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CaTS Monthly Faculty Newsletter



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INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNOLOGY NEWS

by Kenneth Coon

The CaTS Instructional Technology (CaTS-ITS) team consists of 5 staff members that are dedicated to supporting services such as Pilot, Webex, Blackboard Collaborate Ultra, Panopto, EvaluationKit, academic integrity tools such as Respondus and Turnitin, and technology found in Registrar managed classrooms.

Each month, CaTS-ITS will send out a faculty newsletter highlighting virtual and in-person workshops as well as virtual office hours to help answer questions you may have. As the team works through the transition to CaTS, in the near future, faculty can expect more virtual and in person options for training as well as an updated web site and online tutorial content.



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CATS SPRING 2022 WORKSHOPS & TRAINING

Click on the title of the workshop or training event in the **list** or **calendar** below to <u>register</u>.

CLASSROOM TRAINING | BY APPOINTMENT

If you need a refresher on how to use the equipment found in registrar managed classrooms, schedule an appointment with our team using this <u>FORM</u>.

PILOT BASICS | TUES (1/4) & WED (1/5) | 10:00 AM

A 90-minute workshop focusing on the essential features of Pilot, Wright State University's learning management system.

PANOPTO BASICS | TUES (1/4) & WED (1/12) | 3:00 PM

A 60-minute workshop that focuses on components of Panopto, Wright State University's secure video sharing platform.

MANAGING GRADES IN PILOT | WED (1/5) & THURS (1/7) | 3:00 PM

A 45-minute workshop outlining how to design a gradebook and manage your student's grades in Pilot.

UTILIZING THE PILOT QUIZ TOOL | THURS (1/6) & WED (1/12) | 10:00 AM

A 60-minute workshop outlining the process of creating quizzes and exams in Pilot as well as how to utilize Respondus LockDown Browser.

USING WEBEX FOR ONLINE INSTRUCTION | FRI (1/7) | 10:00 AM

A 60-minute workshop that focuses on components of the Webex Pilot integration as well as how to utilize this tool for effective online instruction.

TEACHING WITH BLACKBOARD COLLABORATE ULTRA | FRI (1/7) | 3:00 PM

A 60-minute workshop that focuses on components of Collaborate Ultra and how to effectively utilize this tool for online instruction.

FOSTERING STUDENT ENGAGEMENT WITH MULTIMEDIA | TUES & THURS | 11:00 AM

A 60-minute workshop that addresses the differences between Flipgrid, Panopto, and Adobe Spark and how these platforms can be used for student engagement.

TECH SPOTLIGHT: PANOPTO

by Ben Penry

Panopto is a multimedia streaming service, which is a fancy way to describe a more-secure YouTube that connects to Pilot. It also has free recording software that can be used to create lecture or presentation videos.

Faculty use Panopto in many different fashions. Here are a few examples:

Flip the classroom! Provide prerecorded video lectures for students to watch before class, then they can apply their knowledge in active learning projects in person or via Webex/Collaborate Ultra.

Assign student presentations.

Contact us to discuss video presentation assignment options and we can provide all the technical support!

Record lectures using your tablet. Some faculty love the ability to annotate with a stylus and present materials on their tablet.

If you have questions, let us know! See our ITS contact information on page 04.

TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
4 Pilot Basics Panopto Basics	5 Pilot Basics Grades in Pilot	6 Quiz Tool Grades in Pilot	7 <u>Webex</u> <u>Collaborate Ultra</u>
11 Students & Multimedia Open Session Q&A	12 <u>Quiz Tool</u> <u>Panopto Basics</u>	13 <u>Students & Multimedia</u>	Open Session Q&A



Questions? Book an appointment with ITS by clicking

HERE.

In-Person Online

CATS INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNOLOGY SERVICES



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ITS MANAGER

The new ITS manager will oversee the team and work closely with managers, faculty, and the adminstration at Wright State University.

BRYAN A. BEVERLY

SR. DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY ANALYST

Administers and supports Panopto as well as researches and showcases emerging technologies for classroom use. Serves as the ITS project manager for long-term projects. In his free time, Bryan has helped with an archaeological excavation of a Hopewell site at Fort Ancient for over five years.



CHUCK PLATT

DISTANCE LEARNING SYSTEMS ADMINISTRATOR

Administers and supports the Learning Management System, D2L Brightspace aka Pilot. Manages, creates, supports and delivers all course evaluations for in class and online courses University wide. In his spare time is an avid Martial Artist and custom knife maker.

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BEN PENRY

INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNOLOGY & MULTIMEDIA SPECIALIST

Collaborates with faculty on multimedia creation and video project assignments.

Provides technical assistance and training for Panopto, Camtasia, and Pilot.

In his free time, Ben plays guitar and writes and records music.





CORTNEY LEY

INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNOLOGY SPECIALIST

Provides support and training for instructional technologies such as Pilot, Webex, Collaborate Ultra, Respondus, Flipgrid, and Perusall. In her free time, Cortney teaches English as a Second Language (ESL) and enjoys gardening.

PILOT SUPPORT

For Pilot support, you can contact the ITS team via phone, email or Microsoft Bookings. You can also access our Pilot support page by clicking HERE.

CONTACT US

PHONE

Call the CaTS Help Desk at **(937) 775-4827**

EMAIL

Email us at helpdesk@wright.edu

BOOK A SESSION

Schedule a session using <u>Microsoft Bookings</u>.

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