



THIS WEEK IN THE CTRE

SEPTEMBER 23–29, 2012

CHICAGO STATE UNIVERSITY

Upcoming Events

“Digital Faculty: Professors, Teaching, and Technology” Faculty Webinar	9/24 1:00-2:00 LIB 318 RSVP
Moodle Training: Selecting Appropriate Resources	9/25 12:00-1:00 Online RSVP
“Understanding Academic Procedures and Processes at CSU” with Tenell Edingburg	9/26 12:00-2:00 LIB 301 RSVP
Moodle Training: Selecting Appropriate Resources	9/28 10:30-11:30 Online RSVP

Get to Know CSU’s Academic Processes

This Wednesday, the CTRE will be hosting a faculty workshop titled, “**Understanding Academic Procedures and Processes at CSU.**”



Tenell Edingburg, Academic Advising Specialist, will lead the workshop, and taking faculty through the ins and outs of some of the most critical information that students—and thus faculty—need for success. By the end of the work-

shop, faculty will know how to help students to better navigate the often confusing roadmap to reaching graduation.

This workshop will take place on Wednesday, September 26 from 12:00 to 2:00 in LIB 301, and lunch will be served.

To register, contact James Kowalski at jkowalsk@csu.edu or x2498.

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What Technology Interests You?



Want to learn more about Google Docs? Blogs? Wikis? Audacity?

A major component of the CTRE is helping faculty to use technology to leverage their teaching in new and innovative ways.

Take a moment to fill out a [one-minute technology survey](#). Your input will help us plan future training sessions.

Thank You

The CTRE would like to thank everyone who helped make Saturday’s Adjunct Faculty Orientation and Development event such a success, including Dr. Westbrook, Deans Kanis and Darga, and all the presenters. Watch for details of future adjunct events coming soon.

Looking Forward

Faculty Webinar

On Monday, September 24, there will be a faculty webinar in the CTRE titled, "Digital Faculty: Professors, Teaching, and Technology"

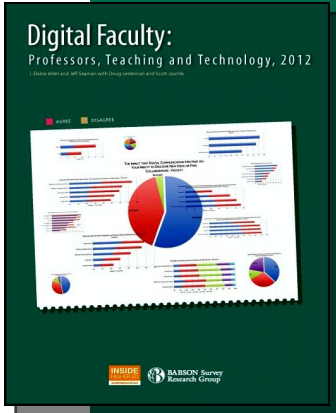
This webinar is the second of two surveys of college professors and academic technology administrators about faculty attitudes about and approaches to technology. The article can be [found here](#). A PDF of the report can be [downloaded here](#).

Inside Higher Ed will sponsor a free webinar to discuss the results of the survey of faculty views on technology. Inside Higher Ed editors and bloggers will share and analyze the findings and take your questions. Inside Higher Ed collaborated on this project with the Babson Survey Research Group.

The survey of faculty views on technology was made possible in part with generous financial support from CourseSmart, Deltak, Pearson and Sonic Foundry.

This webinar will take place on **Monday, September 24 from 1:00 to 2:00 p.m. in LIB 318**. If you have any questions, please contact James Kowalski at jkowalsk@csu.edu or x2498.

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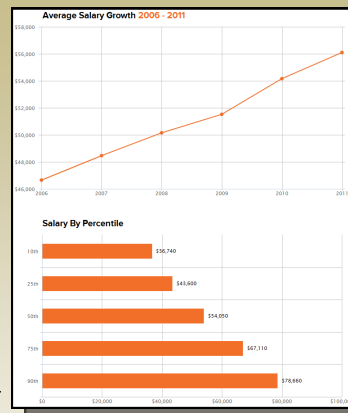
For Your Future Educators

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Alycia Tanner
Student, Bachelor of Education,
University of Phoenix

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