THE INSPIRED INSTRUCTOR

A MONTHLY NEWSLETTER FOR FACULTY

ATOMIC LEARNING IS NOW HOONUIT!

Hoonuit is a video training platform that contains videos and entire courses related to topics such as technology (Camtasia, Acrobat, Word, PowerPoint, etc.), student resources (academic integrity, grammar, research, calculator software, formatting styles, etc.), and even instructor resources (professional growth, health and wellness, information literacy for instructors, etc.).

Here are some things you can do with Hoonuit:

1. Easily embed individual videos and video series into Brightspace course content.
2. Assign training video assignments to students.
3. Suggest video series that students may find useful related to your courses, such as videos on APA or MLA formatting, Microsoft Office, or research strategies.

Login to Hoonuit by going to http://www.atomiclearning.com/login/gfcmsu/ and using your NetID and your network password (the one you use to check email and login to your computer).

If you have any questions, contact Wayne or Karen in the Technology Assistance Center.

RECOMMENDED CONTENT

ACCESSIBILITY SPOTLIGHT

In the post "Accessibility, Audio Texts, and the Persistence of Print," Michelle Morgan discusses the importance of "matching the form of your delivery to the content of the material" (2018).

WEBINAR: BUILD VIRTUAL ESCAPE ROOMS FOR FREE!

Escape rooms allow students to solve problems in teams, and are traditionally done in a face-to-face setting. Beth Ritter-Guth is hosting a webinar for the Instructional Technology Council on how to create virtual escape rooms for online learning. To enroll in the webinar, choose "member", and then create an account (if you don't already have one) with our institution name. Fun! Escape rooms are also a topic at the upcoming MIET conference (see attached flyer).

HIPS: WHAT YOU CAN DO RIGHT NOW TO MAKE A "HIGH IMPACT"

In The Fractal Educator, Ken O'Donnell and Natasha Jankowski discuss the four things educators can do to make sure their HIPs impact students success, are interdisciplinary, and data-driven.

CREATING AUTHENTIC AND EXPLANATORY VIDEOS

Many educators use video to replace the lecture portion of their courses, allowing the valuable face-to-face time to be spent on knowledge application. Bonni Stachowiak of Teaching in Higher Ed has compiled a variety of resources for creating videos, along with some inspiration. Did you know that each semester, the Faculty Development Center will offer workshops on Video Production for Educators? Stay tuned for the next one in Fall 2018.

UPCOMING FACULTY DEVELOPMENT

Getting Started with 8-Week Courses (Part 1): Multiple sessions before summer break and 1-3 sessions/month throughout the summer. See attached flyer.

Designing 8-Week Courses for the [Face-to-Face, Hybrid, Online] Educator (Part 2): Participants sign up upon completion of Part 1. Approximately 2 sessions/month throughout the summer.

Montana Institute on Educational Technology: June 12-13. See attached flyer and visit miettechdays.weebly.com

Design with Your Learners in Mind: Coming August of 2018