This information bulletin is an initiative from Content and Collaboration Solutions and Teaching and Learning Services designed to inform you of upcoming events, and resources to enhance your teaching at McGill University.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Course Evaluations are Open!

November 12 to December 5 (or December 19)
Get feedback from your students! Please encourage your students to provide feedback before the end of the regular course evaluation period on Wednesday, Dec. 5 (or Dec 19 for courses in units following the extended evaluation period). You can monitor the response rates and view the evaluation period for your courses here: Mercury for Instructors.
Any questions? Write to: mercury.info@mcgill.ca.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Using clickers next term? Come learn about the new version of TurningPoint!

- SRS-100: Introduction to New Version of Turning Point – Downtown Campus
  December 5
- SRS-200: Introduction to New Version of Turning Point – Macdonald Campus
  December 11

Click here to Register

Classroom Audiovisual Demos
December 17 through January 10
Engage students and enhance learning through audiovisual technologies. Come to a hands-on practice session and learn how to operate the audiovisual equipment in your classrooms - projectors, microphones, document camera (overhead), etc. Choose from 9 sessions!

Click here to Register

TEACHING RESOURCES

Universal Design Video Resources for Faculty
The Office for Students with Disabilities at McGill offers online video resources for faculty and course instructors which highlight best practices in Universal Design, already in place in different faculties.
Teaching Snapshots: Perspectives on teaching and learning
Ever wonder what other professors do to keep their students engaged? Visit the Teaching Snapshots website and learn about McGill instructors’ thoughts on teaching and learning. New interviews added this month include instructors from Science, Arts, Education and Continuing Studies.

Student Response System
There is a new version of TurningPoint available here. This upgrade is required for instructors planning to download participant lists for class participation grades. Also, you may:
- Register for a workshop.
- Register your course(s).
- Reserve clickers and receivers here.
Refer your students to the FAQ for students using SRS.

Audio Streaming Databases
McGill Library subscribes to multiple databases where you can access and create links to hundreds of thousands of streaming musical recordings ranging from classical music performances, opera, ballet, and live concerts to Canadian 78 rpm and cylinder recordings.

Accessing from off campus: remember to use VPN or EZproxy.

ebooks
McGill Library provides access to more than 800,000 ebooks included in 24 collections on a variety of subjects ranging from Reformation, English & American poetry, Early Printed Books to Life & Biomedical Sciences or Theoretical & Computational Physics.

myCourses Videos and Documentation
Did you know that there are myCourses videos and documentation for instructors in the IT Knowledge Base? Use these resources to supplement in-person training; you can also refer to them while setting up your course content, grading assignments, monitoring discussions and class participation, etc.

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