



## DIGITAL TEACHING AND LEARNING CENTER

1000 South 4th Street  
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## Empowering Innovative Teaching and Learning for a Transformational Educational Experience in the Digital Era

Online learning is a unique and rewarding experience allowing a person to attend classes at their convenience at any time and place with access to a computer network.

The Digital Teaching and Learning (DTAL) Center— established in 2021— is a multifaced and innovative distance and online education hub at Simmons College of Kentucky. The DTAL Center is committed to educational excellence and creating a positive online learning experience for all students, faculty, and the greater community. We employ a vast learning ecosystem of pedagogically appropriate, emerging technologies and research-based best practices from a Black-centered and social justice lens to provide online academic offerings, resources and tools, guidance, continuous improvement of technological infrastructure, and professional development training for faculty with stackable credentials throughout the year.

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### For more information, contact:

The Digital Teaching and Learning (DTAL) Center directly at (502) 776-1443, via email at [dtal@simmonscollegeky.edu](mailto:dtal@simmonscollegeky.edu) or via our website by scanning the QR code.



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## Fall 2024 FACULTY & STAFF BONUS WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY Schedule

Join us for research-proven online teaching and learning strategies!

**All Sessions:** Noon-1 p.m. on Fridays except for the first and last Wednesday of each month when we will have bonus sessions.

All sessions unless otherwise noted will be virtual on Zoom. You will receive a link for the Zoom session upon registration.

### FACULTY & STAFF BONUS WEDNESDAYS AND DTAL FRIDAYS

**Fri 8/16** — *Canvas Basics and Checklist*. Facilitator: Dr. Janice Poston. [Register](#)

**Weds. 8/28** -- *Demystifying the Canvas Gradebook*. Facilitator: Dr. Janice Poston [Register](#)

**Fri. 8/23** -- *Exploring Curriculum Design 101 for Your Course* Facilitator: Dr. Tytianna Ringstaff [Register](#)

**Weds. 9/4** -- *Using Turnitin as a Teaching and Learning Tool* Facilitator: Dr. Janice Poston [Register](#)

**Fri. 9/6**— *Ready Education* Facilitator: Ms. Alieshia Nunnally and Ready Education. [Session Link](#) Registration not required

**Fri. 9/13** -- *Inequitable Grading*. Facilitator: Dr. Javan Reed [Register](#)

**Fri. 9/20**— *The Modular Format and Master for Quality Course Design to Meet QM Standards* Facilitators: Dr. Janice Poston and Professor Robert Metcalf. [Register](#)

**Weds. 9/25** -- *Universal Design for Learning: Reaching All Learners*. Facilitator: Dr. Janice Poston [Register](#)

**Fri. 9/27**--*Pinpoint* Facilitator: Dr. Janice Poston and Ms. Jenn Rowe [Register](#)

**Weds. 10/2** --*Taking Students from Academia to Career*. Facilitator: Ms. Robin Lester [Register](#)

**Fri. 10/4** — *Using Gamification to Engage Students*. Facilitators: Dr. Samantha Betton [Register](#)

**Fri. 10/11**— *Using Flipped Classroom Design*. Facilitator: Dr. Janice Poston [Register](#)

**Fri. 10/18** — *Standard 7 D: Assessing the Standard of Improved Retention and Attrition* Facilitator: Dr. Javan Reed [Register](#)

**Fri. 10/25**— *Quality Matters (It Really Does): Steps in the Process of a QM Review*. Facilitator: Dr. Chris Caldwell and Dr. Janice Poston [Register](#)

**Weds. 10/30** -- *Student Servant Leadership*. Facilitator: Dr. Valerie Washington [Register](#)

**Fri. 11/1** —*Generational Differences and Teaching*. Facilitator: Dr. Kathy Stovall [Register](#)

**Weds. 11/6** -- *Organizational Structure, Roles of the Board, and Governance*. Facilitator: TBD [Register](#)

**Fri. 11/8**— *The Music of Black Culture* Facilitator: Dr. Kevin Davenport [Register](#)

**Fri. 11/15** — *Chat GPT and Generative AI as a Useful Tool for Teaching and Learning*. Mr. Langston Gaither and Ms. Christian Lucas [Register](#)

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