



2021 Course Design Institute

June 8-30 (synchronous and asynchronous)

Online via D2L and Zoom

Registration: https://ihcc.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_5BaE4K8gzBfVYbA

Book (free with registration): [*Reach Everyone, Teach Everyone: Universal Design for Learning in Higher Education*](#)

The Center for Teaching and Learning's second annual Course Design Institute will focus on four important topics:

1. Universal Design for Learning
2. Humanizing Online Courses
3. Academic Technology
4. The D2L/Brightspace Course Design Template

These topics will be addressed in four weeks of synchronous sessions and asynchronous content, with ample opportunity for questions, collegial sharing of examples, and discussion.

Three ways to engage!

<p>1. Synchronous</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participate in live sessions each week: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ One hour at the beginning of the week ○ One hour at the end of the week ○ One optional open session mid-week. • Access new content and tutorials each week. • Engage in course discussions focused on the topic(s) of each week.
<p>2. Asynchronous</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Access new content and tutorials each week. • Engage in course discussions focused on the topic(s) of each week.
<p>3. Course Archive</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Binge all course content and tutorials at your leisure. • View video of Thomas Tobin's workshop on Universal Design for Learning. • View videos from each week's opening and closing sessions. • Review discussion threads (not facilitated after June).



Opening Workshop: Secrets of Universal Design for Learning for Community and Technical Colleges



Thomas Tobin, author of [*Reach Everyone, Teach Everyone: Universal Design for Learning in Higher Education*](#), will facilitate this workshop on the principles of UDL and guide participants in applying these principles to the design of any course.

Thomas J. Tobin is the Program Area Director for Distance Teaching & Learning on the Learning Design, Development, & Innovation (LDDI) team at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, as well as an internationally recognized speaker and author on topics related to quality in technology-mediated education, especially copyright, evaluation of teaching practice, academic integrity, and accessibility/universal design for learning.

Schedule of Synchronous Sessions

Week One: Universal Design for Learning

June 8-11

Tuesday, June 8 9:30-11:00	Opening workshop: Secrets of Universal Design for Learning for Community and Technical Colleges
Wednesday, June 9 9:30-10:30	Optional open session: bring your own questions related to Universal Design for Learning
Friday, June 11 9:30-10:30	Closing session: collegial sharing of Universal Design for Learning application

Week Two: Humanizing Your Online Course

June 14-18

Monday, June 14 9:30-11:00	Opening session: introduction to humanizing your online course
Wednesday, June 16 9:30-10:30	Optional open session: bring your own questions related to humanizing your online course
Friday, June 18 9:30-10:30	Closing session: collegial sharing of humanizing examples and application



Week Three: Academic Technology

June 21-25

Monday, June 21 9:30-11:00	Opening session: how to make the right decisions about technology for your course(s)
Wednesday, June 23 9:30-10:30	Optional open session: bring your own questions related to academic technology
Friday, June 25 9:30-10:30	Closing session: collegial sharing of examples and application

Week Four: Applying the Course Design Template

June 28-30

Monday, June 28 9:30-11:00	Opening session: walkthrough of the course design template
Wednesday, June 30 9:30-10:30	Closing session: collegial sharing of approaches to course design