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

**FEATURED EVENTS**

**New workshop: Beyond the research paper – new ways to get students writing**
June 4
Integrating writing assignments into undergraduate courses can increase students’ engagement and promote critical thinking. Attend this workshop for guidelines on designing short written assignments that make students think more and write less. For more info, visit our website.

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**SALTISE 2013 Conference**
June 10 & 11
Are you interested in pedagogical change in higher education? Join the 2013 SALTISE (Supporting Active Learning & Technological Innovation in Science Education) Conference to learn more about leading research in education, learning, and educational technology. Registration is free for the first 100 participants.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**The new myCourses one year on; what do you think so far?**
We want myCourses to be as helpful as possible to your teaching, and now we want to identify what is working well, and where there is opportunity for improvement. Please help us by completing our myCourses survey.

**Give permission to disseminate your numerical course evaluation results**
Students are more inclined to complete course evaluations if they know the results will be available to them. A minimum response rate must be met and instructors need to give permission for this to happen.

**Conflict of Interest**
To enable all members of the University to identify and resolve conflicts of interest with the support and guidance of the administration and its units.
New Service: Delivery of Library Material to Faculty with Campus Offices
Need a book from anywhere on campus? Faculty members can now use library accounts to request any item available for loan to be delivered to their campus address. Delivery will normally take 2 to 4 working days if the item is on the shelf. Materials may be returned via internal mail system or at any library branch, as usual.

New: McGill’s Teaching for Learning Blog
Would you like to be part of a conversation about higher education with McGill faculty, staff and students? Visit the new “Teaching for Learning” blog to share an experience, resource or opinion with the McGill community. For more information, email marcy slapcoff@mcgill.ca

TEACHING RESOURCES

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 teaching philosophy, law, writing, and statistics.

Are you teaching in one of the Active Learning Classrooms (ALCs)?
If so, please refer to the Active Learning Classroom Preparation Checklist to ensure you have everything you need.
- Burnside 511
- Education 627
- Macdonald Stewart MSB 016
- Macdonald Stewart 2-028 and Macdonald Stewart 2-029
- New Music Building, Rm 412
- 688 Sherbrooke W., Rm 1265

Films on Demand
Films on Demand offers an online video streaming library with thousands of high quality educational videos and tens of thousands of fully annotated segments. These can be integrated into lectures and presentations with ease or posted as links on myCourses. All programs include Canadian Public Performance rights for your use. Accessing off campus: remember to use VPN or EZproxy.

Classroom A/V Instructions
Teaching in a new room this semester? Want to see what AV equipment is available for any classroom on campus? Looking for detailed instructions on how to use the AV in the room you are teaching in? This online tool features in-class photos and equipment specs and is available to instructors.

Lecture Recording for Instructors
Did you know that McGill instructors can record their lectures and other activities? Instructors can request automatic recording of scheduled lectures throughout the term in classrooms specially equipped for this service with the Lecture Recording System (LRS).

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