Spring 2024 Webinar Series

January

Leadership: A Preview of a Reimagined MarylandOnline Leadership Institute (MOLLI)

Wednesday, January 24, 2024
10:00am to 11:00am

As the new MOLLI Director, Dr. Shinta Hernandez is launching a reimagined program designed to empower participants with the knowledge and skills needed to effectively lead in an evolving online educational landscape. This webinar will showcase two newly launched pathways of professional development for the year 2024: Leadership Talk and Expert Insights. These comprehensive series of webinars and workshops enable participants to hear directly from experts and thought leaders on the various aspects of leadership in higher education, specifically online education. These series will also provide an opportunity for networking that fosters growth, collaboration, and innovation.

Shinta Hernandez (Dean of the Virtual Campus, Montgomery College)

Moderator: Robyn Alexander (Learning Designer, Howard Community College)

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February

Academic Focus: Let's Chat About ChatGPT

Thursday, February 15, 2024
10:00am to 11:00am

When building online assessments and assignments, instructors must consider the tools that students are using to help them complete their work. Often, students use Google, and over the past year, students have begun using ChatGPT—a free artificial intelligence (AI) program that generates answers to questions on just about any topic. During this session information about ChatGPT, suggestions for learning about AI, and strategies for building assignments that promote critical thinking will be presented.

Julie L. Grignon (Associate Professor of Psychology, Anne Arundel Community College)

Moderator: Jennifer Bopp (Manager, Instructional Design/Coach; Information and Instructional Technology, Anne Arundel Community College)

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February

**How To: Creating Meaningful Alternative Text**

**Tuesday, February 20, 2024**

**10:00am - 10:30am**

This webinar will identify resources for creating meaningful alternative text and demonstrate how to insert alt text into images using common self-authoring apps.

Deborah Dorsey (Assistant Professor of Health, Harford Community College)

**Moderator: Richard Smith (Instructional Designer, Harford Community College)**

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March

**Academic Focus: Generative AI x Education: Potential for Enhancing Teaching and Learning**

**Tuesday, March 5, 2024**

**2:00pm - 3:00pm**

Generative AI is a hot topic, especially in education. This webinar will provide inspiration and ideas for how generative AI can be used to enhance teaching and learning, along with practical implications for managing change.

Tawnya Means (Assistant Dean for Educational Innovation and Chief Learning Officer, Gies College of Business, University of Illinois)

Adam King (Technology and Learning, Gies College of Business, University of Illinois)

**Moderator: Michael Mills (Vice President, Office of E-Learning, Innovation and Teaching Excellence, Montgomery College)**

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**How To: Fix Your Ambiguous Anchor Text**

**Tuesday, March 19, 2024**

**10:00am - 10:30am**

Anchor text transports students to a specific webpage location. This webinar demonstrates how to convert the ambiguous to the concise.

Deborah Dorsey (Assistant Professor of Health, Harford Community College)

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April

**How To: Achieving Distinguishable Text**

**Tuesday, April 16, 2024**

**10:00am - 10:30am**

Distinguishable text makes it easier for users to see and hear content. This webinar demonstrates how to fix common problems.

Deborah Dorsey (Assistant Professor of Health, Harford Community College)

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May

How To: Semantic Structure and How to Break Your Hardcopy Habits

Tuesday, May 21, 2024
10:00am - 10:30am

The way we arrange our information impacts its “scannability.” This webinar will show you how to apply styles to achieve semantic structure.

Deborah Dorsey (Assistant Professor of Health, Harford Community College)

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