

Online Education presents: **JANUARY JAMBOREE**

A month filled with workshops on instructional technologies and their application within the classroom.

To register please visit: <http://www.tinyurl.com/psujamboree>

January 7 - Thursday - Lamson Library Room 124

- 11:00 am - 12:00 pm: E-books, presented by Steve Rheume (Campus Bookstore) - Join us for an overview of interactive "E-Books" as well as some testimonials from faculty who use them.
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January 11 - Monday - Hyde Hall Room 127

- 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm: Discover SMART Boards, presented by Online Education - The whiteboard becomes your computer and your finger becomes your mouse.
- 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm: Plan B, presented by Online Education - Tips and tricks for what to do when the classroom technology fails you.

January 12 - Tuesday (Library Day) - Hyde Hall Room 120 - Refreshments will be served

- 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm: Online Journals and MERLOT, presented by Bob Fitzpatrick (Lamson Library) - Learn how to receive automatic email alerts for online journals. We will also discuss MERLOT, an online repository full of learning objects and materials.
- 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm: American History in Video (database), presented by Elaine Allard (Lamson Library) - Did you know Lamson Library has a database dedicated to American History? Join us to find out how to access these videos.
- 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm: ARTstor, presented by Jen Green (Lamson Library) - Join us for an overview of ARTstor, an online collection of quality images. You can also use ARTstor to host images for your class. Come find out how!
- 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm: Interlibrary Loan, Copyright, and E-Reserves, presented by Joyce Bruce and Anne Lebreche (Lamson Library) - This workshop will address Plymouth State's Interlibrary Loan process as well as copyright and E-reserves.

January 13 - Wednesday (PowerPoint Day) - Hyde Hall Room 120 - Refreshments and lunch will be served

- 9:15 am - 9:30 am: Introductions
- 9:30 am - 10:30 am: Narrating PowerPoints, presented by Sam Brickley (Business) - Narrated PowerPoints and their use for instruction.
- 10:45 am - 11:30 am: PowerPoint Tips and Tricks, presented by Justin L'Italien (Online Education) - Interested in posting a YouTube video within a presentation? Or what about changing your presentation formatting with a few clicks? Join us for numerous PowerPoint Tips and Tricks.
- 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm: Effective PowerPoint Techniques, presented by Lourdes Aviles-Bramer (Meteorology) - Learn about PowerPoint Do's and Dont's with this presentation dedicated to effective techniques.
- 1:45 pm - 2:45 pm: Student Response Systems or "clickers", presented by Bob Nadeau (Business) - Interested in having more interactive PowerPoints? Student clickers are now available for use in your class. Join us for a demonstration and strategies for their application.
- 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm: Cognitive Load Theory, presented by Ellen Murphy (Online Education) - Join us for a discussion on the psychology and research behind effective PowerPoint presentations.

January 14 - Thursday (Google Day) - Hyde Hall Room 120 - Refreshments and lunch will be served

- 9:00 am - 9:30 am: Introduction to Google, presented by Justin L'Italien (Online Education) - Create a Google account to gain access to free email, personalized settings, and the applications presented today.
- 9:30 am - 10:30 am: Google Scholar, presented by Bob Fitzpatrick (Lamson Library) - Learn more about Google's literary search capabilities.
- 10:30 am - 11:00 am: iGoogle, presented by Terri Lessard (Online Education) - What is it and how can it help students to become more active learners.
- 11:00 am - 11:30 am: Google Docs, presented by Justin L'Italien (Online Education) - Share and edit documents, create feedback forms (such as this one), and much more using Google Docs.
- 11:30 am - 12:00 pm: Picasa, presented by Justin L'Italien (Online Education) - Share and tag photos for free using Google's Picasa, an alternative to Flickr.
- 1:00 pm - 1:45 pm: Google Earth, presented by John Lennon (Social Science) - Use Google Earth to observe the world in 3D. A powerful program which uses satellite images to navigate around our planet.

- ☐ 1:45 pm - 2:00 pm: Google Wave, presented by Justin L'Italien (Online Education) - Whats the buzz surrounding Google Wave? Come find out in this brief demonstration.
- ☐ 2:00 pm - 2:45 pm: Google Sites, presented by Stacey Curdie (English) - Stacey Curdie presents from Antigua about her choice of Google Sites for use by her online students.
- ☐ 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm: Google Panel, hosted by Online Education - Google is quickly improving the quality of education worldwide. The staff of Online Education is here to answer any questions you have regarding Google's rise in Higher Education.

January 19 - Tuesday - Bradford Room (Center Lodge)

- ☐ 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm: Online Learning: Organizing Content Effectively, presented by Terri Lessard (Online Education) - Based on the book "Conquering the Content" by Robin M. Smith, discuss best practices in organizing course content.
- ☐ 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm: Designing Blended Courses, presented by Ellen Murphy (Online Education) - Learn how to effectively structure your course, design content, and use activities to make the most of the blended format.

January 20 - Wednesday - Bradford Room (Center Lodge)

- ☐ 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm: The Computer Ate My Homework, hosted by Online Education - Join us in an open discussion of the trials and tribulations of teaching online. Come and share your experiences or bring your questions.
- ☐ 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm: Community of Inquiry Framework, presented by Ellen Murphy (Online Education) - The Community of Inquiry Framework is a process model that describes collaborative, constructivist online learning as being a function of the intersection of three presences: teaching, social and cognitive (<http://www.sloanconsortium.org/node/1931>).

January 21 - Thursday - Lamson Library Room 124

- ☐ 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm: Web 2.0 tools, presented by Justin L'Italien (Online Education) - Have you heard of Twitter, Flickr, or VoiceThread? These are just a few online tools that can help with classroom (or online) learning. We will discuss these three tools as well as numerous others during this workshop.
- ☐ 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm: Social Bookmarking, presented by Justin L'Italien (Online Education) - Using online tools such as Delicious or Diigo, you can save and organize websites no matter which computer you are using.

January 25 - Monday - Lamson Library Room 124

- 11:00 am - 12:00 pm: Skype and DimDim, presented by Justin L'Italien (Online Education) - Learn how to host guest presentations from anywhere in the world, call anybody for free, or even conduct a class online using Webconferencing tools such as Skype and DimDim.
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- 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm: Multimedia Freeware, presented by Justin L'Italien (Online Education) - Looking to edit pictures or record audio for free? Join us for a look at the numerous free programs available for download.

January 26 - Tuesday - Lamson Library Room 102 (Computer Lab)

- 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm: Second Life, presented by Ellen Murphy (Online Education) - A hands on workshop where you will explore Second Life, build your own avatar, and learn about it's educational possibilities.
- 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm: Mahara, presented by Ellen Murphy (Online Education) - This hands on workshop will get you started with Mahara, Plymouth State's new E-Portfolio product.

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