



**New Faculty
Orientation**

2024

Day 1

Getting Started



Today's Schedule



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- Welcome!
 - NFO 2024 Guidebook
- Welcoming Remarks
- Getting to Know Each Other
- UWin 101
- An Introduction to Course Design
- Avoiding the Splat: Key Bylaws for Your Hip Pocket
- How Do You Get Started With Service?
- Roundtables: Research, Teaching, Service



WELCOME TO WINDSOR!

Introductory Remarks

Robert Aguirre

Provost and Vice-President, Academic, University of Windsor



Theresa Sims

Indigenous Knowledge Keeper
and Indigenous Culture and
Language Specialist







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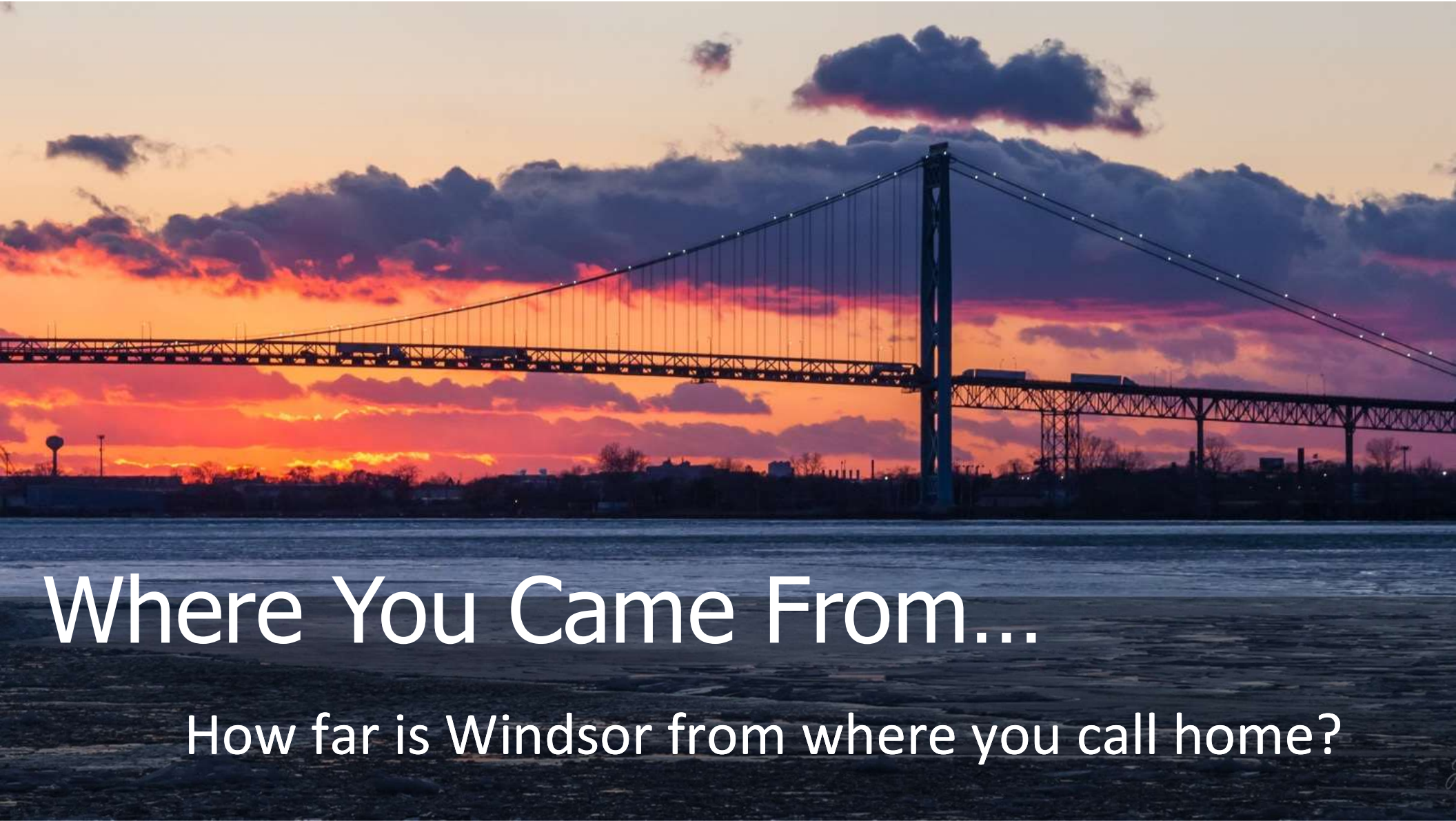
Introducing...You

Erika Kustra, Associate Vice-President, Academic

Where you've been...

Where did you *last* come from?





Where You Came From...

How far is Windsor from where you call home?

Where You're Headed.....

What's one key thing you're looking forward to contributing to UWindsor?





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UWin 101

Anne Milne, Academic Initiative Officer, Office of the Provost

A group of about ten young adults are gathered around a dark, rectangular table outdoors. They appear to be in a social setting, possibly a study group or a casual meeting. The background features a brick building with large windows and several trees with green foliage. The scene is brightly lit, suggesting a sunny day. The text 'Who are we?' is overlaid in a white, cursive font at the top left. At the bottom, a semi-transparent black box contains the text 'Go to www.menti.com' and 'Enter code: 9992 0245' in white, sans-serif font.

Who are we?

Go to www.menti.com
Enter code: 9992 0245

*Where
are we
headed?*



**UNIVERSITY
OF WINDSOR
STRATEGIC PLAN**
2023-2028



<https://engageuwindsor.ca/aspire-strategic-planning>

An open calendar is shown from a top-down perspective, slightly angled. The pages are white with a grid layout for dates. The numbers 11, 18, 25, 13, 20, 27, 29, and 26 are visible in red ink. The text "The Academic Year" is written in a large, blue, cursive font across the center of the calendar pages. The background is dark and out of focus.

The Academic Year

Important Dates

Office of the Registrar:

<https://www.uwindsor.ca/registrar/events-listing?page=1>

NFO Guidebook: Page 12

The screenshot shows the University of Windsor Registrar's Office website. The page is titled "Important Academic Dates" and lists various dates from September to December 2022. The left sidebar contains a navigation menu for the Office of the Registrar, and the right sidebar lists upcoming events. A banner at the bottom right says "This is your time." with a calendar icon.

Office of the Registrar

- Home
- Return to Campus Info
- Timetable Information
- UWinsite Student
- Request a Transcript
- Registration Information
- Grade Processing
- Service Fees
- Transfer Students
- Academic Calendars
- Fee Estimator
- Where do I pay?
- Maintaining Conditional Offer of Admission
- Change of Program/Major
- Apply as a Returning Student
- Change of Name
- Degree Verification

Important Academic Dates

Date	Event
Sep 8th, 2022	Nursing Year 1 Program Orientation
Sep 16th, 2022	Apply to Graduate at Fall 2022 Convocation: Final deadline...
Sep 21st, 2022	Academic Add/Drop for Fall 2022 (excluding Education and Law).....
Oct 5th, 2022	Financial Drop Date: Fall 2022...
Oct 8th, 2022 to Oct 16th, 2022	Reading Week (Oct 8 - 16), except JD Law
Oct 10th, 2022	Thanksgiving Day: University Closed
Oct 14th, 2022 to Oct 15th, 2022	Fall 2022 Convocation
Nov 16th, 2022	Last Day to Voluntarily Withdraw from Fall 2022 courses
Dec 7th, 2022	Last Day of Fall 2022 Classes (excluding Law and Education)
Dec 10th, 2022 to Dec 21st, 2022	Final Exams for Fall 2022 - Dec 10 - 21 (excluding Law and Education)
Dec 15th, 2022	Fees Due: Winter 2023
Dec 22nd, 2022	Alternate Final Exam Day

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Last Day to Voluntarily Withdraw from Summer Session (6 week) courses
Mon, 07/25/2022
- Validation (Shopping Cart) Opens in UWinsite Student for RETURNING students - Fall 2022
Mon, 07/25/2022
- Civic Holiday: University Closed
Mon, 08/01/2022
- Registration Opens in UWinsite Student for RETURNING students - Fall 2022
Tue, 08/02/2022
- Make up date for Monday, Aug 1 Classes
Mon, 08/08/2022

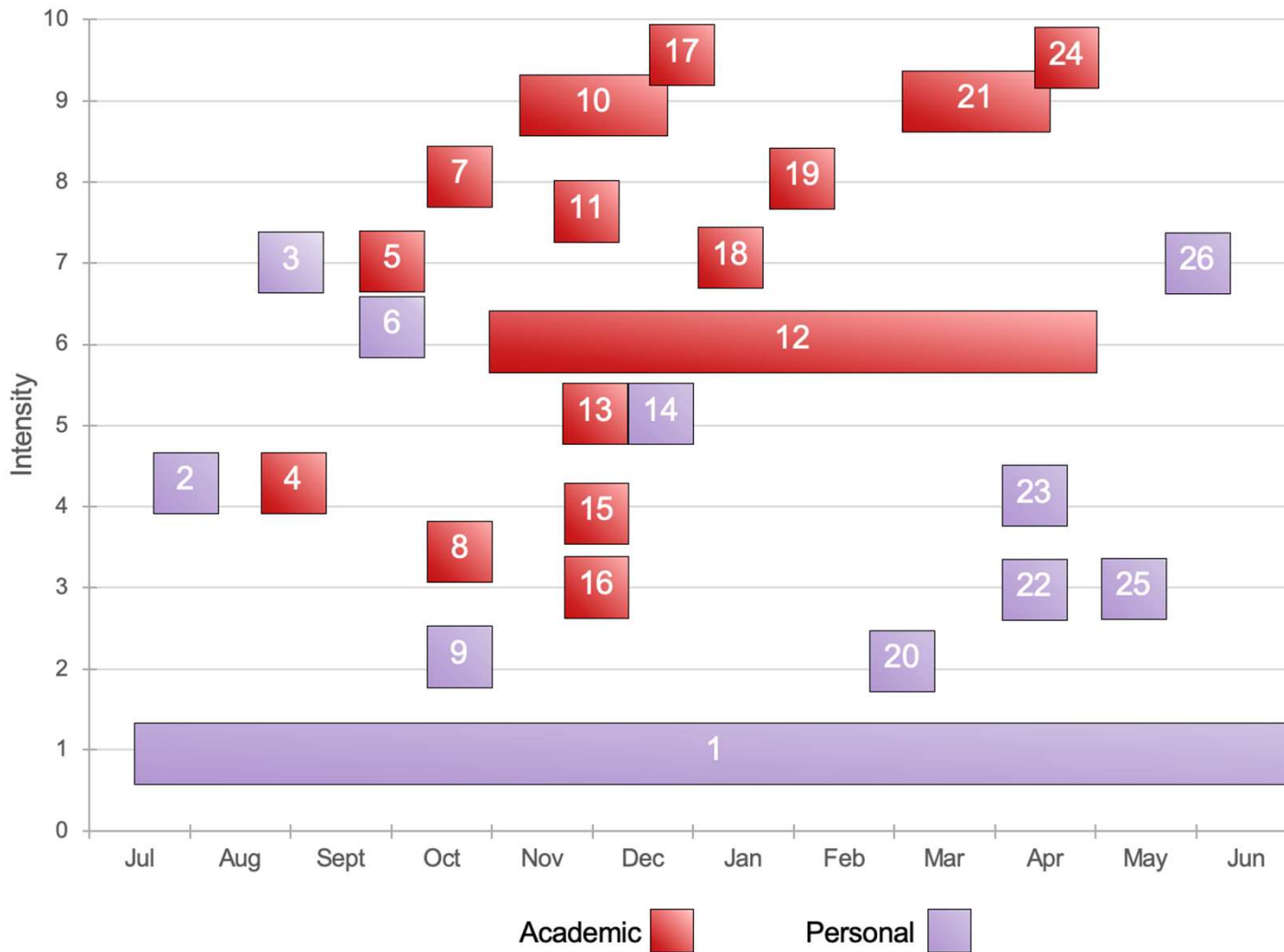
[VIEW EVENT CALENDAR](#)

This is your time.

Key Dates

- Term starts
- Add/Drop Deadlines
- Voluntary Withdrawal Deadlines
- Deadlines for Master's and PhD process
- Reading Weeks
- Exams

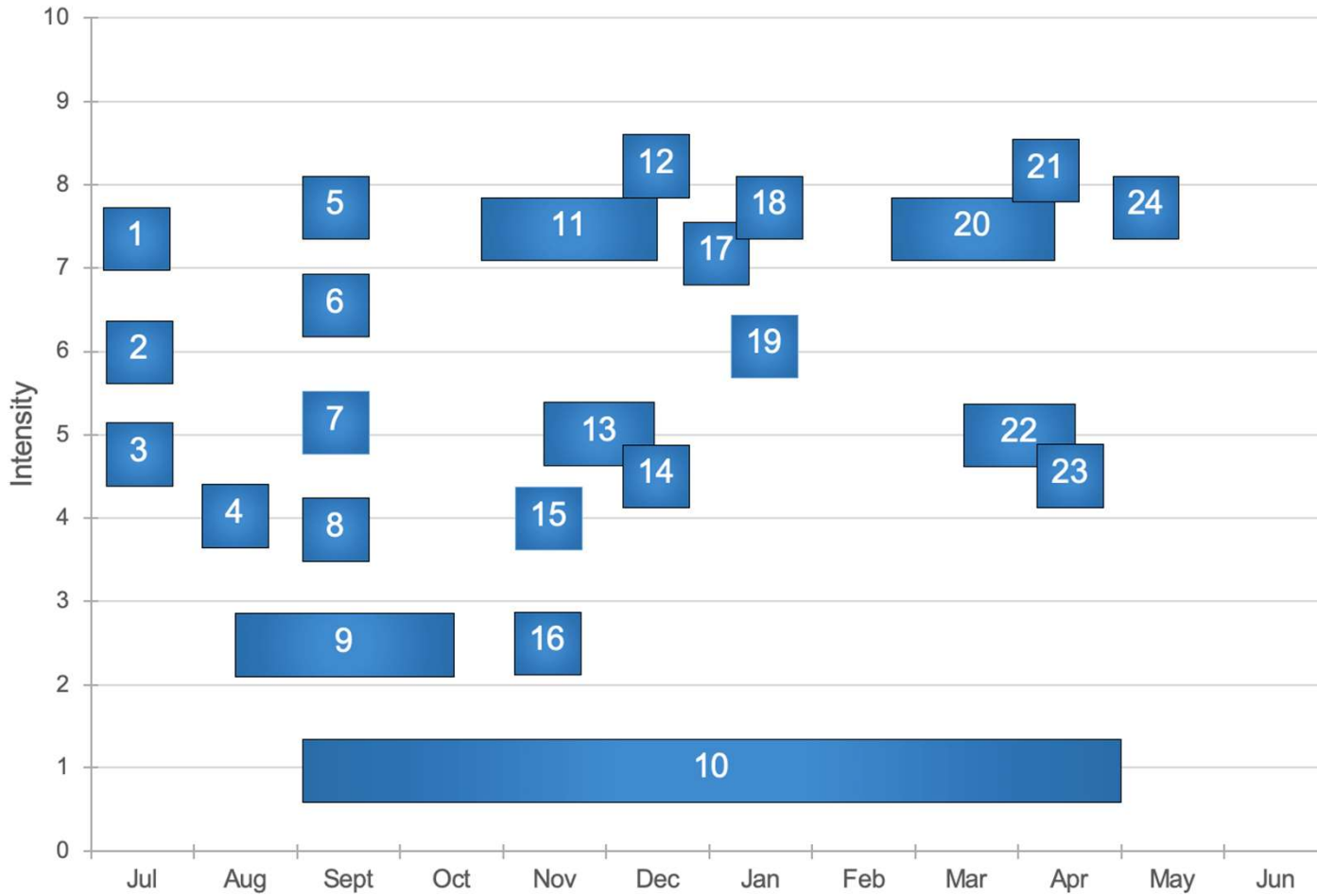
Undergraduate Student Needs/Challenges Timeline



Legend

1. Job stress
2. Registration and program problems
3. OSAP registration problems
4. Prepare for classes
5. Add/drop courses
6. Sexual assaults most common
7. Add/drop date (money or registration issues)
8. Surprise/disappointment at lower grades compared to high school
9. Break ups after first visit home
10. Midterms, final assignments, exams, extension requests
11. Voluntary Withdrawal day
12. Academic integrity problems
13. Students question abilities/consider not returning for second semester
14. Money problems
15. Registration and program problems
16. Finalize winter schedule
17. Grade appeals
18. Class preparation
19. Add/drop courses
20. Stress about next term, applying for jobs/positions
21. Midterms, final assignments, exams, extension requests
22. Meal plan expires
23. Money problems
24. Grade appeals
25. Stress about summer employment, second semester academics
26. OSAP registration problems

Graduate Student Needs/Challenges Timeline

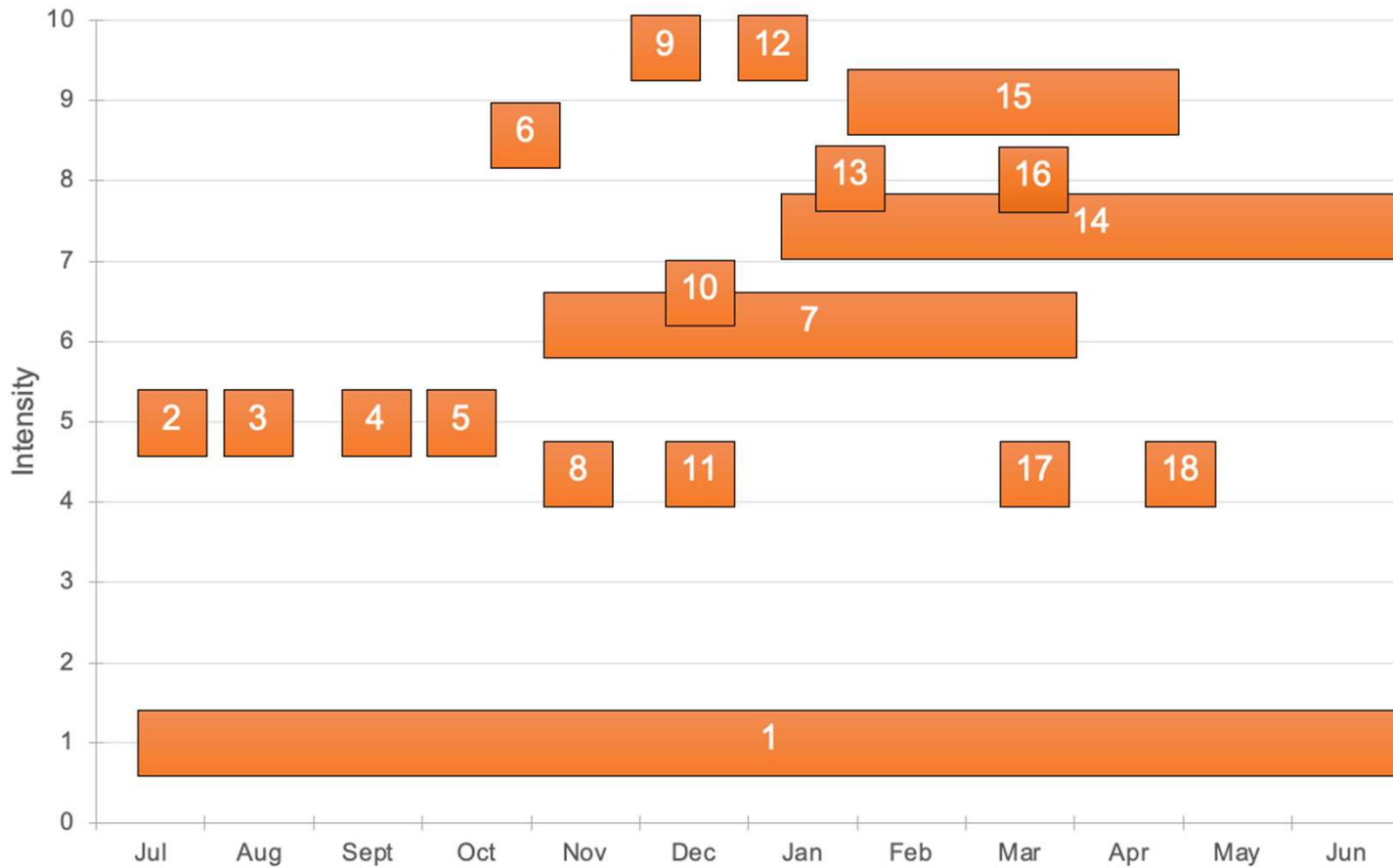


Legend

1. Scholarship applications begin
2. Academic Standing
3. Graduate student registration
4. UWindsor student application deadline
5. Deadline to submit rankings to grad studies
6. Vanier CGS application deadline
7. Deadline to submit nominations to grad studies
8. Grad student orientation
9. GA training
10. Acculturation
11. Course load issues
12. Complete fall courses
13. Complete GA requirements
14. GA exam responsibilities
15. Continue with new scholarship applications
16. Registration for winter semester
17. Tri-Council CGS-M application deadline
18. Academic Standing
19. OGS application due
20. Course load issues
21. Complete winter courses
22. Complete GA requirements
23. GA exam responsibilities
24. Academic Standing

As a Faculty Member...

Student Needs/Challenges Timeline



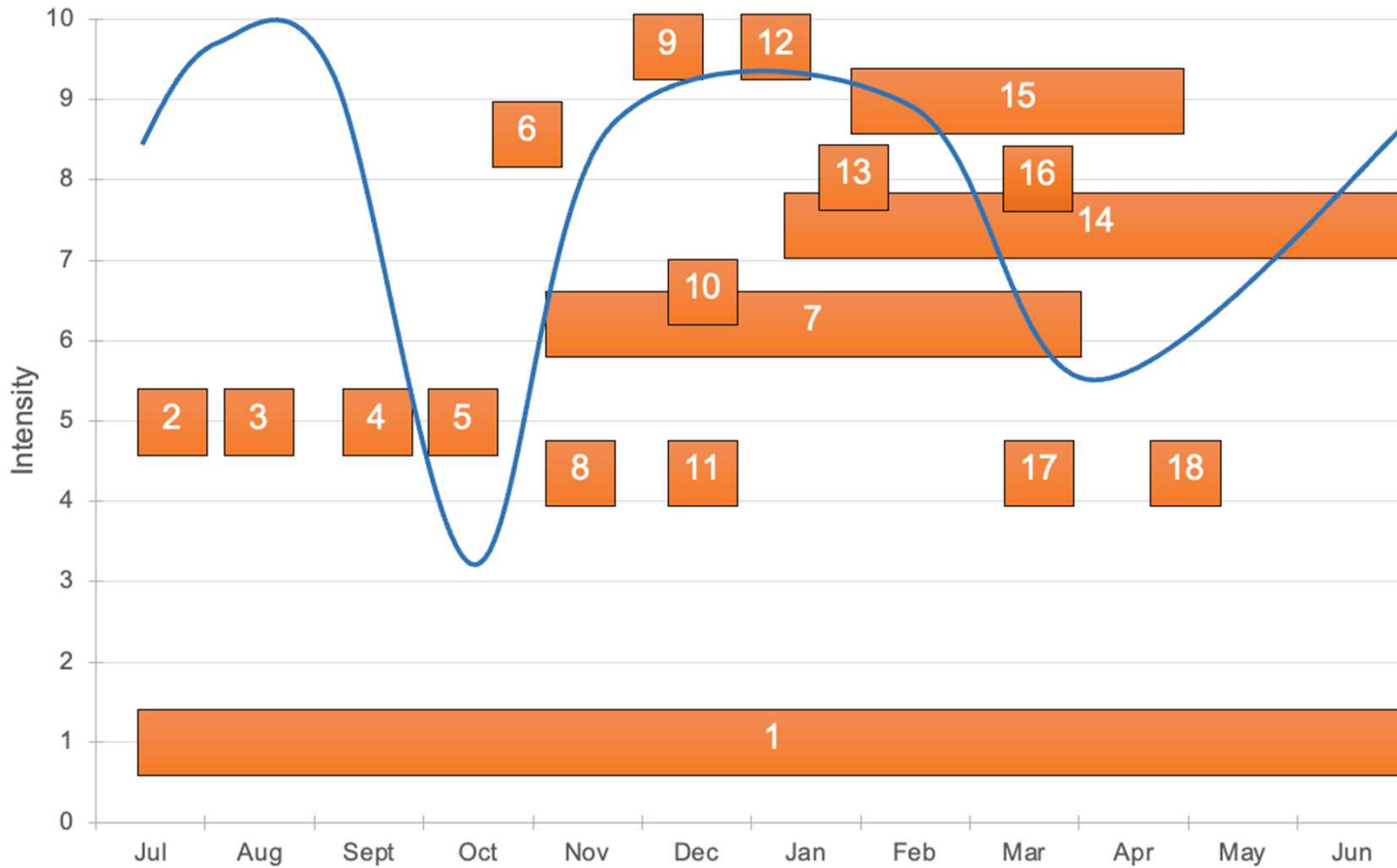
Legend

1. Admissions
2. Registration and program problems
3. GA assignments
4. Scholarship adjudication
5. Adjustments to independent life
6. Midterms/major asst. failure
7. Academic integrity
8. New GA assignments
9. Last minute exam help
10. Registration and program problems
11. Scholarship adjudication
12. Reference letters for grad applications
13. Scholarship adjudication
14. Admissions (grad programs)
15. Grade appeals
16. Midterms/major asst. failure
17. GA appointments
18. Academic Standing

...Your research cycle?

And Your Research...?

Student Needs/Challenges Timeline



Legend

1. Admissions
2. Registration and program problems
3. GA assignments
4. Scholarship adjudication
5. Adjustments to independent life
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...Your research cycle?

Finding YOUR Balance....



Work-life balance

Research-teaching-service balance

Sprint-marathon-rest balance

People-solitude balance

Hold the line on your goals -give some rope for what might arise balance

Hope-cynicism balance

Campus Community Network



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Campus Community Network

UWindsor Home > Faculty Recruitment > Early-Career Faculty Resources > Welcome & Arrival > Campus Community Network

Campus Community Network



Aboriginal Education Centre

The Aboriginal Education Centre (aka Turtle Island) provides support to self-identified Aboriginal students with the aim of helping them reach their highest potential in a culturally supportive atmosphere.



Campus Bookstore

Manages the ordering and sale of textbooks for university courses, technology products, campus clothing, and other products.

Campus Community Police

Works in partnership with the University community to provide a safe and secure environment to all students, staff, faculty, and visitors; provides a 24-hour presence on our campus to respond to routine and emergency calls for service.

Central Academic Advising

Provides academic advising related to course and program changes, assessment of academic progress, academic procedures, and the development of plans to deal with

Centre for Teaching and Learning

Works to enhance the practice, culture, and scholarship of teaching and learning on campus. Supports the integration of effective teaching practices and technologies that extend

Continuing Education

Provide life-long learning opportunities that facilitate personal, professional, and community growth.

<https://www.uwindsor.ca/faculty/recruitment/567/campus-community-network>



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An Introduction to Course Design...

Jessica Raffoul, Acting Director; Laura Chittle, Learning Specialist
Centre for Teaching and Learning

NFO Guidebook
Countdown pg. 47



What is your approach to course design? Where do you start?

The context in which...

Curriculum

- A structured program concentrated on facilitating student learning in a designated discipline ([Curriculum Services, CTL, UWindsor, 2024](#))
- Intentionally-designed, scaffolded pathway
- Established and approved program-level outcomes
- CuMA: <https://ctl2.uwindsor.ca/cuma/prj/>



The context within...

- Graduate/Undergraduate
- Required/Not Required
- Large Class/Small Class
- Online/F2F/Hyflex
- GA-Supported/No GAs
- Cross-Listed
- Interdisciplinary
- Capstone
- Experiential
- Other...?

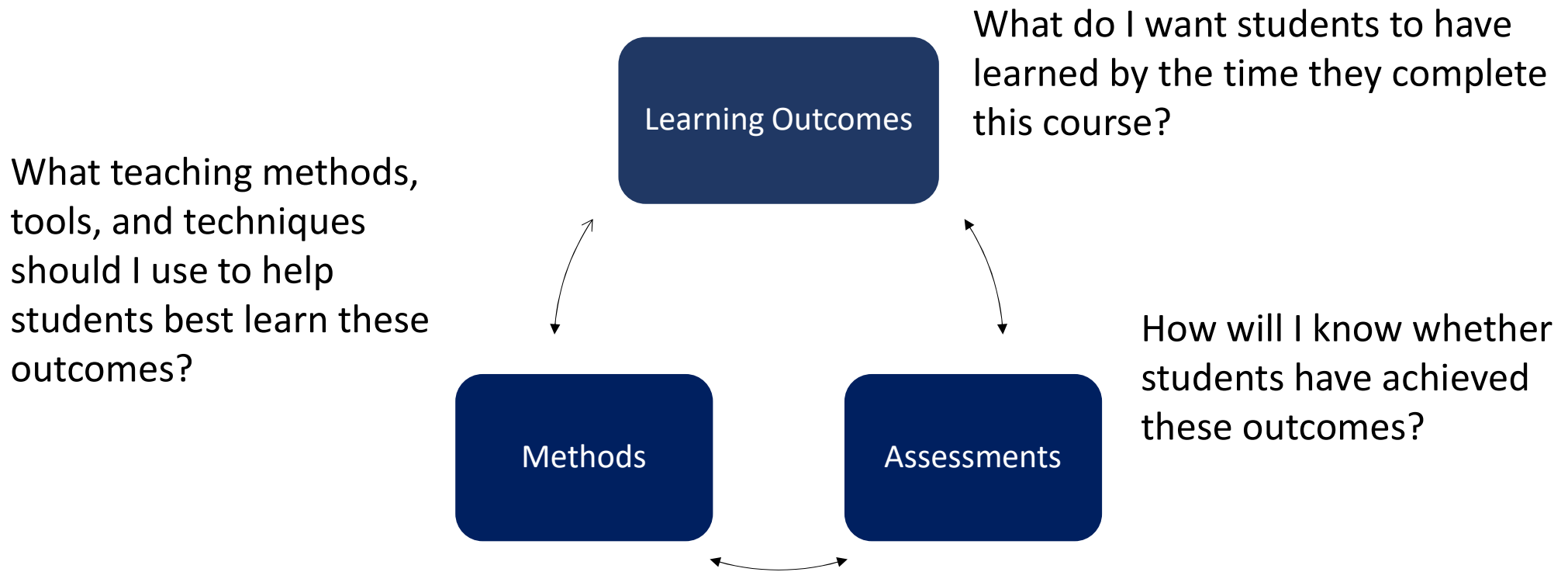




Intentional Teaching | Backward Design

Material adapted from *LCTHE*, CTL, J. Raffoul, Fall 2023

Intentional Teaching: Backward Design

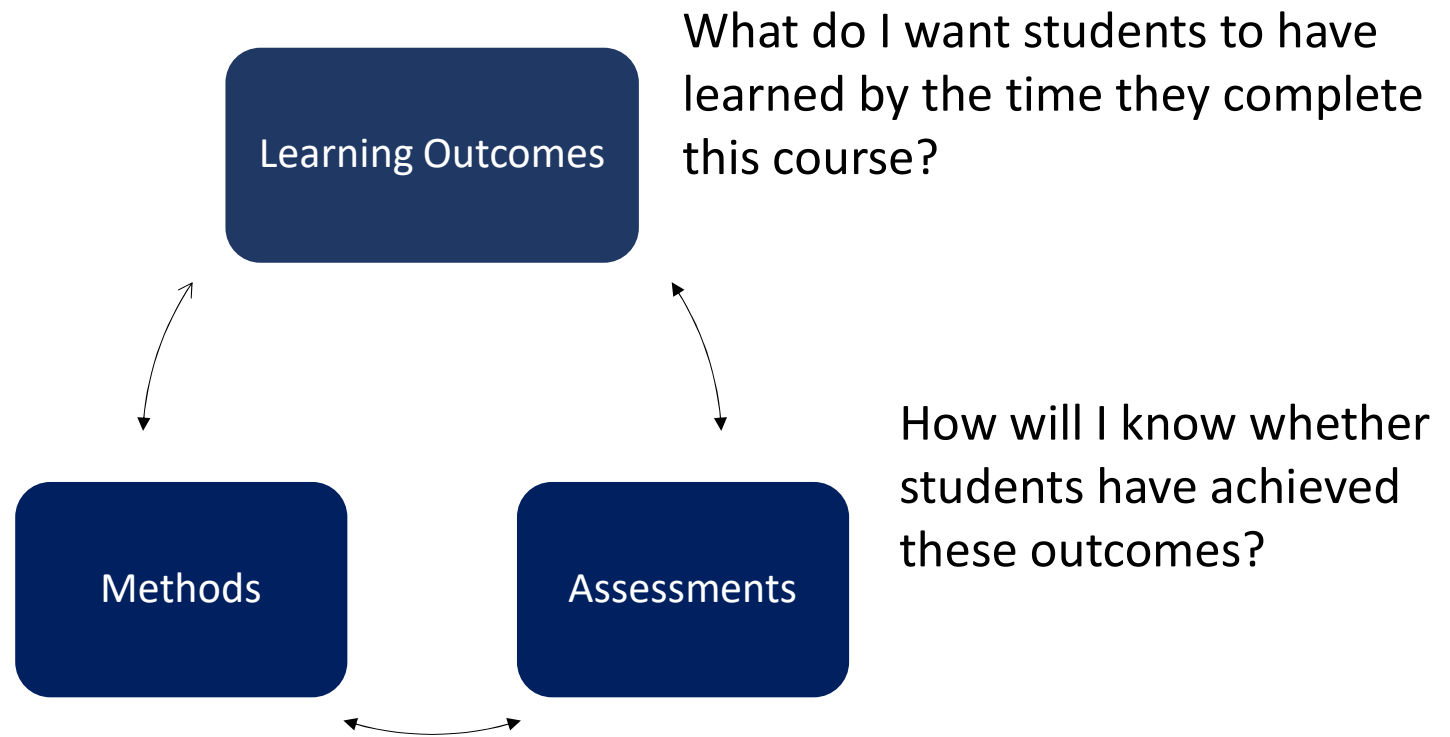




Learning Outcomes

- Statements that indicate what students will know, value, or be able to do by the end of a course
- Written from the student's perspective
- Assessable and observed

Intentional Teaching: Backward Design






What assessments have you used in the past?

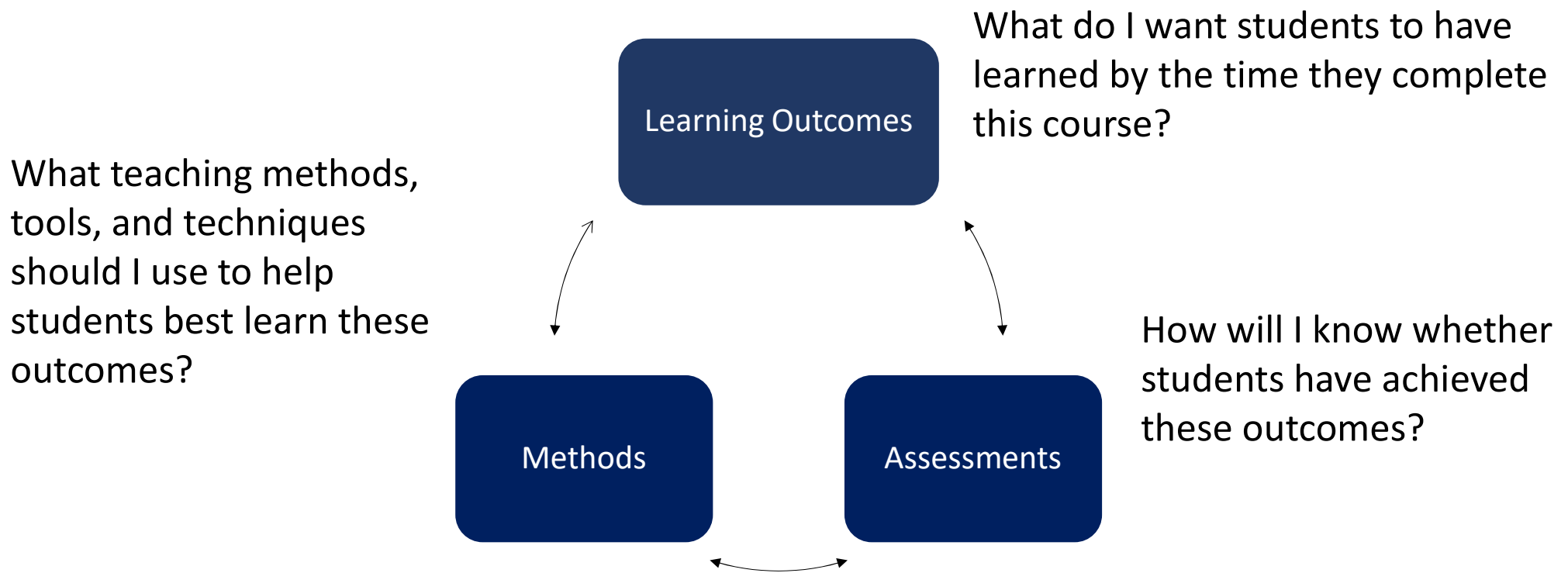
Outcomes and Assessments

Outcomes	Assessment
Describe the characteristics of learning-centred teaching	Written paper, oral presentation, discussion, reflection, etc.
Apply and interrogate scholarly information on teaching and learning	Critical analysis paper, micro-teaching facilitation, debate, discussion, etc.
Disseminate research findings on a topic of interest to varied audiences	Oral presentation, manuscript, podcast, infographic, news release etc.

Analytic Rubrics

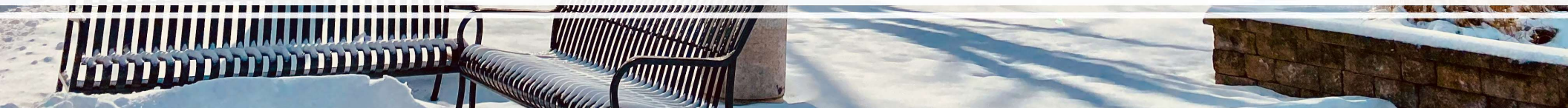
DOMAIN / CRITERIA	LEVELS OF ACHIEVEMENT 			
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Intentional Teaching: Backward Design





What teaching methods/approaches have you used in the past?



“Learning is not a spectator sport. Students do not learn much just sitting in class listening to teachers, memorizing prepackaged assignments, and spitting out answers. They must talk about what they are learning, write about it, relate it to past experiences, apply it to their daily lives. They must make what they learn part of themselves.”

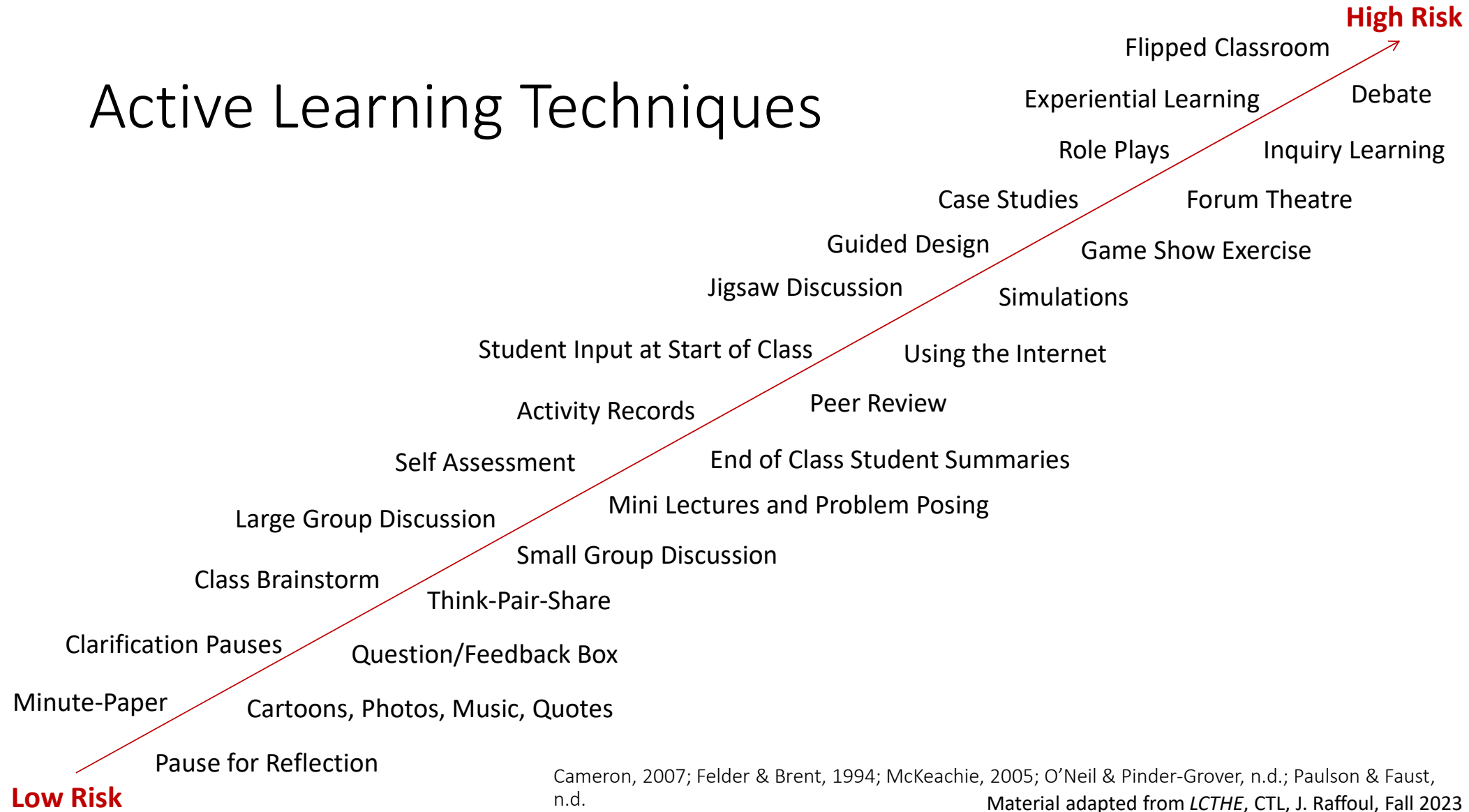
Bonwell, 1992



Active Learning

- Methods and strategies that actively engage students with course material, and often, with one another
- Engages students in deep learning
- Complements traditional lectures with additional forms of engagement and multiple means of representing course content

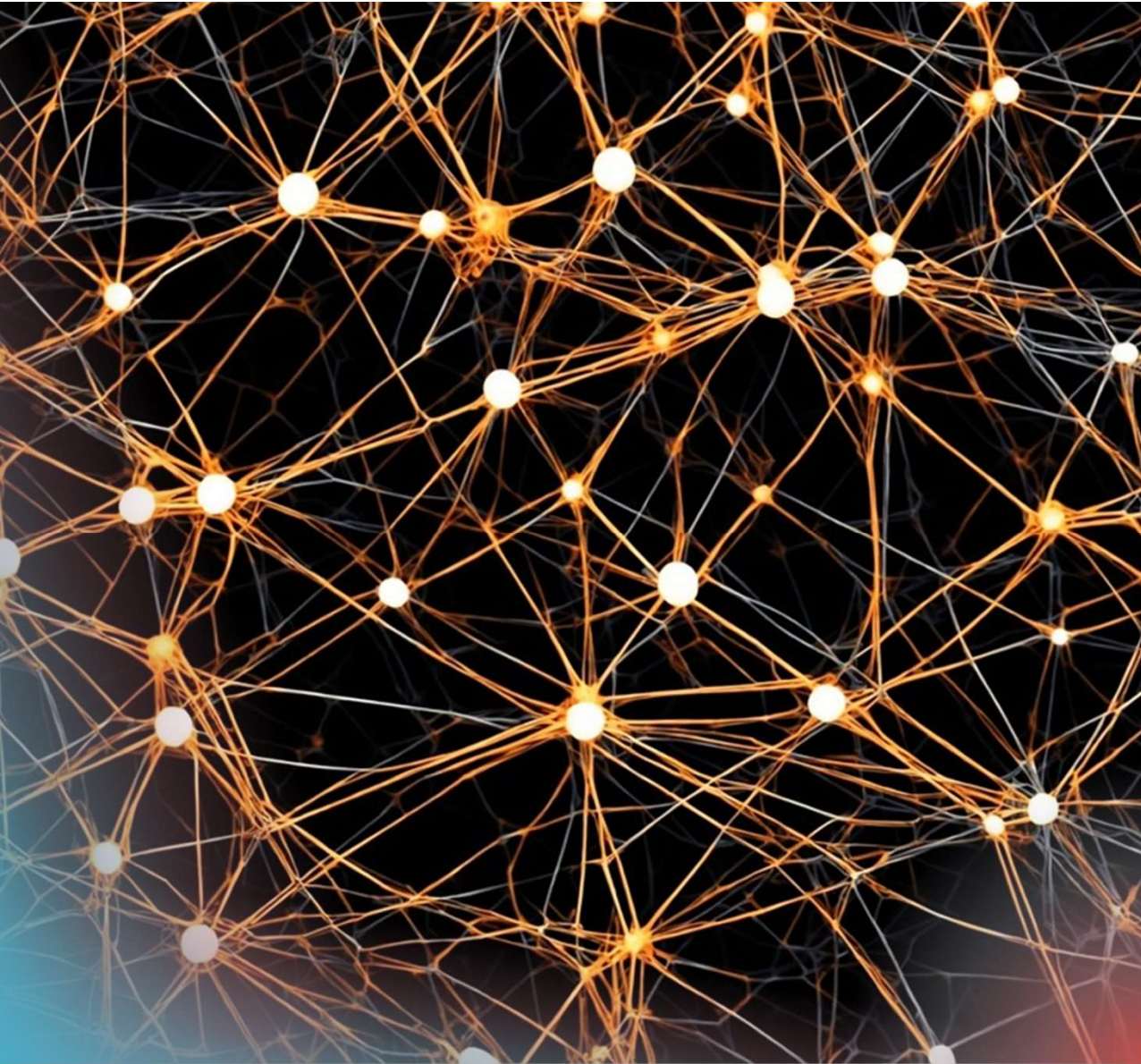
Active Learning Techniques





INHALE

EXHALE



Good teaching
doesn't happen by
chance.

Lesson Plans: Guidebook, p. 55

Syllabus Checklist:

<https://www.uwindsor.ca/ctl/501/syllabus>

Material adapted from *LCTHE*, CTL, J. Raffoul, Fall 2023



Know your audience; respect your context.

Midterm Feedback:

<https://www.uwindsor.ca/ctl/505/gathering-feedback-teaching>

Know Thyself:
What is Your Teaching
Identity?



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Forever
learning,
forever
developing...

CTL Workshops



Teaching and
Learning Series



Summer Series



Indigenous
Curriculum and Pedagogy



Supporting
Early Career Faculty



The Teaching
Dossier Academy



GATAcademy



Instructional
Skills Workshop



Intersections



Anti-Racism & Anti-Oppression
Teaching and Learning Series



Resisting Pedagogies

The Centre for Teaching and Learning sponsors and facilitates an ongoing series of workshops focused on teaching and learning issues that impact student engagement and the student experience at the University of Windsor. These events are open to the University community.

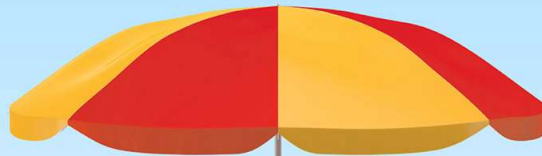


Visit uwindsor.ca/ctl/events to register or for more information on CTL workshops, events, courses, and programs.

Summer Series

on Teaching and Learning

August 13-14, 2024



uwindsor.ca/ctl/summerseries



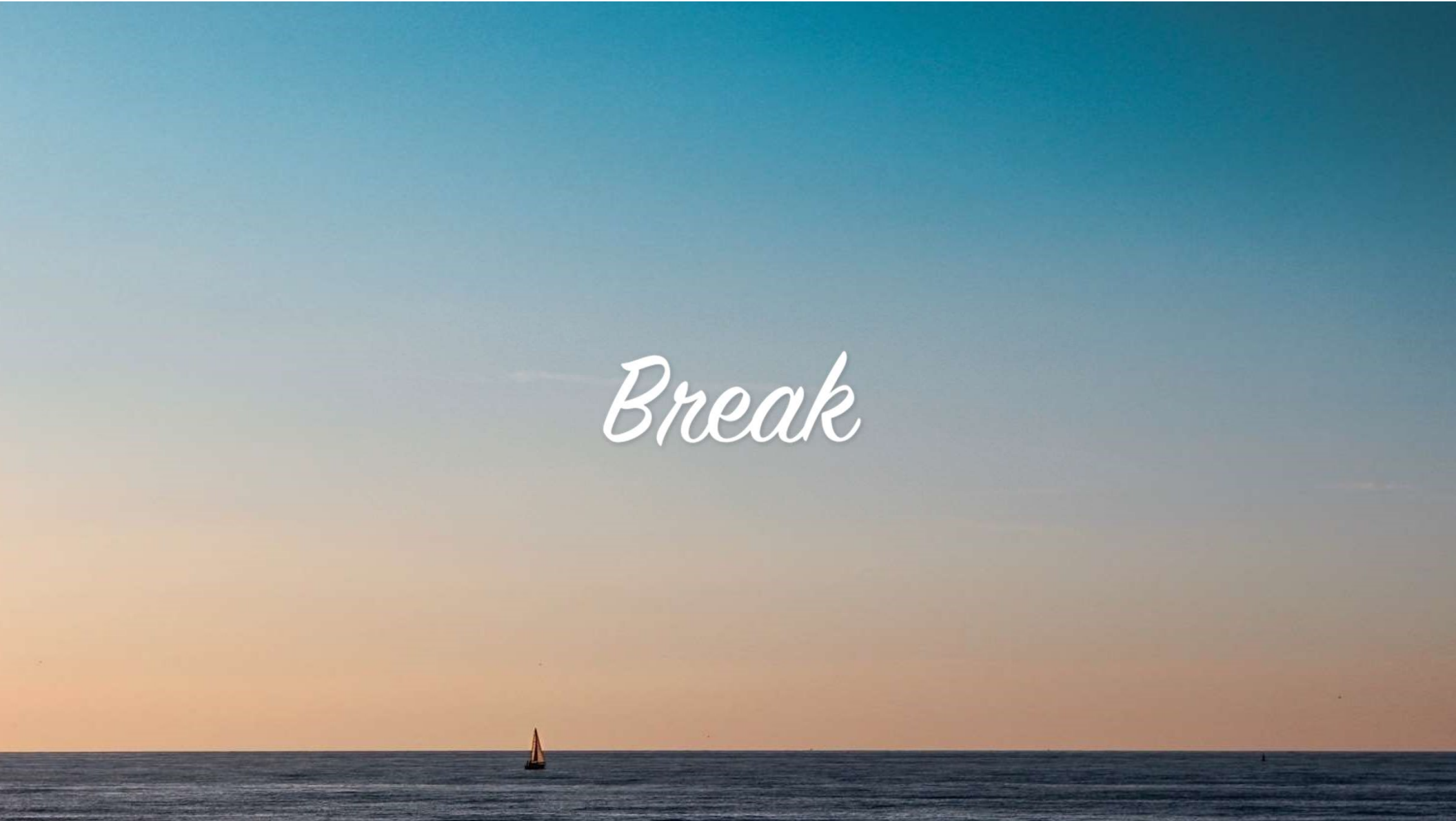
Summer Series
CENTRE FOR TEACHING & LEARNING



Questions?

ctl@uwindsor.ca

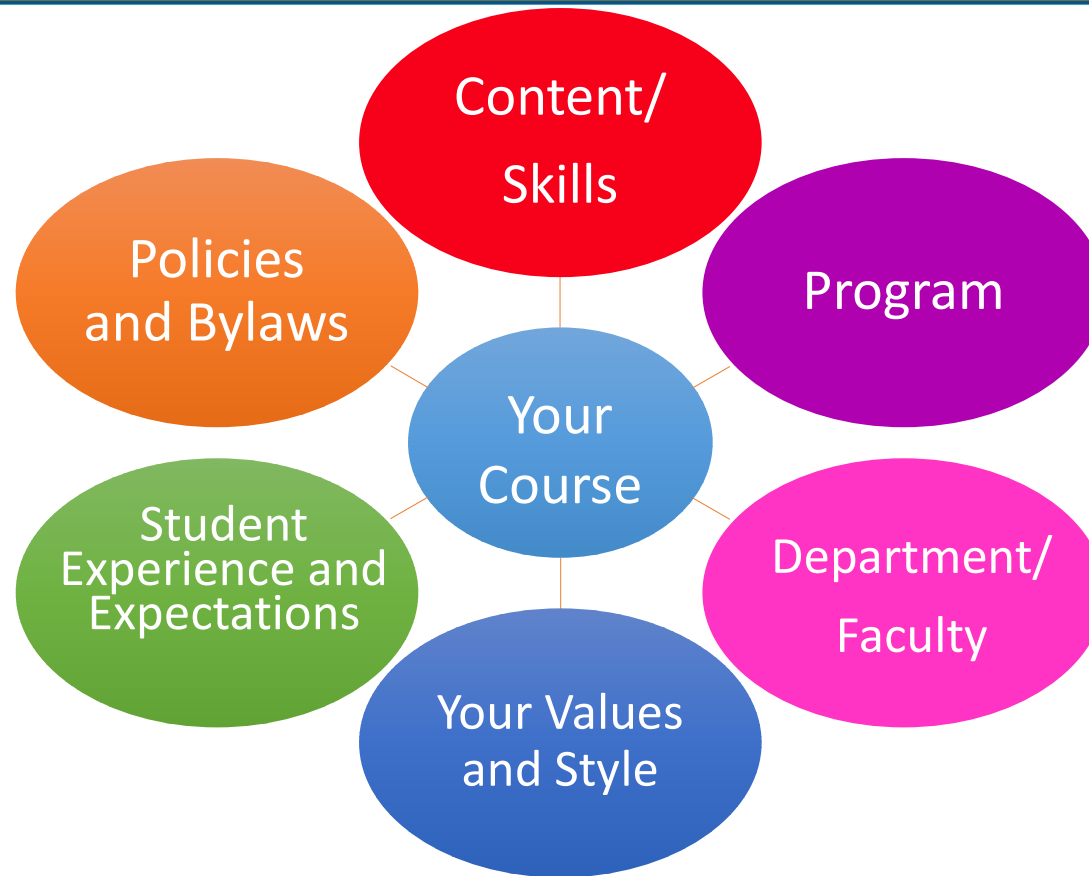
Break



Factors in Course Design



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Avoiding the Splat: Key Bylaws for Your Hip Pocket

Renée Wintermute
University Secretary, University Secretariat

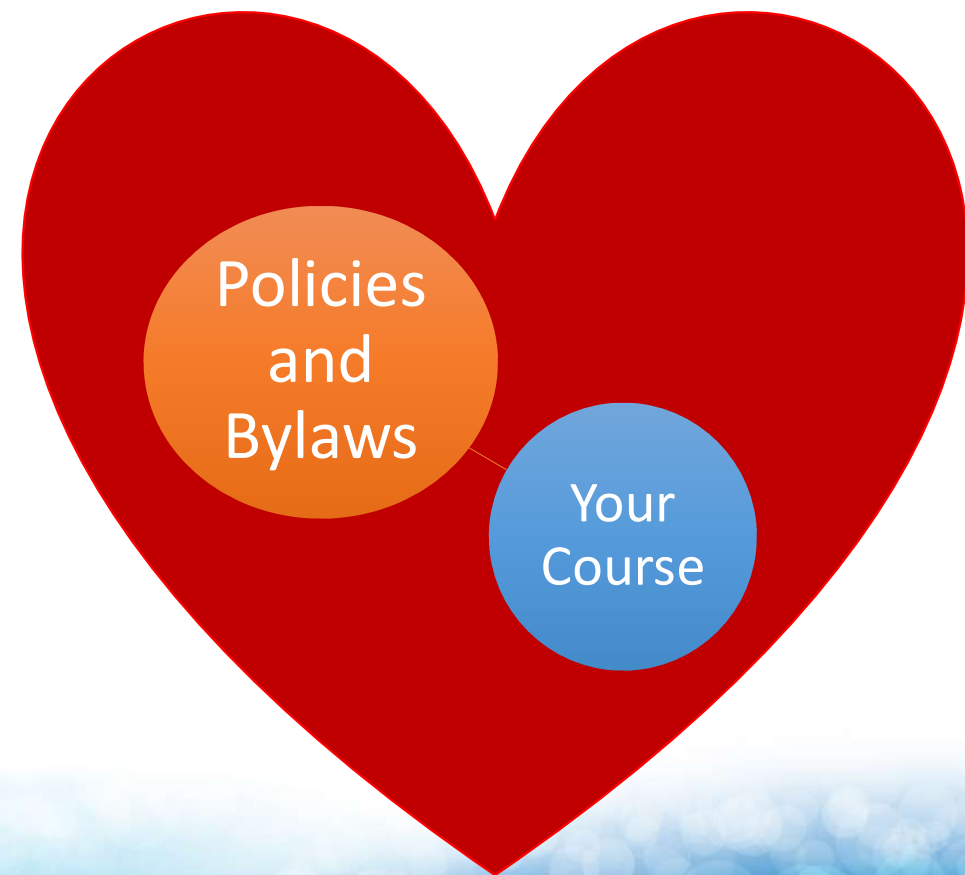
Dr. Frankie Cachon
Learning Specialist, Department of
Interdisciplinary and Critical Studies, and
Coordinator of the Bystander Initiative, Office of
Sexual Violence Prevention, Resistance, and
Support

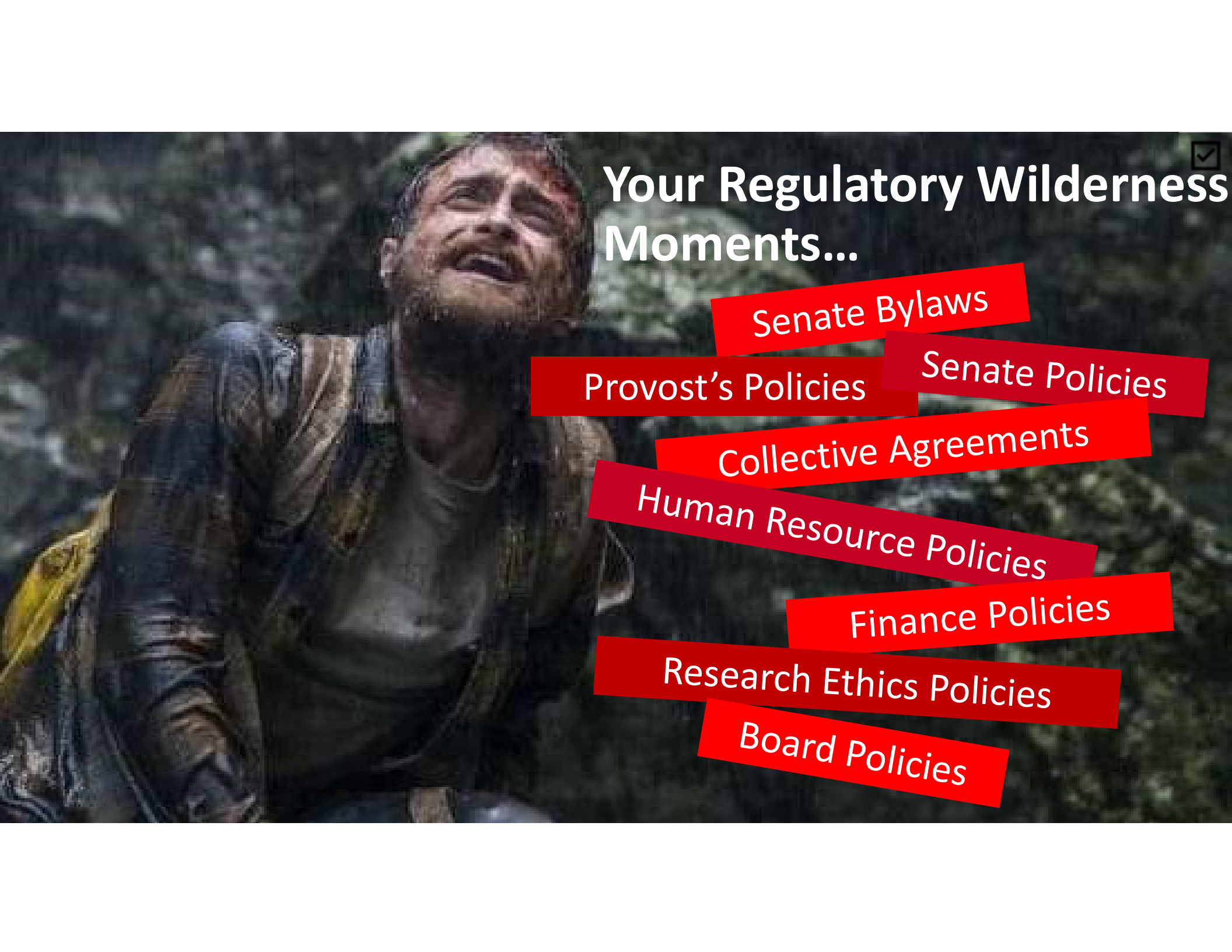
Seuss, D. (1974). *There's a wocket in my pocket!* New York, N.Y.: Beginner.



Learning to Love Bylaws and Policies

- Consistency
- Fairness
- Authoritative source
- Agreed-upon procedures
- Based on experience
- Democratically governed practice
- Room to maneuver
- **YOUR TIME**





Your Regulatory Wilderness Moments...

Senate Bylaws

Provost's Policies

Senate Policies

Collective Agreements

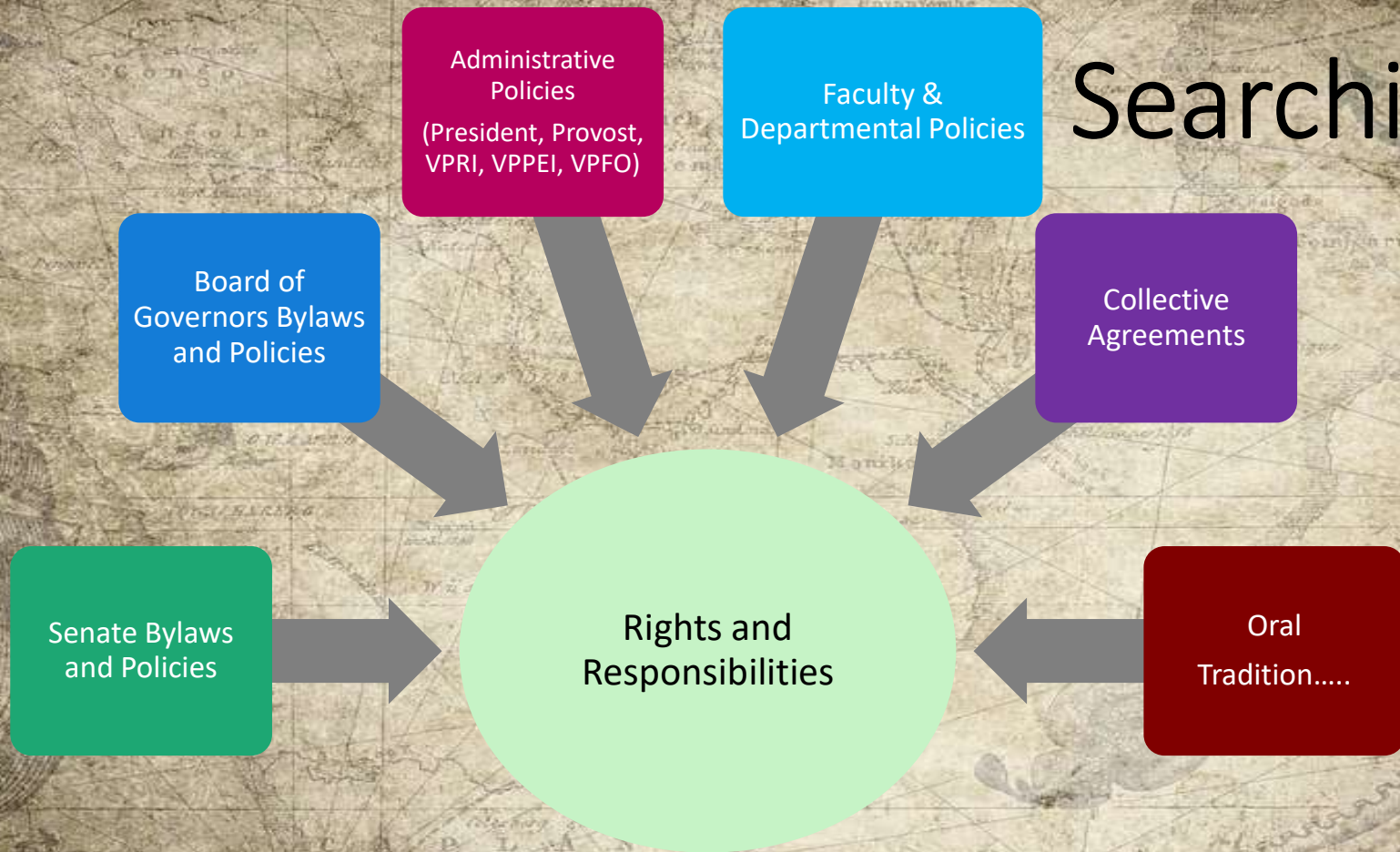
Human Resource Policies

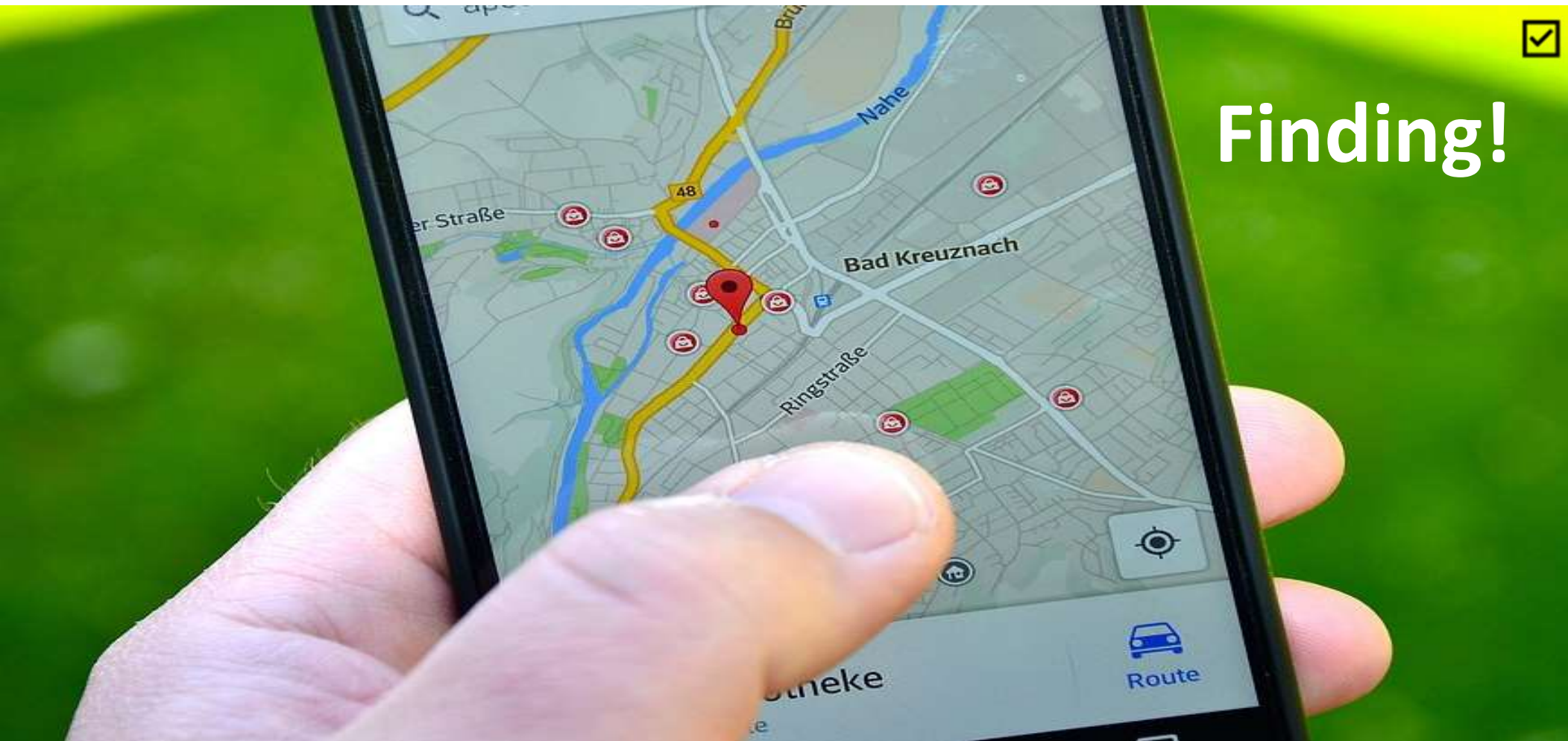
Finance Policies

Research Ethics Policies

Board Policies

Searching....





www.uwindsor.ca/policies

<http://www.uwindsor.ca/faculty/recruitment/315/policies-procedures-bylaws>



Today's Focus: Senate Bylaws and Policies

(with a smattering of others...)

Senate Bylaws and Policies

- Bylaw 31: Academic Integrity
- Bylaw 32: Procedural Irregularities and Discrimination Regarding Academic Instruction, Academic Evaluation and Academic Grade Appeals
- Bylaw 54: Undergraduate Academic Evaluation Procedures
- Bylaw 55: Graduate Academic Evaluation Procedures
- Academic Accommodation for Students with Disabilities
- Conduct of Exams and Tests
- Grading and Calculation of Averages
- Graduate Studies Policy on Plagiarism
- Medical Notes from Regulated Health Care Professionals
- Plagiarism-Detection Software
- Reading Week and Semester Lengths
- Recording of Lectures
- Research Involving Humans (Guidelines)/Research Ethics Board
- Student Code of Conduct
- Student Perceptions of Teaching (SPT) and Mandatory Administration of SPT
- Timing of Assessments for Asynchronous Online Courses

Administrative Policies/Guidelines

- Procedures for Addressing Student Non-Academic Misconduct
- Policy on the Use of Digital Learning Resources for Instructional and Assessment Purposes
- Policy on Intimate Personal Relations
- Religious Accommodation Guidelines for Students

Board Policies

- Board Policy on Sexual Misconduct
- Behavioural Intervention Plan
- Student Code of Conduct

Faculty Collective Agreement

- Articles 5, 35





Content Forecast



We will be briefly addressing a range of difficult topics.

Do what you need to do to care for yourself.



Challenge: Course Planning

Figure out what you CAN and CAN'T include in your syllabus, using:

- the bylaws and policies list (Guidebook p. 70-71)
- The University Policy Database
www.uwindsor.ca/policies
- The Learning-Centred Syllabus and Bylaw checklist
<https://www.uwindsor.ca/ctl/501/syllabus>

Check your email for online links.



Challenge: Course Planning

Example - Go to your Worksheet:

A. Course Planning – Creating Your Syllabus

You need to write your course syllabus to be distributed by the first day of classes. [Bylaw 54](#) (2.1-2.2) (Undergraduate) and [Bylaw 55](#) (1.1-1.2) (Graduate) set out the minimum requirements for your course syllabi. [Bylaw 54](#) (2.3-2.10) and [Bylaw 55](#) (1.3-1.6) also set out rules and conditions around academic evaluations, which are to inform your course syllabi. In addition to specific requirements, the bylaws stipulate that the course syllabus must include any other matters as mandated by University, Senate or Faculty policy. Office hours are to be included in the course syllabus as per the [Faculty Collective Agreement 5:25\(j\)](#).

Refer to the bylaw/policy sections provided, as well as the Learning-Centred Syllabus Checklist (Undergraduate) and the Learning-Centred Syllabus Checklist (Graduate) (created by CTL in consultation with the University Secretariat) to respond to the following questions.

NB: Bylaws and policies often refer to first-entry undergraduate programs, which means all undergraduate programs, with the exception of Law and Education. Law and Education are second-entry undergraduate programs.

1. Can I include attendance as a grade in my undergraduate course? (Bylaw 54, 2.4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Maybe. Explain:
2. Can I have a final assignment due the last week of	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Maybe. Explain:



Challenge: Course Planning

Example: Can I include attendance as a grade in my course?

www.uwindsor.ca/policies



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HOME SEARCH ▾

Tools

Policy on Admin Policies
Policy Template (WORD)

Quick Links

Senate Bylaws

University Bylaws & Policies

"Bylaw 54"



Search In:

Policies



All Fields



Add



Challenge: Course Planning

Example: Can I include attendance as a grade in my course?

www.uwindsor.ca/policies

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Search Results Show: Policies (7)

Searched everywhere for '(University_of_Windsor_Central_Policies.AllText:("Bylaw 54"))'. 7 matches were found. 1-7 are shown.

Select **All** **None** Page << **1** >> View 50 items Sort by Status (A to Z)

Refine Search Results

Type

- Bylaw (4)
- Policy (3)

Status

- Superseded (5)
- Active (2)

Office with Administrative Responsibility

- University Secretariat (7)

Policies

- Covid 19 Emergency Academic Plan**
Active
Administered by: University Secretariat
Approved by: Senate
- Undergraduate Academic Evaluation Procedures**
Bylaw 54
Active




Challenge: Course Planning

Example: Can I include attendance as a grade in my course?

www.uwindsor.ca/policies

View Policy



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SENATE BYLAW

Bylaw 54: Undergraduate Academic Evaluation Procedures
ADOPTED by Senate: 11 Feb 1974
AMENDED by Senate: 16 Jan 1976, 21 Sep 1977, 14 Dec 1978, 14 May 1981, 15 Oct 1981, 17 Mar 1983, 15 Dec 1983, 27 Sep 1984, 13 Dec 1984, 19 Sep 1985, 14 Nov 1985, 18 Jun 1986, 10 Jun 1987, 1 Dec 1987, 20 Oct 1988, 22 Sep 1989, 2 Nov 1989, 27 Jun 1990, 21 Apr 1994, 12 May 2004, 9 June 2005, 12 April 2006, 7 June 2006, 10 May 2007, 9 Dec 2009, 8 Feb 2013, 12 Apr 2013, 10 Apr 2015, 10 June 2016, 26 May 2017, 14 Dec 2018, 8 Feb 2019, 10 May 2019 (revised and renumbered from Bylaw 51, 08 Nov 2019, 13, Dec 2019).

AMENDED Due to Administrative/Organizational/Name Changes: 6 June 2014, 09 October 2015.



Challenge: Course Planning

Example: Can I include attendance as a grade in my course?

www.uwindsor.ca/policies

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View Policy



2.4 The procedures for the grading of class participation should be clearly stated to students in the written information specifying the procedures for the determination of final grades. When class participation is included in the final grade, the proportion of the marks awarded for class participation must be reasonable in all circumstances, and in all but exceptional instances, shall not amount to more than 20% of the final grade. In the case of courses where students are placed in field settings (such as practica, co-op placements, internships, clinical and field placements), where the basics of professional behaviour form a core component of the learning outcomes, attendance requirements may be imposed by the program area.

2.5 Other Evaluation Procedures



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Course Syllabus Must Haves

- All procedures determining final grade, such as curving, types and formats of evaluations, how the final grade will be calculated (caution: check bylaws 54 and 55 for restrictions)
- Dates of activities affecting final course grade
- Missed test/make-up evaluation policies
- Standardized grading scale
- Information on the last day to voluntarily withdraw from the course
- Information on the University's mental health resources
- Information or restrictions regarding the use of generative artificial intelligence (AI) in the course





More Course Syllabus Must Haves

- Any other matters mandated by University, Senate, Faculty, or Department policy
- Office hours
- Student Perceptions of Teaching procedures
- Use of Digital Learning Resources for Instruction and Assessment
- Plagiarism & plagiarism prevention software
- Restrictions around recording lectures
- TIP: Set expectations on email response time



Tricky Bits



Attendance as
a grade?



Tricky Bits

Mostly No.

Exceptions: practica, placements, and internships where attendance an element of professionalism. (see your Head).

You CAN grade participation, with specific explanation of how and what is being assessed.



Attendance as
a grade?



Tricky Bits



Final
assignment
due last week
of term?



Tricky Bits

Mostly No.

Exception: if it is part of a set of routine, weekly tests integral to the teaching/learning process. Must be approved by Dean and listed in course syllabus. *



Final assignment due last week of term?

*Undergraduate, not including Law and Education

Tricky Bits



Final exam 70%
of the final
grade?

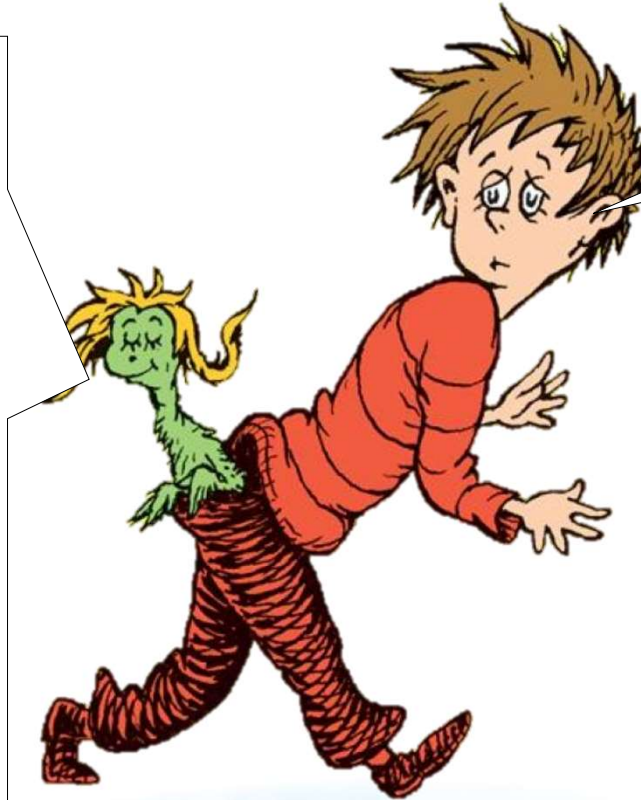


Tricky Bits

Mostly No.

No evaluative procedure can be worth more than 40% of the final grade. In rare cases, the Dean may grant an exemption. Approved exemptions must be stated in syllabus.

No requirement that students must pass an evaluation to pass the course. *



Final exam 70%
of the final
grade?

*Undergraduate, not including Law and Education



Tricky Bits



All assessments
due after
November 13?



Tricky Bits

Mostly No.

At least 20% of marks must be provided to students before Voluntary Withdrawal deadline. Exemptions can be approved by Dean, then explained in syllabus. *



All assessments due after November 13?

*Graduate and Undergraduate (not including Law and Education)

Tricky Bits

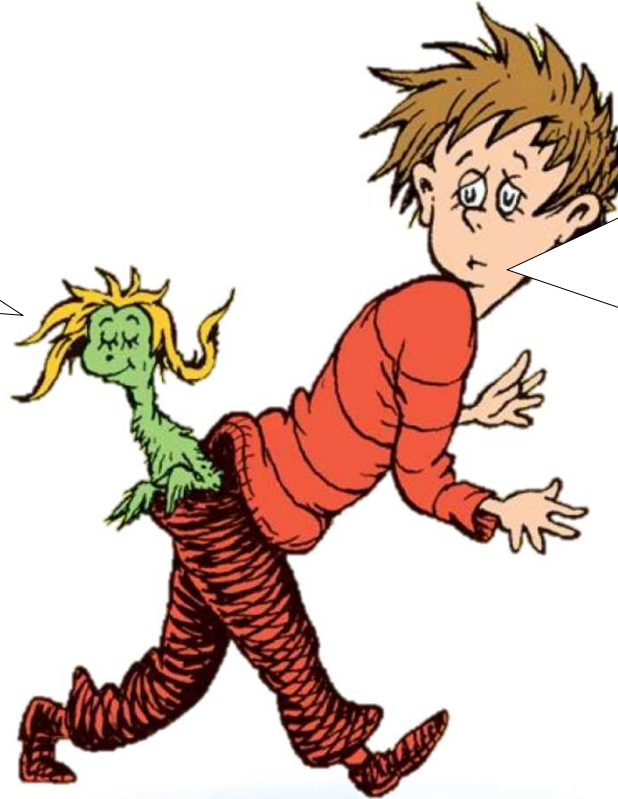


Run student essays through U's plagiarism detection program, Turnitin?



Tricky Bits

Yes, *if* you include that information in your syllabus



Run student essays through U's plagiarism detection program, Turnitin?



Tricky Bits



Schedule
midterm on
Saturday
(outside of
Reading
Week?)



Tricky Bits

Yes, in exceptional circumstances. *But*, students who can't make it have to be accommodated with an alternate evaluation equivalent in terms of type, format and level of difficulty.



Schedule
midterm on
Saturday
(outside of
Reading
Week?)

Tricky Bits



Schedule
midterm on
Saturday DURING
reading week?



Tricky Bits

No.
No evaluations
during reading
weeks.*



Schedule
midterm on
Saturday DURING
reading week?

* Exceptions for weekend-only
programs.



Tricky Bits



Change to syllabus once I've met students?



Tricky Bits

Yes, up to the end of the second week of classes.

- After that, dates can only be altered for compelling administrative or instructional reasons
- AND Two weeks' notice to students
- AND Procedures for determining grades cannot be changed after first two weeks. *



Change to syllabus once I've met students?

* Undergraduate. For Graduate, changes ok with consent of majority.

Tricky Bits



Change description
of a course I've
been assigned to
teach?



Tricky Bits

No.

- Must use course description, as approved by Senate, including general content of the course in the calendar description, course learning outcomes, and contact hours.
- Instructors determine how best to teach the material and to assess the students.



Change description of a course I've been assigned to teach?



Tricky Bits



Prohibit
recording of
classes?



Tricky Bits

Yes, if included in course syllabus.

- If not prohibited in course syllabus, can still restrict or prohibit recording of particular classes with advanced written notice.
- Exemption: students with accommodation to record and exemptions to their recording
- Exemption: recording of guest lecturers/classmates/presenters must receive their prior consent.
- Any recording is for private study by individual student.



Prohibit
recording of
classes?



Tricky Bits



In-person final exam or synchronous online final exam (specific three-hour exam block) for an asynchronous online course?

Tricky Bits

No.

- All assessments in asynchronous online courses must also be asynchronous.
- Must provide sufficient flexibility to meet the range of location and timing needs of students.
- Final exam must start or end with slot scheduled by the Registrar's Office.



In-person final exam or synchronous online final exam (specific three-hour exam block) for an asynchronous online course?

Tricky Bits



Can students use generative AI (eg, ChatGPT) in assignments?



Tricky Bits

Yes, unless you have stated otherwise in course syllabus.

- Must include in course syllabus information or restrictions regarding the use of generative artificial intelligence (AI).
- Can range from prohibiting use to unrestricted responsible use.
- default for not including the information in the course syllabus is that use of generative AI is permitted in the course.



Can students use generative AI (eg, ChatGPT) in assignments?



Student Conduct, Rights and Responsibilities

Figure out whether and how you **MUST** or **SHOULD** respond to certain scenarios

Action Required?



A student presents a registered educational accommodation related to a learning disability. ??

Action Required?

Yes, action is required.

- Must accommodate students with letters of accommodation issued by Student Accessibility Services.
- review the letter of accommodation and develop a plan with the student and SAS.



A student presents a registered educational accommodation related to a learning disability. ??



Views and Tools

- > Overview
- > Course Syllabus
- > Exam Accommodations
- > Alternative Formats
- > Notetaking Services

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INSTRUCTOR AUTHENTICATION PAGE

Username: **mfcachon**

REMINDERS

Welcome to Student Accessibility Services' (SAS) Faculty Module. Please select the "Continue..." button below to view your dashboard, which will enable you to:

- View a listing of your students and their accommodations for each of your courses.
- Export a list of students by eligibility (e.g., Extra time: time and one half, double time, etc.).
- Receive real-time updates to accommodation plans should it change throughout the term.
- Navigate between courses and sections using the Advanced Search Panel option.
- Submit and make changes to your Alternative Testing agreement, so SAS can appropriately facilitate your in-person tests on your behalf.

Protecting the privacy of our student's accommodation needs is important to us and you play an important role in ensuring this information is kept confidential.

The University of Windsor is committed to ensuring our students have equal access to their education. More information about our duty to accommodate can be found under the <https://www.uwindsor.ca/ohrea/58/accommodation>.

Information about a student's registration with Student Accessibility Services, and their eligible accommodations, are being shared with you for the sole purpose of accommodation planning and facilitation. Any other use of this private health information is forbidden and is in violation with Human Rights and privacy legislation.

We appreciate your cooperation!

Continue to View Student Accommodations

Action Required?



A student needs an extension based on extenuating circumstances. ??



Action Required?



Yes, action is required.

- Informal requests determined by instructor.
- Formal requests (student not satisfied or goes directly to this stage) are determined by AD (undergrad) or AAU Head (grad).
- If claim deemed valid, student provided with accommodation (extension, alternate exam).
- Alternate evaluations **MUST** be equivalent in terms of type, format and level of difficulty.



A student needs an extension based on extenuating circumstances. ??

Action Required?



A student wishes to pray in accordance with their religious commitments, during an exam. ??



Action Required?

Yes, action is required.

- Allow student to pray in a location that is not disruptive to other students.
- Student must notify instructor in advance.
- Students can also ask for alternate exam date based on religious observances, through Registrar's Office.



A student wishes to pray in accordance with their religious commitments, during an exam. ??



Action Required?



A student makes a complaint to your department head because you're not following your syllabus. ??





Action Required?

Yes, action is required.

- Review course syllabus with Head and determine appropriate remedy to be applied to all students.
- If not satisfied, student can file a formal appeal with the Associate Dean (undergrad) or the Dean of Grad Studies (grad).
- If again not satisfied, student can file a formal petition with the Senate Procedures and Discrimination Committee.



A student makes a complaint to your department head because you're not following your syllabus. ??

Action Required?



A group of students complain about a group member who can never come to group meetings and doesn't complete their part of projects. ??

Action Required?



Yes, action is required.

- Advise students to continue their work and keep record of who completed what, and all communications and attempts to work with other student.
- Clearly state in course syllabus how group work will be assessed, including what will happen to non-participating group member.



A group of students complain about a group member who can never come to group meetings and doesn't complete their part of projects. ??



Tricky Bits

Getting Help on Complex Student Matters

The situations described in this section are complex and no matter how experienced, getting expert help for these is probably best.

For each of the situations, who might you contact?



Who To Contact?

A student discloses an experience of sexual violence to you.

1. Dean/Associate Dean/Head of Department
2. AVP, Student Experience
3. Office of Sexual Violence Prevention, Resistance & Support
4. Student Counselling Centre and/or Assessment and Care Team
5. All of the above

PREVENT.
RESIST.
SUPPORT.

The University of Windsor is a Canadian leader in addressing and preventing campus-based sexual violence by offering evidence-based, institutionally supported, and campus-wide programs.

The Office of Sexual Violence

Prevention, Resistance, and Support



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Who To Contact?

I have a student whom I believe is seriously depressed.

1. Head of Department
2. AVP, Student Experience
3. Student Counselling Centre
4. Assessment and Care Team
5. All of the above



Student Health, Counselling and Wellness

Home >

- > Counselling
- > Health Services
- > Wellness
- > It Matters that You're Here: Campus Suicide Prevention Initiative



UWindsor Home > Student Health, Counselling and Wellness > Student Health, Counselling and Wellness Services

Student Health, Counselling and Wellness Services

Student Health, Counselling and Wellness Services is your one-stop shop to address your wellness needs at UWindsor. We assist students in understanding, developing, and fulfilling their own potential so that they can get the most out of their university experience while also managing the obstacles and challenges that come with it.

Our office provides student-centered medical services, counselling options, wellness programming and resources to support you in your university journey.





Human Resources

Home

> Welcome

∨ Faculty & Staff

My Attendance Application

> Benefits

> Pensions

> Professional Development

∨ Workplace Wellness

Employee Mental Health Resources >

Academic Labour Relations

Employee Relations

Staff Labour Relations

> New Employee Hub

> Safety



Human Resources > Faculty & Staff > Workplace Wellness > Employee Mental Health Resources

Employee Mental Health Resources

This page is designed to connect you to the mental health resources available in our community and online.

If you or someone you know is having a mental health emergency, please call 911, go to your nearest Emergency Department or contact the [Windsor-Essex County Health Unit](#) Community Crisis Line at 519- 973-4435, or [Canada's Suicide Crisis Helpline](#) at 9-8-8.

Important Update

Following the acquisition of LifeWorks by TELUS Health, LifeWorks has rebranded to TELUS Health for the University of Windsor Employee Assistance Program (EAP) with updates provided by TELUS Health in January 2024. There are no changes to your EAP services. Please refer to our [Communications and News webpage](#) for details.

UWindsor Supports:



Who To Contact?

Is that paper plagiarized?

1. Associate Dean/Dean
2. Head of Department
3. University Secretariat
4. All of the above



Who To Contact?

I have a student that keeps making racist statements in class.

1. Associate Dean/Dean
2. Head of Department
3. Office of Student Rights and Responsibilities
4. University Secretariat
5. All of the above

Instructor Conduct, Rights, and Responsibilities

What CAN/CAN'T you do?

Can/Can't Do?



Can I use student assignments and feedback in a research paper?



Can/Can't Do?

Yes, *provided* you've received written permission from the students and clearance from the Research Ethics Board.



Can I use student assignments and feedback in a research paper?



Can/Can't Do?



Can I ask my GA out
on a date?
Can my GA go out
on a date with one
of their students?



Can/Can't Do?



No.

The inherent power imbalance raises questions of consent vs coercion, and bias.



Can I ask my GA out on a date?
Can my GA go out on a date with one of their students?

Can/Can't Do?



Must I administer
the Student
Perceptions of
Teaching surveys in
class at the end of
the term?



Can/Can't Do?

Yes.

- Course syllabus should clearly state that SPTs will be administered sometime during the last two weeks of classes.
- Students should be given 15 minutes at the beginning of the class to complete the survey.



Must I administer the Student Perceptions of Teaching surveys in class at the end of the term?



Can/Can't Do?



Must I curve my grades if directed to do so by the Head/Dean?



Can/Can't Do?

Yes.

- All grades are approved by the Dean.
- If the Faculty has a grading policy around curving, then the Head or Dean can require you to curve your grades or they can adjust them accordingly.



Must I curve my grades if directed to do so by the Head/Dean?

Can/Can't Do?



Can I ban laptops because students are on social media?

Can/Can't Do?

No, *but* can prohibit the use of wireless technology.

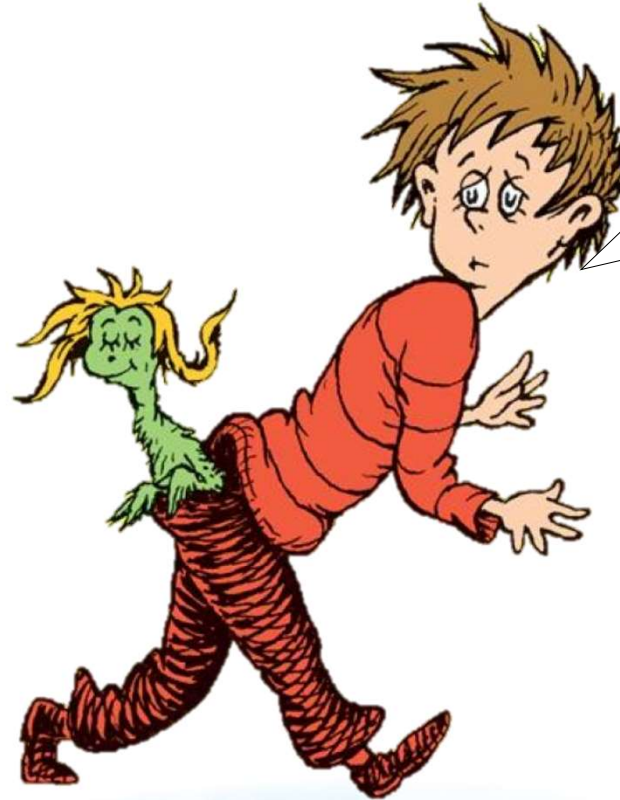
- Banning laptops raises issues of accessibility, impact on student learning and engagement, and privacy for students with accommodations.
- Allow laptops, but prohibit surfing on the web and accessing social media.
- Clearly state in syllabus.



Can I ban laptops because students are on social media?



Can/Can't Do?



Can I take my students
out for a drink after a
midterm?

Can/Can't Do?

No; not advisable.

- The instructor-student relationship is a professional one.
- Unfair to students who cannot participate for personal or religious reasons.
- May raise questions of bias.



Can I take my students out for a drink after a midterm?





Can/Can't Do?



Can I give a zero on an exam to a student who has been caught with an unauthorized aid in an exam?



Can/Can't Do?

No.

- Only Associate Deans can issue academic misconduct sanctions.
- Attempt to determine possession or use (witness?)
- Take unauthorized aid, answer books, and student ID.
- No searching of device!
- Allow to continue with new answer books.
- Return student ID and any device at end of exam.
- File Bylaw 31 complaint.
- Clearly state (un)authorized aids in course syllabus.



Can I give a zero on an exam to a student who has been caught with an unauthorized aid in an exam?

GETTING HELP

~~50/50~~

~~Poll the Audience~~



Phone a Friend



Your Phone-A-Friend Helplines

BYLAWS AND POLICIES

- RENEE WINTERMUTE
- ALISON ZILLI
- DANNY ANGER
- YVONNE ARNOWITZ
UNIVERSITY SECRETARIAT

COLLECTIVE AGREEMENT

- IVA GENTCHEVA
OFFICE OF THE PROVOST

TENURE AND PERMANENCE

- CINDY WILLS
OFFICE OF THE PROVOST

YOUR ASSOCIATE DEANS AND HEADS

**Phone a Friend Helpline
Guidebook: p. 23**

The background of the slide is a photograph of a vast ocean under a clear sky. The sky transitions from a deep blue at the top to a soft orange and yellow near the horizon, indicating a sunset or sunrise. A single sailboat with a white sail is visible on the horizon line, slightly to the left of the center. The water is dark blue with gentle ripples.

Lunch

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How Do You Get Started With Service?

Dave Andrews, Department of Kinesiology

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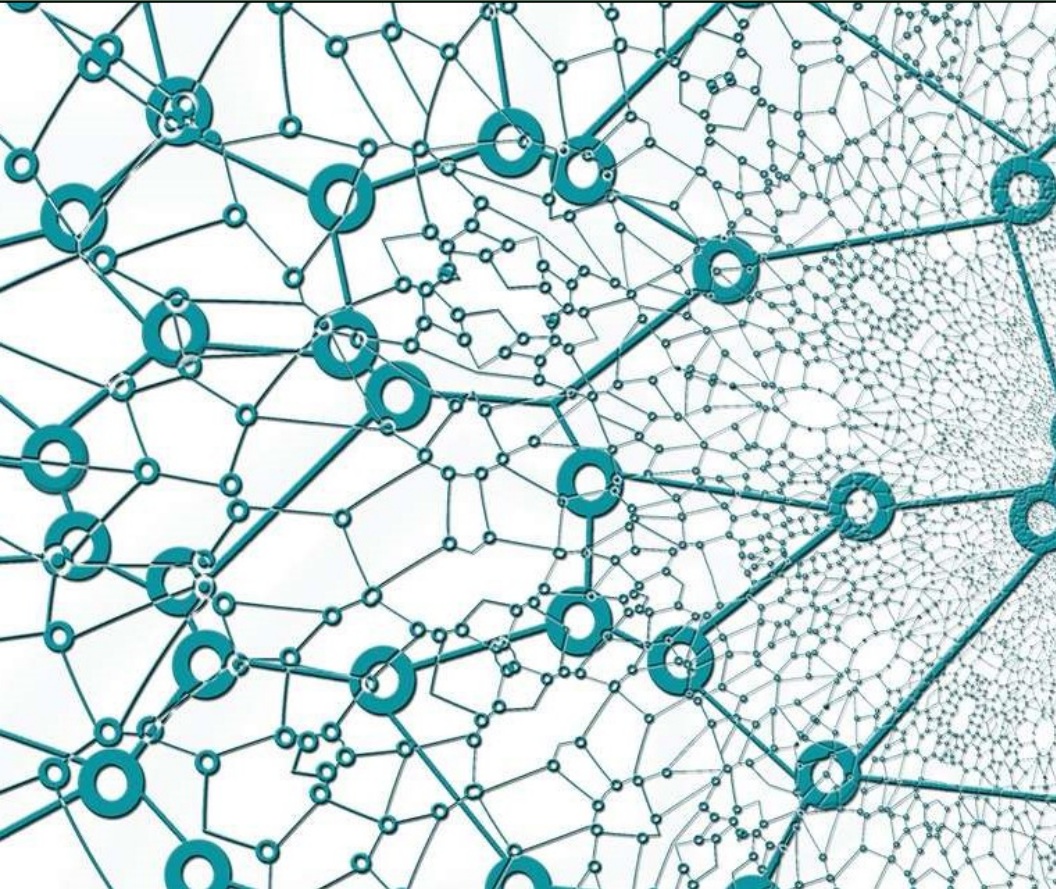
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Benefits



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- Network
- Get yourself known
- Advance teaching & research
- Improve understanding of how University functions

Benefits



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- Professional development
- Learning
- Personal fulfillment
- Gives you a say



Challenges



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- Time
- Balancing commitments

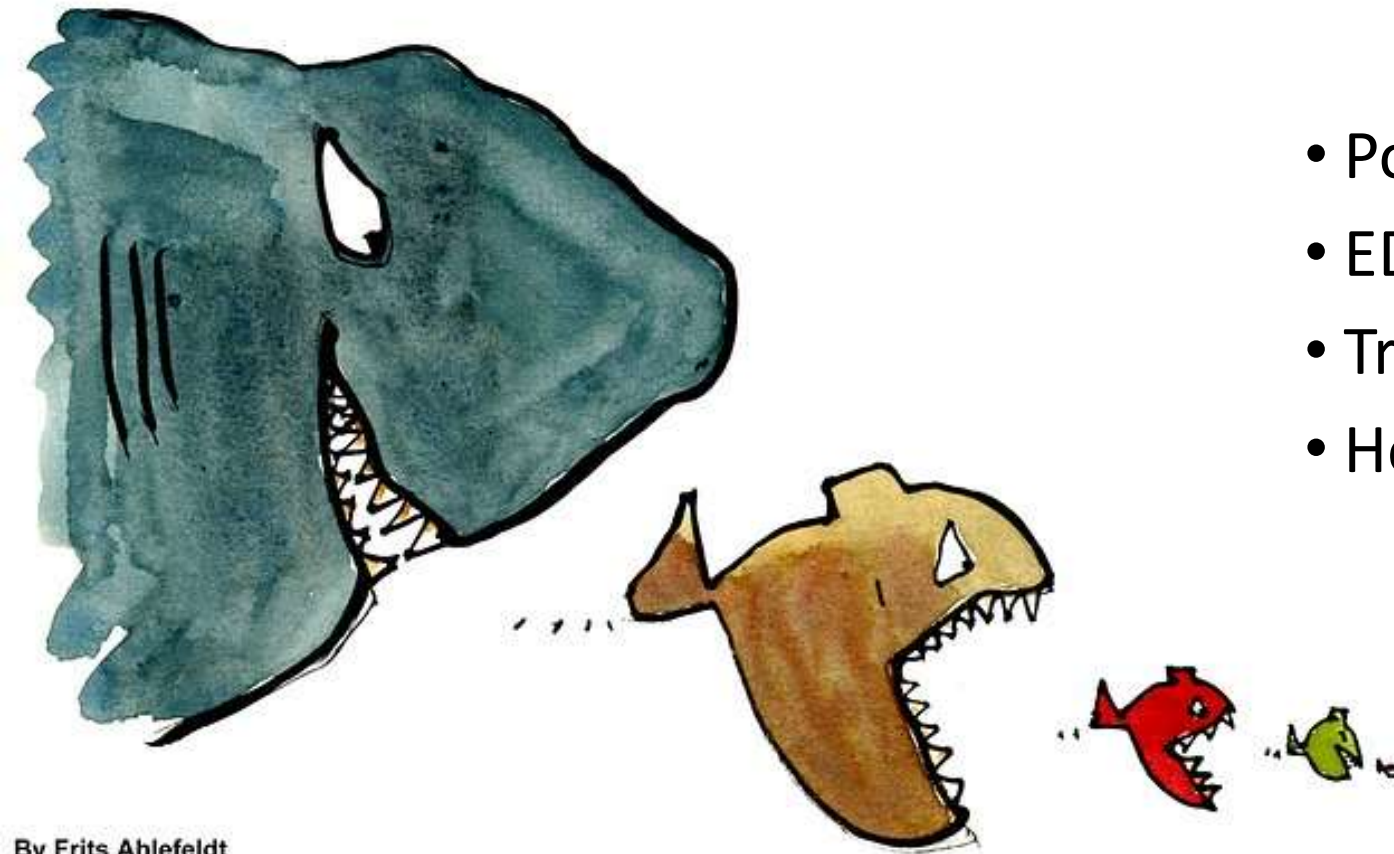
Challenges



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- Power differential
- EDI considerations
- Trust
- How to say no



By Frits Ahlefeldt

How to Get Involved



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Let your interests be known

**Supervisor/Chair/Head/Dean
More senior colleagues**



Some FAQs



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- When should I start?
- How much is enough/too much?
- What type of service should I focus on?
- Is service required to be promoted?
- How is service assessed?
- Who can I talk to?



Mentoring



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Formal

e.g., AAU/Faculty,
Early Career Mentoring (CTL)

Informal

e.g., AAU/Faculty, union

Consider different perspectives

e.g., junior, senior, retired, faculty, staff, administration

Getting Started ...

Roundtables



Roundtables



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- Three rounds, 20 minutes each
 - Facilitators ~5 mins.
 - Group discussion – effective approaches, ongoing challenges ~15 mins.
- Take a few minutes and choose your next roundtable

Roundtables: Getting Started in...



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1. Teaching: Indigenizing Your Teaching

Jaimie Kechego, Centre for Teaching and Learning; Sara Williams, Faculty of Nursing

2. Service: How Do You Balance It All?

Niel Van Engelen, Civil and Environmental Engineering; Joanna Luft, English and Creative Writing

3. Accessibility: Teaching, Research, and Service

Cherie Gagnon, Office of Human Rights, Equity and Accessibility; Veronika Mogyorody, Visual Arts and the Built Environment

4. Teaching: Using Active Learning to Engage Your Students

Jessica Raffoul and Laura Chittle, Centre for Teaching and Learning

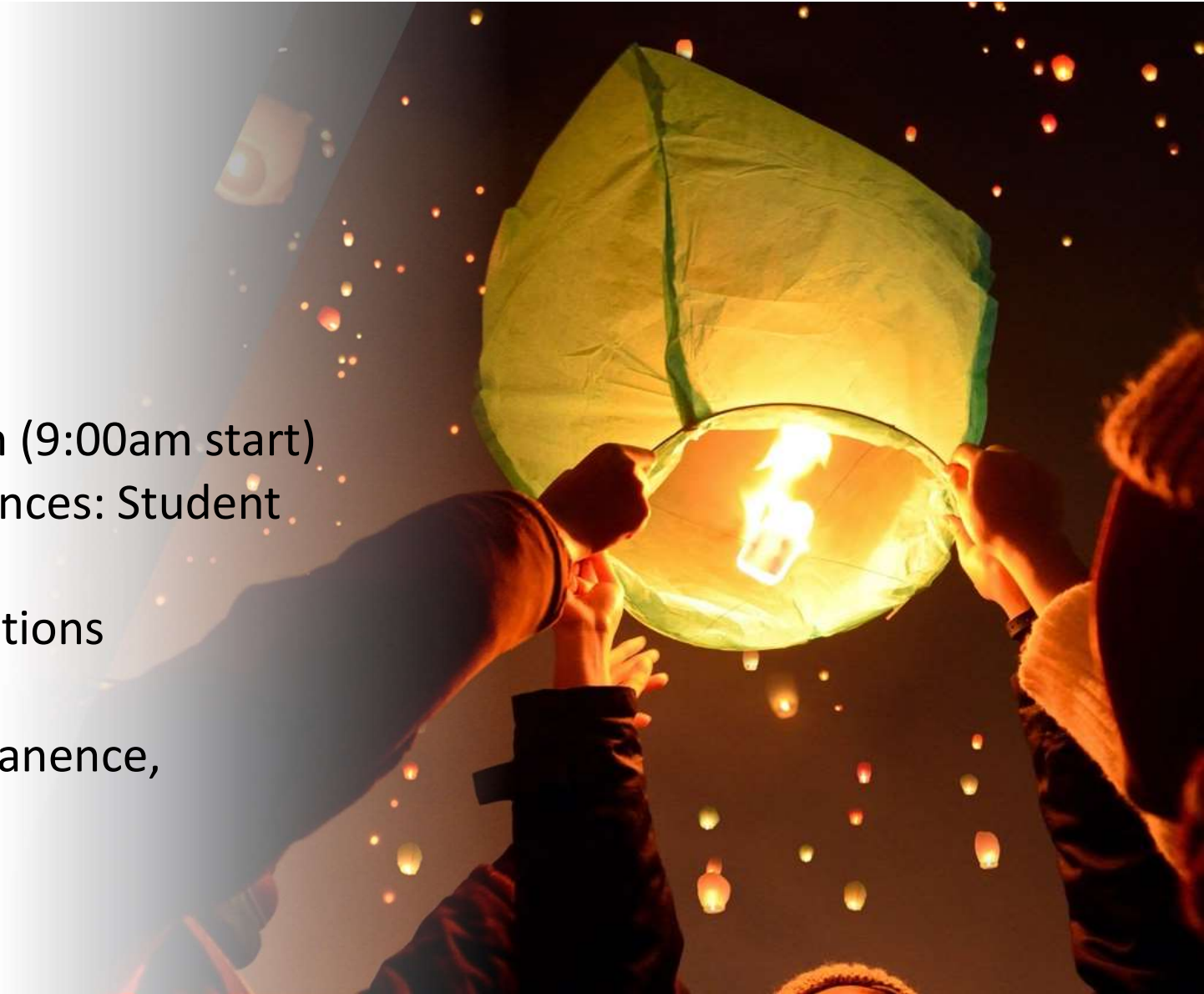
Up Next...

Optional Session

- Campus Tour: 3:10pm

Tomorrow...

- Breakfast: 8:30-9:00am (9:00am start)
- Working Across Differences: Student Panel
- Elevator Pitch Presentations
- Roadmap to Research
- Renewal, Tenure/Permanence, Promotion
- Roundtables



Thank you!

