

OUR MISSION

- *Partner with faculty to cultivate teaching that is inclusive, centered on student learning, and proven to be effective.*
- *Foster cross-disciplinary communities and mentoring networks for scholarly exchange around teaching, learning, and professional growth.*
- *Promote critical practice, reflection, and experimentation in teaching, including the purposeful use of existing and emerging technologies.*

★ **STRATEGIES**
IN TEACHING & LEARNING
LOCATED ON OUR WEBSITE



ACTIVE LEARNING



CASE-BASED



EXPERIENTIAL



PROJECT-BASED



BLENDED LEARNING



DISCUSSION-BASED



CLASSROOM FLIPPING



TEAM-TEACHING

**CTL
GUIDES**

OUR SERVICES

✓ Individual Consultations

Our Center consultants are happy to help you think through ways to improve your students' learning. **Conversations might center around:**

Course Design

Leading Discussions

Classroom Flipping

✓ In-Class Observations

We tailor in-class observations so that you get meaningful feedback on specific aspects of your teaching.

✓ Learning Analysis Polls

We help you to collect and reflect on student feedback from your course. We take 30 minutes of class time to meet with your students and then review the results with you.

LAP's result in more detailed and focused feedback than written evaluations

✓ Department Workshops

We provide customized workshops and information sessions for departments or other academic groups on campus. **Workshops might address topics such as:** 'Pros and Cons of Using a Rubric' or 'Engaging Students in a Large Lecture Course.'

✓ Learning Communities

We organize semester- and year-long learning communities for all faculty members (new, mid-career, post-tenure) - no matter how long you have been teaching at BU or in higher education. We also offer future faculty (graduate student, post-doc) communities.

Communities are a safe space to explore and dialogue with fellow colleagues

WORKSHOPS:

1-DAY COURSE REVISION WORKSHOPS

Throughout the spring, we will hold one-day workshops on "Revising Your BU Hub Course." At the end of this workshop, faculty will have made significant progress on the syllabus for their revised course, including developing appropriate course learning outcomes and revising at least one major effective assignment.

Tuesday, January 9th
Wednesday, January 10th
Thursday, March 8th
Tuesday, May 22nd
Tuesday, May 24th

1-DAY CO-CURRICULAR WORKSHOPS

Throughout the spring, we will hold one-day workshops on developing a co-curricular experience for the BU Hub. All faculty and staff are eligible to apply. By the end of the workshop, participants will have completed or nearly completed an outline and calendar for their new BU Hub co-curricular experience.

Wednesday, January 17th
Thursday, February 8th
Monday, March 5th

3-DAY WORKSHOP FOR DIGITAL/MULTIMEDIA EXPRESSION

This spring, the CTL will host a three-day multimodal workshop series to help faculty design digital and multimedia assignments and classroom activities. Faculty will work collaboratively with the CTL, EdTech, and faculty peers for 1-week this fall to develop and revise their course materials for the BU Hub area of Digital/Multimedia Expression.

Tuesday, May 8th through Thursday, May 10th

4-DAY NEW COURSE DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTE

The four-day New Course Development Institute prepares BU faculty to develop exceptional new courses by providing them with knowledge, skills, and a supportive community of faculty from across the university. By the end of the institute, faculty will have completed or nearly completed a syllabus for their new BU Hub Course.

Monday, June 4th through Thursday, June 7th

OPEN OFFICE HOURS:

OPEN OFFICE FOR THE BU HUB

Throughout the spring, we will hold open office hours for faculty and staff developing and revising courses and co-curricular experiences. CTL staff will be available to answer your questions and provide feedback on your course or co-curricular materials.

Thursday, January 11th
Thursday, January 18th
Friday, February 9th
Tuesday, March 6th
Wednesday, March 7th
Thursday, March 8th
Friday, March 9th

SAVE THE DATE:

GRADUATE STUDENT TEACHING DAY

Friday, January 12, 2018

LEARNING SCIENCES SPEAKER SERIES SPRING 2018

Wednesday, February 21, 2018

Thursday, March 8, 2018

Wednesday, April 4, 2018

8TH ANNUAL EDUCATIONAL INNOVATION CONFERENCE

Thursday, May 3, 2018

MORE DETAILS AVAILABLE AT **BU.EDU/CTL**