

OIT INSTRUCTIONAL SUPPORT

The Link Between Teaching and Technology

Our Programs and Services

Request Instructional Development Help

OIT offers development assistance and personalized consultations for your courses. OIT instructional designers, graphic designers, video specialists, and trainers are here to help you with:

- Online course development
- Assessment strategies
- Communication and collaboration tools
- Instructional design and content organization
- Online lecture capture
- Applying varied course modalities: flipped, blended, online, in-class, and remote teaching
- Instructional video, audio, and graphics
- Website development
- Interactive learning modules
- Accessible course materials

Ready to get started? Visit the OIT Instructional Design & Support webpages for details and descriptions of the instructional development services available to faculty.

oit.utk.edu/instructional

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OIT HelpDesk

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Stay Informed

Sign up to receive our online publications below at oit.utk.edu/about

OIT Instruction and Research eNewsletter

Receive monthly information for instructors and researchers on services, events, workshops, and grant opportunities.

IT Weekly

For instructors, staff, and campus leaders who want to stay informed about current technology news at UT.

Get Real-Time Campus Technology Updates

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COVID-19 Teaching Resources

Information & Updates in One Location

Find the most up-to-date, quick, resources to support teaching and learning during the COVID-19 Epidemic.

- Drop-in support through Zoom
- Canvas tips
- Zoom guides
- Respondus testing software
- Lecture recording advice
- Managing the Classroom Technology

oit.utk.edu/remote-it

Teaching Tools and Services

Video Lecture Recording at Home

Receive training and support by an OIT video specialist who is ready to help you improve the quality of your video recordings. Attend a scheduled workshop modeling best practices to apply using your available equipment, read web-based step-by-step guides to learn on your own, or submit a request to schedule personalized coaching over Zoom.

oit.utk.edu/video-consult

Personal Response Systems

(Clickers, Mobile Devices, & Online Polling)

Students can respond to questions or polls regardless of the delivery mode, face-to-face or online.

oit.utk.edu/clickers

Technology-Enhanced Classrooms

OIT provides workshops, web-based training recourses, and personalized support to help you learn to use classroom presentation equipment and software. Start by reviewing the online resources, then attend a workshop, or schedule personalized help via Zoom.

classrooms.utk.edu

Exam Scanning and Scoring

Use Akindi, a web-based exam tool, to create and grade multiple-choice exams. Akindi can be accessed through your Canvas courses.

oit.utk.edu/akindi

Web Survey Tools

OIT's web survey tools can go beyond just collecting research data. QuestionPro and Qualtrics can be used to create instructional modules, forms, and assessments.

oit.utk.edu/websurveys

Workshops and Training

OIT's workshops are specifically targeted to help faculty and GTAs strengthen their instructional technology skills and enhance teaching. All scheduled workshops are currently being offered through Zoom. Several workshops are available in a self-paced format, including introductions to Zoom and Canvas. Register for live classes and access online, self-paced workshops in a single web location.

oit.utk.edu/training

Request Training for Your Team

Any current OIT workshop can be scheduled for your department or class upon request. Gather a group of participants and we'll schedule a workshop just for you via Zoom!

tiny.utk.edu/oit-groups

LinkedIn Learning (LiL)

UT faculty, staff, and students have full access to LinkedIn Learning, an online library with thousands of courses on software, business, and creative skills. Use LiL for personal development or assign videos, topics, or courses to your students.

oit.utk.edu/LiL

Faculty Development Opportunities

oit.utk.edu/grants

Instructional Technology Community of Practice

(Meets Monthly)

Learn from faculty and staff presenters as they share their experiences with teaching and learning with technology. These monthly ITCoP Brown Bag Luncheons run from September to November and February to April. Meetings are held in the Commons.

Labs Support

Reserve a Computer Lab

Faculty may reserve a computer lab* for classroom instruction. Check lab availability online at oit.utk.edu/labs/availability. Available labs include Humanities 201, Humanities 202, and J.D. Tickle 403. *Availability and capacity of labs may be limited as necessary during fall 2020 for health and safety.

oit.utk.edu/labs

Digitization and Storage

Digital Media Services

Digital Media Services (DMS) provides creation, storage, and delivery of streaming audio/video, electronic text, digital images, and files for faculty. DMS will digitize instructional content such as Blu-ray and DVD videos, articles, book chapters, audio tapes, slides, and videos.

dms.utk.edu

Cloud Storage

Faculty and instructors have access to cloud-based storage solutions through UT-issued Office 365 accounts (OneDrive) and Google accounts (Google Drive).

oit.utk.edu/office365 | oit.utk.edu/google

Virtual Classrooms

Online@UT (Canvas)

Canvas, UTK's course management system, provides an easy format and a variety of integrated tools to deliver course materials, facilitate student engagement, assign learning activities and assignments, assess students, and post grades. OIT provides comprehensive support for Canvas via workshops, individual and group consultations, and online documentation to enhance your use of Canvas.

online.utk.edu | oit.utk.edu/training

LiveOnline@UT (Zoom)

Zoom is a cloud-based video conferencing technology that allows faculty, staff, and students to have high-quality audio or video interaction in real time from their computers and mobile devices, including MacOS, Windows, iOS, and Android. Zoom is UTK's preferred online synchronous course delivery tool.

tennessee.zoom.us

Webcasting

Request video streaming of academic events such as classes, symposia, or special lectures. Video can be streamed live or archived for "on-demand" viewing. Archived webcasts are hosted in online catalogs, and you control the access to your hosted content. There is a cost for webcasting services.

oit.utk.edu/webcasting

Teaching Strategies

oit.utk.edu/strategies

Technology & Teaching Modalities

Check out this resource to learn more about the classroom technology and teaching strategies that support the fall semester teaching modalities, including hyflex options where you are simultaneously teaching to face-to-face students in a physical classroom AND online students via Zoom.

Accessibility & UDL

Use these easy-to-follow guides and checklists to ensure all of your students can access your learning materials. Request a consultation to learn how to apply Universal Design for Learning (UDL) principles as a framework for proactively creating accessible learning environments and experiences.

Online Instructor Toolkit

Learn how to apply an efficient process when preparing and teaching online courses, then explore an extensive list of supported software.

Creating Online Lectures

Which online lecture strategy is right for your class? Compare One-Shot Video, PowerPoint with Voiceover, Zoom, Canvas Studio, Camtasia, and Panopto (**coming soon**). All recorded lecture formats can be delivered via Canvas, but hosting might include Office 365 Video Channel, YouTube, or DMS video hosting services.