BB132

Lunchtime Meditation Session: Training the Mind with Sound in Meditation

Professor Josh Arduengo, Chair, Mindfulness Committee

Training the mind to be fully aware at all times is no easy task. Often times, people seeking more focused attention in their life are unsure how to train their minds and may fall victim to overcomplication or mystification. This leads to frustration and no real progress towards a more focused mind is achieved. In this session, I will teach you a technique for training your mind to be more present using sound as our object of meditation. This technique is simple to understand and easy to apply wherever you are.

12:20 – 2:00 pm

CRASE (Civilian Response to Active Shooter Events) Training

Conference Center Main Room

Collin College Police Department

Instructors: Lt. Don Mewbourn; Sgt. Harlan Thompson; Officer Ryon Baeza; Officer Michael Czawlytko; Officer Daniel Woods; Officer Yussef Willoughby; Officer Kenneth Budjenska

The Civilian Response to Active Shooter Events (CRASE) course provides strategies, guidance, and a proven plan for surviving an active shooter event. Topics include the history and prevalence of active shooter events, civilian response options, medical issues, and considerations for conducting drills.

With thanks to:

Faculty Development Advisory Committee Members:

Patrick Lewis, Chair;

Cathleen Akers, Mindi Bailey, Rebecca Burton, Cathy Donald-Whitney, Linda Kapocsi, Lisa Kirby, Michael Latham, Sahalie Mitchell, Les Stanaland, & Tiffiny Vincent All presenters, panelists, & facilitators

Sgt. Scott Knight & the Collin College Police Department

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