Welcome!

We’ve had a great first semester here at the CETL! We finally moved into our new space and were pleased to see many of you at our fantastic open house on November 1st. We have so many awesome and edifying events planned for this semester that we’re going to be putting out a monthly calendar!

Complete details about events and registration can be found on our website: uni.edu/provost/cetl

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Please visit us on the 3rd floor of Rod Library!

Registration

Some of our events require registration. To register for a CETL event, click on the REGISTER HERE link on the CETL website: www.uni.edu/provost/cetl.

January Events

Friday, January 17, 3-4, Bartlett 1017
Casual Conversations About Teaching with Gary and Deanne Gute

Tuesday, January 21, 3:30-4:30, LIB 378
Putting ‘Poll Everywhere’ to the Test with Katheryn East

Friday, January 24, 12-1, LIB 378
Using Newspapers in the Classroom: Examples & Resources with John Johnson, Gerri Perreault, and Chris Miller

Thursday, January 30, 12-1, LIB 378
2012 Teaching with Technology Award Winning Presentation with Leigh Zeitz, Farah Kashef, Jason Vetter, Ping Gao & Magda Galloway

Friday, January 31, 2-4, LIB 378
Transformative Teaching: Beyond Queering Curriculum with Catherine MacGillivray (REGISTRATION REQUIRED)

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Upcoming Events

Friday, February 21, 3:00-4:30, CME
Using Improv Techniques to Improve Teaching with Doug Shaw (REGISTRATION REQUIRED)

Monday, February 24, 3-4:30, LIB 378
Designing Effective Writing Assignments with Susan Hill and Karen Tracey (REGISTRATION REQUIRED)

NCBI/CETL Reading Groups for Spring Semester (REGISTRATION REQUIRED):
-Teaching Critical Thinking by bell hooks
-Why Are All the Black Kids Sitting Together in the Cafeteria? by Beverly Daniel Tatum
-American Nations by Colin Woodard

CETL Reading Group:
Cheating Lessons: Learning from Academic Dishonesty by James Lang

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**January 2014 Events**

**Casual Conversations About Teaching (Friday, Jan. 17, 3-4 in Bartlett 1017)**
Following The Creative University Conference in December, join Gary and Deanne Gute to talk about what it means to be a creative teacher. How do we define “creativity” in the context of teaching? Beverages and snacks provided.

**Teaching with Tech: Poll Everywhere: One Professor’s Experience (Tuesday, Jan. 21, 3:30-4:30, LIB 378)**
Katheryn East (Ed. Psych & Foundations) explains how using Poll Everywhere has affected her classroom practice. She will discuss how she uses Poll Everywhere, how it has had direct effects on her instruction and give examples. Included will be student feedback on the use of this technology.

**Using Newspapers in the Classroom: Examples and Resources (Friday, Jan. 24, 12-1, LIB 378)**
John Johnson (History), Chris Miller (coordinator of newspaper program), and Gerri Perreault (Communication Studies) will offer active learning strategies for using newspapers to encourage student interest in current events and to enhance critical thinking skills. Co-sponsored with the American Democracy Project.

**Teaching with Tech: 2012 Teaching with Technology Award Winning Presentation (Thursday, Jan. 20, 12-1, LIB 378)**
Curriculum & Instruction Team: Leigh Zeitz, Farah Kashef, Jason Vetter, Ping Gao, Magda Galloway. This session focuses on how the C & I team incorporates Google Apps—Google Docs, Calendar, Forms, Blogger, Sites—into their course. Co-sponsored with ITS-ET.

**Transformative Teaching: Beyond Queering Curriculum (Friday, Jan. 31, 204, LIB 378)**
Led by Catherin MacGillivray, this workshop will focus on designing curriculum based on queer pedagogies and the transformative teaching approach. Using critical pedagogy as the framework for developing a highly transformative curriculum, this hands-on workshop engages participants in the actual design steps of transformative teaching. Co-sponsored with Women’s and Gender Studies. (REGISTRATION REQUIRED)

**Upcoming Events: Register at www.uni.edu/provost/cetl**

**Using Improv Techniques to Improve Teaching (Friday, Feb. 21, 3-4:30, CME)**
Back by popular demand: Led by Doug Shaw, this fun and interactive session will introduce you to techniques of improv, and help you teach “in the moment.” Space is limited to 15 participants. (REGISTRATION REQUIRED)

**Designing Effective Writing Assignments (Monday, Feb. 24, 3-4:30, LIB 378)**
Join Susan Hill and Karen Tracey to explore how to design writing assignments that lead to quality student writing. (REGISTRATION REQUIRED)

**NCBI/CETL Reading Groups:**
The CETL and the NCBI Campus Coalition Builders are again co-sponsoring reading groups for the spring semester. The CETL will provide a FREE copy of the book for participants. Participants must commit to being an active member of the reading group, including attending all sessions listed below. (REGISTRATION REQUIRED)

**Teaching Critical Thinking:** Facilitated by Susan Hill. Thursdays from 3:30-4:30 Feb. 13, Feb. 27, March 13, March 27, in LIB 378

**Why Are All the Black Kids Sitting Together in the Cafeteria?** Facilitated by Victoria DeFrancisco. Wednesdays at noon Feb. 5, Feb. 12, Feb. 19, Feb. 26, March 5, in Old Gold Room, Maucker


Please check out the CETL calendar for more details about the upcoming events! WWW.UNI.EDU/PROVOST/CETL