



e-TEACH Newsletter

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In response to increased restrictions communicated by both Virginia Tech and Carilion, we will be postponing or moving to virtual offerings for our upcoming TEACH sessions. Please see more information below and stay tuned!

Teaching Technology Tidbits: Synchronous Online Teaching Sessions, Consultations, and Evolving Resource Center for Moving Teaching Online

- **Learn Zoom, WebEx, and Microsoft Teams:** Interested in learning the basics (or beyond) of bringing your teaching online in a synchronous online learning venue? As educators within the Carilion Clinic and Virginia Tech systems, we have access to 3 of the top tools for helping you to do just that...Zoom, WebEx, and Microsoft Teams. We will be offering two 30-minute opportunities for participants to explore the basic functions, engage with others for interaction, and ask questions about how to customize your own teaching situations using EACH of these programs. Please [register here](#).

Zoom	WebEx	Microsoft Teams
Wednesday, May 20	Thursday, May 21	Wednesday, May 27
7:30 am OR 12:00 noon	7:30 am OR 12:00 noon	7:30 am OR 12:00 noon

Can't make it to one of these pre-scheduled sessions? [Email TEACH](#) to set up an individualized consultation.

- **TEACH Resource Center:** As we continue to shift our teaching online, TEACH has created a page of carefully curated tips and resources to aid in your transition! This page houses super brief videos and how-to-guides for teaching technologies that can be used to ease your move to teaching online. [Click here](#) to check out the TEACH Resources for Teaching Online webpage.



Upcoming Events: Join Us for June Health Professions Educator Series

In an effort to maintain a sense of normalcy and continue supporting our faculty by offering timely content, we have moved some of our regularly scheduled offerings online! See below for details about two of our upcoming **online** events!

- **Health Professions Educator Series June 2020:** "Teaching Evidence Based Medicine" with John Epling, MD, MEd (Monday, June 22 from 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm, Online via Webex). No registration necessary, see calendar invitation for Webex details.

What's New with TEACH:

TEACH & Eat Journal Club – Now Meeting Online:

Join us virtually for our next TEACH Education Journal Club on Wednesday, May 28, 2020 from 12:00 pm to 1:00 pm (Online via Zoom). David Musick, PhD will be leading a discussion of the article "[Medical Education and the Tyranny of Competency](#)." *TEACH members: No registration necessary, see forthcoming calendar invitation for online participation details.*



Recognition and Rewards: Are you ready to move to the next TEACH level?

TEACH Advancement: Please join us in congratulating Dr. Daniel Lollar for his promotion from Emerging to Advanced Level membership in TEACH. If you would like to be considered for

a membership change, please [email TEACH](#) and describe how you meet the criteria for the next level of membership. ([Click here](#) to review membership criteria for each TEACH level).

Not a Member Yet? Enroll in TEACH Now!
[Click here](#) for the TEACH membership application.

TEACHing Well While Being Well: Wellness Resources for Educators

- <https://medicine.fiu.edu/academics/continuing-medical-education/online-teaching-modules/index.html>
- <https://medicine.fiu.edu/resources/employees/wellness-during-the-coronavirus-pandemic/index.html>



Educator Opportunities: Share and Apply!

SGEA MESRE Grants: The SGEA provides funding to initiate new Medical Education Scholarship, Research and Evaluation (MESRE) proposals. The SGEA will provide up to three research grants for two years. The grant award may total up to \$5000 for submissions involving one institution and \$7500 for submissions involving the collaboration of two (2) or more institutions. For the September 2020 Grant Cycle, the SGEA encourages projects aimed at addressing competency-based assessment (including EPAs and milestones), self-directed learning, interprofessional education and practice, enduring medical education innovations from the time of COVID-19, or learning environments. Please [click here](#) for complete information on how to apply.

Innovation in Medical Education Award – Call for Proposals: the SGEA will provide one award of \$5000 each year to recognize an outstanding innovation in medical education. This is an award rather than a grant, so the winner may apply the funds wherever they see the greatest need for continued improvement in medical education. Applications are due July 15, 2020 for consideration for the current year's award. Please [click here](#) for complete information on how to apply.

SGEA Member/Institution Spotlight: The SGEA has created a NEW section of the newsletter to expand networking and to share good practices around delivering non-clinical and clinical learning and assessments. Given the current pandemic, they are particularly interested in sharing practices about teaching virtually and with social distancing. If you have developed novel mechanisms for address learning during this pandemic and would like to share them for next month's newsletter please email the newsletter coordinator, Carrie Elzie, PhD at elzieca@evms.edu by May 22nd.



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