# Resources for Preparing the Teaching Portfolio<sup>1</sup>

## Websites with guidelines for developing a teaching portfolio:

- 1. McGill University <a href="http://www.mcgill.ca/tls/teaching/portfolio/guidelines">http://www.mcgill.ca/tls/teaching/portfolio/guidelines</a>
- 2. University Affairs website <a href="http://www.universityaffairs.ca/developing-a-teaching-profile.aspx">http://www.universityaffairs.ca/developing-a-teaching-profile.aspx</a>
- 3. University of Saskatchewan <a href="http://www.usask.ca/gmcte/resources/portfolio">http://www.usask.ca/gmcte/resources/portfolio</a>
- 4. **University of British Columbia**<a href="http://www.ubc.ca/okanagan/ctl/support/teachingportfolios.html">http://www.ubc.ca/okanagan/ctl/support/teachingportfolios.html</a>
- 5. University of Texas at Austin, Center for Teaching and Learning <a href="http://ctl.utexas.edu/teaching-resources/advance-your-career/assemble-your-teaching-portfolio/">http://ctl.utexas.edu/teaching-resources/advance-your-career/assemble-your-teaching-portfolio/</a>
- 6. **Vanderbilt with links to additional resources** <a href="http://cft.vanderbilt.edu/teaching-guides/reflecting/teaching-portfolios/">http://cft.vanderbilt.edu/teaching-guides/reflecting/teaching-portfolios/</a>
- 7. **Iowa State University, Center for Excellence in Learning and Teaching** <a href="http://www.celt.iastate.edu/faculty/portfolio\_contents.html">http://www.celt.iastate.edu/faculty/portfolio\_contents.html</a>

# Websites with guidelines and samples of teaching philosophies:

- 1. Tutorial provided by the **University of Minnesota**'s Center for Teaching and Learning <a href="http://www1.umn.edu/ohr/teachlearn/tutorials/philosophy/index.html">http://www1.umn.edu/ohr/teachlearn/tutorials/philosophy/index.html</a>
- 2. Suggestions for writing the teaching statement from the **University of Washington** Center for Instructional Development and Research <a href="http://depts.washington.edu/cidrweb/Bulletin/TeachingStatement.html">http://depts.washington.edu/cidrweb/Bulletin/TeachingStatement.html</a>
- 3. Information on writing the teaching philosophy from **Iowa State University** Center for Excellence in Learning and Teaching <a href="http://www.celt.iastate.edu/teaching/philosophy.html">http://www.celt.iastate.edu/teaching/philosophy.html</a>
- 4. Sample teaching philosophies from the **University of Georgia** <a href="http://www.ctl.uga.edu/teach\_asst/ta\_mentors/philosophy/index.html">http://www.ctl.uga.edu/teach\_asst/ta\_mentors/philosophy/index.html</a>
- 5. Information on writing the teaching philosophy from the **University of Michigan**—includes rubric for evaluating philosophy <a href="http://www.crlt.umich.edu/tstrategies/tstpum">http://www.crlt.umich.edu/tstrategies/tstpum</a>
- 6. Sample teaching philosophies from the **University of Saskatchewan** <a href="http://www.usask.ca/gmcte/resources/portfolio/samples">http://www.usask.ca/gmcte/resources/portfolio/samples</a>

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#### Handbooks available online:

- 1. Canadian Association of University Teachers (CAUT). (2006). *Teaching dossier*. Ottawa, ON: Canadian Association of University Teachers. Retrieved March 2008 from <a href="http://www.caut.ca/uploads/teaching\_dossier\_en.pdf">http://www.caut.ca/uploads/teaching\_dossier\_en.pdf</a> (copy and paste link)
- 2. The Harriet W. Sheridan Center for Teaching and Learning, **Brown University**. (2006). *The Teaching Portfolio Handbook*. Retrieved February 2012 from <a href="mailto:brown.edu/Administration/Sheridan\_Center/docs/teach\_port.pdf">brown.edu/Administration/Sheridan\_Center/docs/teach\_port.pdf</a>

### **Teaching related questions for Academic job interviews:**

Information related to academic job interviews provided by the Harvard University
Derek Bok Center for Teaching and Learning
<a href="http://isites.harvard.edu/fs/html/icb.topic58474/portfolio3.html">http://isites.harvard.edu/fs/html/icb.topic58474/portfolio3.html</a>

#### **Books available at McGill:**

- 1. Costantino, P. M., De Lorenzo, M. N., & Tirrell-Corbin, C. (2009). *Developing a professional teaching portfolio: a guide for success* (3<sup>rd</sup> edition). Boston: Allyn & Bacon. Call number: Education Library LB1728 C67 2009
- Seldin, P. (2004). The teaching portfolio: a practical guide to improved performance and promotion/tenure decisions. Bolton, Mass.: Anker Pub. Co. Call number: Humanities & Social Sciences Library in the McLennan Building LB2333 S46 2004
- 3. Seldin, P., & Miller, J. E. (2009). *The academic portfolio: a practical guide to documenting teaching, research, and service.* San Francisco, CA: Jossey-Bass, Call number: Education Library LB1029 P67 S45 2009

### **Links to Educational Journals:**

- The website of the Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning at Kennesaw State University offers a detailed list of discipline-specific journals in higher education <a href="http://www.kennesaw.edu/cetl/resources/journals.html#disciplineteaching">http://www.kennesaw.edu/cetl/resources/journals.html#disciplineteaching</a>
- Laura Border of the University of Colorado at Boulder offers a list of journals on the POD listserv from 2004 <a href="https://listserv.nd.edu/cgi-bin/wa?A2=ind0404&L=POD&P=R6495">https://listserv.nd.edu/cgi-bin/wa?A2=ind0404&L=POD&P=R6495</a>
- The Center for Instructional Development and Research at the University of Washington offers a rather comprehensive list <a href="http://depts.washington.edu/cidrweb/resources/journals.html#Disciplinary">http://depts.washington.edu/cidrweb/resources/journals.html#Disciplinary</a>
- 4. The Electronic Educational Environment of the **University of California**, Ivring offers an extensive and annotated list of higher education publications organized alphabetically rather than by discipline <a href="https://eee.uci.edu/03s/87900/education%20journals.pdf">https://eee.uci.edu/03s/87900/education%20journals.pdf</a>