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Community Newsletter

August 23, 2017



Welcome back!

We hope you've had a fantastic summer. As you're getting back into the swing of things and preparing for the upcoming semester, we wanted to share some of ASSETT's events and resources that are coming up this fall.





Classroom Technology Assistance

Would you like students to create websites using <u>WordPress</u>, map their journeys through <u>Google Maps</u>, or create <u>podcasts</u> using Audacity? Perhaps you'd like to implement another technology or idea? If you would like technology support for you AND your students, place a request to have one of ASSETT's Student Fellows assist you in the classroom.

Classroom Observation

The Visualizing Instructional Practices (VIP) service offers a data-driven means for A&S faculty to reflect on their teaching. This service collects structured classroom observation data, which is then compiled into a report that includes multiple visualizations. We provide a follow-up consultation to help participants interpret their data and better understand how learning occurs in their classroom

Request Technology Assistance

Request an Observation



Open house - September 18

Take a break from your busy schedule and join us for ASSETT's Open House in the Technology Learning Center on **Monday, September 18, 2017 from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.** We'll serve light refreshments and snacks. Attendees will have a chance to talk to our staff, learn about our programs, and engage in conversation with others from around the college. We look forward to seeing you there!



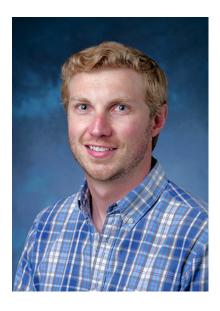
New SIGs coming soon!

Interested in joining a Special Interest Group (SIG)? Two new groups are coming soon: **New Faculty** and **Cultivating Students' Digital Identity and Ownership**.

The **New Faculty SIG** provides a community for newly hired faculty. We'll talk about where to find teaching and learning resources, connect you to other faculty, and help you navigate the campus.

The **Cultivating Students' Digital Identity and Ownership SIG** will explore information literacy, digital literacy, and open pedagogy as new ways to engage students in critically analyzing how their digital identities are created, managed and represented.

Keep an eye out for more information about these opportunities.



Meet Shane Schwikert

Join us in welcoming Shane, our new Education Technology Researcher. Shane recently joined ASSETT after completing his Ph.D. in Psychology, Neuroscience, and Cognitive Science at CU Boulder, where his research explored the different ways that technology use is affecting memory and cognition.

Feel free to stop by or send Shane an email (<u>shane.schwikert@colorado.edu</u>) to welcome him to the team and learn more about his role

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