

Own Your Future: May Conference on Teaching

Saturday May 1, 2021, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm EDT

This year's conference will be hosted *online* in an OWL site.

| 9:00 am – 10:30 am | WELCOMING REMARKS & WELCOME TO MY CLASSROOM Explore best practices from a cross-disciplinary perspective. TAs from French, Education, and Media Studies invite you to their classroom simulations to get a taste of how your colleagues from other departments have instilled collaboration and student-centered teaching in their online courses. |
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| 10:30 am – 10:45 am | BREAK |
| 10:45 am – 11:30 am | Teaching Health Sciences for Real Life: How can we help our students appreciate the human element of health sciences? This panel introduces several approaches for connecting classroom learning to its real-life applications. OR Teaching Methodologies in STEM: It's time to gets hands-on with methodology. Join this panel of STEM scholars exploring |
| | ways to instill scientific inquiry and problem solving into their lesson plans. OR Expanding the Boundaries of Teaching, Learning, and Assessment: How can we teach the so-called "soft" skills of communication, teamwork, or resilience? This panel of cross-disciplinary scholars shares their bold approaches for cultivating these transferable but often elusive skill sets. |
| 11:30 am – 11:40 am | BREAK |
| 11:40 am – 12:00 pm | CLOSING REMARKS & GIFT AWARD CEREMONY We'll close with a reflection on the themes emerging from the day's discussions and announce the winner of the Great Idea for Teaching award. |

All graduate students and postdoctoral scholars are welcome.

Registration is free. Please register at teaching.uwo.ca

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