Professional Development Saturday

Sponsored by the Office of Academic Affairs and the Instructional Technology & Training Department
Saturday, September 16, 2017 | 8:30am to 1pm | Science and Technology Center

Time	
8:30am to 9:00am	STC First Floor Atrium (Outside Room 120) • Registration • Breakfast

9:00am to 10:00am	STC 120
	 • Greetings
	   o Dr. Keith Williamson Provost and Vice-President for Academic Affairs
	   o Dr. Ahmed El-Haggan, Vice-President for Information Technology
	   o Dr. Synethia Green, President of Adjunct Faculty Senate
	 • Opening Discussion
	   o Understanding the Campus' Blackboard Design Standards for Effective Student Experience
	   o Taking Attendance in Blackboard Using Qwickly

10:00am to 10:10am	Stretch Break *Remember to post on Twitter, Instagram, and Facebook using* **#CSUTECH**

	Break-Out Session One (STC 118)	**Break-Out Session Two (STC 124)**
10:10am to 11:00am	**Getting Started with Blackboard** Blackboard is a robust Learning Management System (LMS) that allows for the delivery of educational content to students. All faculty members at Coppin should use Blackboard whether they are teaching online or face-to- face classes. If you are new to Blackboard, or need a refresher course, this session is for you! This session will go over some of the components of Blackboard and will demonstrate how you can use these components to engage and communicate with your students.	**Let's Get Virtual with Blackboard Collaborate** Blackboard Collaborate is the newest tool available to faculty. With Blackboard Collaborate, you can host live online virtual sessions (i.e., study groups, advisement meetings, online class, etc.). Sessions can be recorded and will be housed in your Blackboard course. This session will explain and demonstrate the basics of creating and managing Blackboard Collaborate sessions.
11:10am to 12:00pm	**Using Tegrity to Help Students Review and Study Content** Tegrity allows faculty to record lecture content from the classroom, office, or a personal device (i.e., home computer or cell phone), and put that content online for your students to access at any time. Research has proven that Tegrity – which records your computer screen, audio, and video lecture elements – can help improve course retention and student achievement. Attend this session to learn how to record in Tegrity, add Tegrity to the Blackboard Grade Center, manage Tegrity recordings and best practices for using Tegrity.	**Preventing Plagiarism and Improving Student Writing with Turnitin Feedback Studio** Turnitin is a powerful plagiarism detection and grading feedback tool integrated into Blackboard. In addition to plagiarism detection, the originality report identifies grammatical errors in student work. Faculty can grade student work directly on the screen and leave voice comments for feedback. Graded assignments integrate directly with the Blackboard Grade Center. This session will introduce participants to the fundamentals of using TurnItIn's Feedback Studio and demonstrate how to use and navigate through the interface.
12:10am to 12:50pm	**Grade Center: Weighted vs. Points** As a faculty member, you have the choice as to how your assignments are graded and calculated in Blackboard. You can choose to grade using a point system or weighted totals. What's the difference between the two? Which one works best for you? This session will explain the difference between the two and will demonstrate how each work in the Grade Center.	**NBCLearn and Playposit** There is a good amount of research that discusses the benefits of using videos with your students. NBClearn and Playposit are two valuable video resources that you can use with your students Come to this session and learn how to use these tools to enhance learning, create more in depth discussions in class, assess learning/understanding and engage your students in a stimulating way.
12:50pm	STC 120 • Lunch • Wheel of Fun After Party: Fill out an evaluation sheet and get a chance to get a door prize!	