



e-TEACH Newsletter

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



Teaching Tidbits & Resources: Learn, Share, Teach!

Virtual Learning Resources during COVID-19: The AAMC MedEdPortal has curated a collection of [peer-reviewed teaching resources](#) that can be used for distance learning, including self-directed modules and learning activities that could be converted to virtual interactions. Resources are free to download and free for adaptation to local settings.

Teaching Technology ResourceTable: As we discussed earlier in the year during our Health Professions Educator (HPE) session on technologies to enhance your teaching, the search for the right technology tool to meet the needs of your content and learners can be overwhelming. With so many different options and endless possibilities it is difficult to know how to get started. In response to that HPE session, we teamed with education tech experts to identify this living spreadsheet of [Online Tech Tools for Educators](#). The spreadsheet includes: name of tool, brief description, cost, and category (e.g. video conferencing, messaging, collaboration, etc.). *Check it out!*

AAMC Building Better Curriculum Webinar Series: The AAMC has been hosting monthly one-hour webinar series to help us all learn about and explore innovations in curriculum and curriculum mapping. This mini-series was designed to highlight several innovative approaches to teaching and learning during the pandemic and is offered as a supplement to their long standing Building Better Curriculum series for health professional curriculum leaders. Webinars are open to all healthcare professionals at no cost. An archive of previous webinars and details on upcoming events can be found [here!](#)

Upcoming Events: Join us for August Health Professions Educator (HPE) Series & Virtual TEACH Education Day!

August 2020 HPE: "Development of Under Motivated and/or Under Prepared Learners" with Frank Dane, PhD (Monday, August 24 from 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm, Online via Zoom). No registration necessary, see calendar invitation for Zoom details.

Virtual TEACH Education Day 2020...the show goes on(ine): Mark your calendars for October 8, 2020! This year's virtual Education Day will be filled with two repeated online Keynote Presentations (7am and 12noon – choose one) and the Online Posters, Recognition, and Awards Presentation (5:00 pm Online Poster Presentations; 6:00 pm Online Recognition and Awards Presentation). See below for more details on our Keynote presentations or [click here](#) to register.

Virtual TEACH Education Day 2020

Keynote presentation:

Mind the Gap: The Impact of Generational Preferences on Health Professions Education

Keynote speaker:

Geoffrey Talmon, MD

Professor, Department of Pathology and Microbiology
Assistant Dean for Medical Education, College of Medicine
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Objectives:

- Review characteristics of 4 major generations active in healthcare
- Identify the origin of "characteristics" commonly ascribed to current learners
- Discuss the impact of Generation Z students' preferences and tendencies on medical education
- Develop potential strategies for better engaging Generation Z health professions students



What's New with TEACH:

Deadline Extended: Submit an Education Research Poster Abstract for 2020

TEACH Education Day: While TEACH Education Day will look a little different this year with an online format, we are excited to still accept poster abstracts for presentation

as part of this year's Virtual TEACH Education Day 2020. Education research posters will be shared online via Zoom during the TEACH Education Day Posters, Recognition, and Awards Presentation on October 8th at 5:00pm. Poster abstracts should reflect the TEACH mission to advance education excellence innovation, be of peer review quality, and follow the formatting requirements listed [here](#). All submissions must be submitted using the [online submission form](#) on or **before August 21, 2020 at 5pm**. If you have questions about your submission, please e-mail Mariah Rudd at mjrudd@carilionclinic.org.

Recognition & Rewards: Welcome your Colleagues!

July TEACH Members: Please join us in welcoming our new members for the month of July 2020 :

Justin Gardner, DO (Psychiatry),
Katie Bower, MD, MSc (Surgery),
Tyler Kilgore, MD (Hospice and Palliative Medicine),
Katherine Tolhurst, MD (Hospice and Palliative Medicine),
and Sarah DeWitt, MD (Hospice and Palliative Medicine).



Educator Opportunities: Submit grants, proposals, or scholarly abstracts!

Submit an Abstract for the 13th Annual Virginia Tech Conference on Higher Education Pedagogy: Mark your calendars and submit an abstract for the upcoming Virginia Tech Conference on Higher Education Pedagogy on February 3-5, 2021! The call for proposals is now open with proposals due Tuesday, September 15, 2020. Proposals are sought for sessions focused on effective instructional practices and research aimed at improving the quality of teaching and learning in higher education. Four types of conference sessions are offered: Practice Sessions, Research Sessions, Conversation Sessions, and Poster Sessions. For more information about proposal types visit and to submit an abstract, [click here!](#)

IAMSE Call for Focus Sessions: Focus abstract submissions are now being accepted for the 25th Annual IAMSE Conference in 2021. The purpose of a 90-minute Focus Session is to "focus in" on a specific topic in a small group discussion format. Groups of 10-50 individuals consider a particular topic in an interactive format. Formats can be variable. Submissions are due September 1, 2020. [Click here](#) for the abstract submission site.

AAMC Learn, Serve, Lead Meeting is going virtual: This year's virtual Learn, Serve, Lead meeting will delve into how COVID-19 has changed our medical schools and teaching hospitals and how the pandemic has affected us all. The conference will be held Nov. 16-18, *registration information coming soon!*

Call for Abstracts - Innovations in Medical Education Online Conference 2021: Keck School of Medicine of USC is hosting the Innovations in Medical Education Online Conference 2021. They are now accepting abstracts for interactive workshops, curricular exemplars, innovations, and cool ideas. Workshops and Curricular exemplar abstracts are due September 14, Innovations and Cool Ideas are due October 5. For more information on abstract submissions, [click here!](#)

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