



News, Events and Activities

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Academic Instructional Skills Program

An update on two new courses that have rolled out recently.

- Developing a Teaching Philosophy
- Writing Learning Targets

Visit the Academic Instructional Skills Program page to learn more about the program's structure, view a list of workshop descriptions, or enroll in the program. Questions can be directed to the Teaching and Learning Centre, TLC@upe.ca.

Black Students Matter! Public Keynote

St. Francis Xavier University is inviting colleagues at UPEI to attend the opening session of Part 2 of the Black Students Matter Teaching Retreat. Dr. Carl E. James' from York University will be delivering this keynote entitled "I know I have to do well; it's not a choice": Being Black in University on Tuesday, November 9, beginning at 10:15 a.m. Atlantic. Please use this [link to register](#). The Zoom link will be shared ~ 24 hours before.

Public lecture to explore anti-racist & de-colonial approaches to education

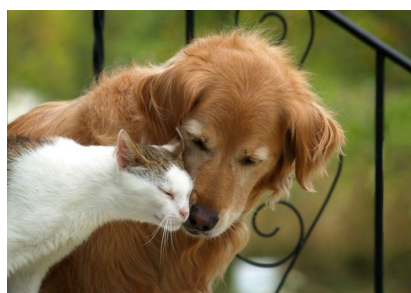
Colleagues from Atlantic Canada are invited to join Mount Saint Vincent University for a talk by [Aisha Haque](#), sought-after speaker and expert on inclusive teaching practices on Thursday, November 4, 2021 from 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm. The session will be online via Teams and advance registration is required. [Please register online](#). The link to join the event will be sent on November 4th. For a synopsis of the lecture go to [campus notices](#).

Interested in the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning Grants?



This workshop offered by SoTL Canada on Nov. 4 can help answer questions as you prepare a proposal for the NEW Internal SoTL grant competition (details coming soon). [To register for the workshop](#)

"I know I have to do well; it's not a choice": Being Black in University is the keynote by Carl E. James from York University on Nov. 9



Check out this essay in Hybrid Pedagogy
~[A Pedagogy of Kindness](#)
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Fall Reading Group

Resilient Pedagogies is the book selection for this fall and discussions are off to a terrific start. There is space for others to join if you want to jump in. The next chapter we plan to discuss offers a practical tool kit for faculty to cultivate a mental orientation toward planning, adaption, and innovation in the face of future disruptions to university life. This chapter in the e-book can be accessed [here](#). We meet bi-weekly on Fridays at noon. Our next discussions will be on Nov. 12, Nov. 26 and Dec. 10.