

College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources
Teaching, Instructional Technology, Peers and Community Scholars
Resources Guide

Teaching Resources:

Teaching Opportunities and Resources, Office of the Senior Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs:

<http://www.unl.edu/svcaa/teaching@unl/opportunities.shtml>

Teaching Programs, Tools and Resources:

<http://www.unl.edu/gradstudies/current/teaching>

Teaching@UNL: <http://www.unl.edu/svcaa/teaching@unl>

Teaching Strategies for Online Education: <http://online.unl.edu/Faculty-Resources/Best-Practices/Teaching-Strategies.aspx>

Instructional Technology Resources:

1. Blackboard Users Listserv (e-mail listserv@unl.edu): E-mail support for those using Blackboard to enhance teaching and learning. Join the Blackboard users' email listserv by sending an email to listserv@unl.edu with the phrase "subscribe bb-user" in the body of the email. Contact: Paul Erickson
2. Digital Library Resources for Teaching: Assist instructors in using digital library resources effectively, particularly through Blackboard. Contact: Robert Bolin & Scott Childers
3. E-Reserves at UNL Libraries: Enable faculty to make course materials available online 24/7. Contact: Chanty Stovall
4. Instructional Technology Advisory Committee: Study, advise, and promote issues related to teaching and learning and learning with technology. Contact: Pam Holley-Wilcox
5. Instructional Technology Group: Develop, promote and support the use of technology for teaching and learning. Contact: Bruce Sandhorst
6. SWAP Meets (Sharing Wisdom And Power in Technology) - Join the Instructional Technology Group instructors on the last Wednesday of every month from noon to 1:30 p.m. for the SWAP Meets. This brown-bag event is at the Nebraska Union at 14th & R Streets.
7. New Media Center: Provide faculty and staff development and consultation regarding rich media and new technology integration into their course work. Contact: Todd Jensen
8. Technology Skills Development & Resources: Workshops, tutorials, documentation, consulting, and help with instructional technology. Contact: Ranelle Maltas

9. UNL Teaching Council. Contact: Amy Goodburn

Improving Teaching Through Peers and Community Scholars:

1. CASNR Teaching & Learning Improvement Council: Organize Winter Interim Teaching Workshop each January. Host teaching-related seminars and pre-tenure workshops. Contact: John Markwell
2. Instructional Support Services for Graduate Teaching Assistants: Help graduate teaching assistants develop as teachers and scholars. Contact: Laurie Bellows
3. Online Pedagogy Community of Practice: Support for faculty who are teaching online. Contact: Charles Anson, Marie Barber & Paul Erickson
4. Peer Review of Teaching Project: Support faculty in the development of a community of scholars who write about the intellectual work involved in teaching. Contact: Paul Savory & Amy Goodburn, <http://www.courseportfolio.org/peer/pages/index.jsp>
5. Preparing Future Faculty Program: Provide doctoral students with opportunities to observe and experience faculty responsibilities at a variety of academic institutions. Contact: Laurie Bellows, Helen Moore, & Amy Burnett
6. Teaching Council: Encourage and support efforts to improve instruction and learning at all levels at UNL. Contact: Dave Wilson
7. Visual Literacy Community of Practice: Support for faculty teaching in the Visual Literacy Program (a Program of Excellence). Contact: Dana Fritz
8. Discipline-Based Education Research (DBER) Seminar Series: Contact: Leilani Arthurs, <http://digitalcommons.unl.edu/dberspeakers/>