

CAIFS 2023-2024 Calendar



***First Friday of every month, 1-2pm, Online in CAIFS PROFESSIONAL

DEVELOPMENT Blackboard Course: Let's Talk Teaching—Your space for discussion, questions, and sharing

| Date | Time | Title | Facilitator | Format |
|------------------------|------------|--|---|---|
| 8/7/2023 | 1:00-3:00 | Academic Leadership Institute: Chairs Enrollment Management and Strategic Scheduling | Celena Kusch | Blended, Media 238 |
| 8/14/2023 | 1:00-2:15 | Academic Leadership Institute: Chairs and Directors Budgets and Spending | Michael Moton, Celena Kusch | Blended, Media 238 |
| 8/16/2023 | 9-1:30 | New Faculty Orientation | Celena Kusch, Jennifer Bland, Yamil Ruiz, Dave Marlow, Lillian Reeves | CLC 310, CLC 309, Admin Building Lobby Lunch |
| 8/17/2023 | 9:30-3:00 | Fall Faculty Day: Embracing Neurodiversity @ Upstate | Renu Pariyadath, Conference Organizer | Virtual Teams, Live CLC 310, CLC 309 Lunch Buffet |
| 8/18/2023 | 9:00-2:00 | Entering Mentoring | Celena Kusch, Josh Ruppel, Darlene Amendolair | CASB 117, Lunch |
| 8/21/2023 | 5:30-7:00 | Adjunct Faculty Orientation | Celena Kusch, Jennifer Bland | Virtual Teams, Live CLC 309 |
| 9/1/2023 | 1:00-2:00 | Let's Talk Teaching: All Things Blackboard | Celena Kusch, Jennifer Bland, Yamil Ruiz | Virtual CAIFS PD Course |
| 9/7/2023 | 1:30-2:30 | AI and ChatGPT in the Classroom | Celena Kusch and Yamil Ruiz | Virtual CAIFS PD Course, Live CLC 309 |
| 9/13/2023 | 1:30-2:30 | Distracted v. Engaged: Connecting and Motivating Students in the New Normal | Lillian Reeves | Virtual CAIFS PD Course, Live CLC 309 |
| 9/22/2023 | 12:30-2:00 | New Faculty and Mentors Workshop | Celena Kusch | Live Ballroom and CLC 309, Lunch |
| 10/3/2023 or 10/4/2023 | 1:30-2:30 | Community Partners in the Classroom: Engaging Your Classes in High Impact Practices | Dave Marlow, Sam & Lyn from SPACE | Virtual CAIFS PD Course, Live Admin 327 |
| 10/6/2023 | 1:00-2:00 | Let's Talk Teaching: Blackboard Learn Ultra Launch | Celena Kusch, Jennifer Bland, Yamil Ruiz | Virtual CAIFS PD Course |
| 10/12/2023 | 1:30-2:30 | We Are QM: What It Means to Be a QM Campus | Yamil Ruiz | Virtual CAIFS PD Course, Live CLC 309 |
| 10/17/2023 | 1:30-2:30 | Inclusive Pedagogy: Transparent Design | Lillian Reeves | Virtual CAIFS PD Course, Live CLC 309 |
| 10/25/2023 | 1:30-2:30 | Publishing in the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning | Jennifer Bland, Dave Marlow, Anita Nag, Brooke Hardin | Virtual CAIFS PD Course |
| 11/3/2023 | 1:00-2:00 | Let's Talk Teaching: Closing Equity Gaps | Lillian Reeves, Jennifer Bland, Yamil Ruiz, Celena Kusch | Virtual CAIFS PD Course |

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| 11/10/2023 | 12-3 | Course Showcase-SL/CE | Dave Marlow | Virtual CAIFS PD Course, CLC 309, Lunch |
| 12/1/2023 | 11:00-12:30 | Arbor Day: Engage Green | Dave Marlow | Upper Chinquapin Greenway |
| 12/1/2023 | 1:00-2:00 | Let's Talk Teaching: <i>The Courage to Teach Today</i> | Jennifer Bland, Lillian Reeves | Virtual CAIFS PD Course |
| 1/5/2024 | 9-4:00 | Blackboard Day: Top 10 Ultra Course View Features, Applying Quality Matters Alignment in Your Teaching, Ally/Accessibility, Course Modules, Experiential Teaching: Building a SLCE Assignment | Celena Kusch, Jennifer Bland, Yamil Ruiz, Lillian Reeves | Blended (CLC 310), AM Coffee and Lunch |
| 1/24/2024 | 11:00-12:00 | Introduction to Online Delivery Modalities & Building HyFlex Courses on an Asynchronous Foundation | Yamil Ruiz | Media 324 |
| 1/24/2024 | 1:30-2:30 | Inclusive Pedagogy: Transformative Experiences | Lillian Reeves | Virtual CAIFS PD Course |
| 1/30/2024 | 1:45-2:45 | Emotional Support and Service Animal Workshop | Wendy Woodsby, Jennifer Bland | Virtual CAIFS PD Course, Live CLC 309 |
| 2/2/2024 | 1:00-2:00 | Let's Talk Teaching: Ultra Course Conversion Strategies | Jennifer Bland, Celena Kusch, Yamil Ruiz | Virtual CAIFS PD Course |
| 2/14/2024 | 12:00-1:00 | OER and Affordable Learning Showcase | Drew Kearns, Jennifer Bland | Virtual CAIFS PD Course |
| 2/20/2024 | 1:30-2:30 | Preparing Your Students for an AI-Enhanced Future | Jess Stahl, Guest Speaker (Lillian Reeves host) | Teams Link |
| 2/21/2024 | 11:30-1:00 | Bridge to Quality: QM Online Course Design Guide | Yamil Ruiz | Media 217 & Virtual CAIFS PD Course |
| 2/28/2024 | 1:30-2:30 | Peer Observation of Teaching | Lillian Reeves | Virtual CAIFS PD Course |
| 3/1/2024 | 1:00-2:00 | Let's Talk Teaching: Ultra Course View Set-Up for Summer and Fall | Jennifer Bland, Celena Kusch, Yamil Ruiz | Virtual CAIFS PD Course |
| 3/18/2024 | 11:30-1:00 | Developing Presence and Community in Online Courses | Yamil Ruiz | Media 324 & Virtual CAIFS PD Course |
| 3/22/2024 | 12:00-3:00 | Spring Showcase: Engaged Pedagogy | Jennifer Bland | Live CLC 309, Lunch |
| 3/27/2024 | 2:30-4:00 | Implementing Accessibility | Jennifer Bland, Lisa Caggiano | Live Admin 327 |
| 4/3/2024 | 1:45-2:45 | Writing the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning: Writing Day Workshop | Jennifer Bland, Lillian Reeves | Live CLC 309, Snacks |
| 4/4/2024 | 3:00-5:00 | SL/CE Celebration and Awards Reception | Dave Marlow | Live HEC Boardroom, Celebration Food |
| 4/5/2024 | 1:00-2:00 | Wellness and Warmth in the Learning Environment | Lillian Reeves, Jennifer | Virtual CAIFS PD Course |
| 4/9/2024 | 2:00-3:00 | Launch APPQMR Workshop | Yamil Ruiz | Virtual CAIFS PD Course |
| 4/11/2024 | 1:45-2:45 | Christina Gardner-McCune AI for Learning | Celena Kusch, Josh Ruppel | Live Active Learning Classroom LIBR 238 |

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| 4/12/2024 | TBD | Engage Upstate in the Research Symposium | Dave Marlow | Symposium Schedule |
| 4/24/2024 | 11:30-1:00 | Tools & Technology to Enhance HyFlex Instruction | Yamil Ruiz | Media 324 & Virtual CAIFS PD Course |
| 5/6/2024 | 10:30-12:00 | Steps for a Seamless Semester Transition: Quick Course Copy and Update | Celena Kusch | Virtual CAIFS PD Course, Live CLC 309, Snacks |
| 5/13/2024 | 9:00-2:00 | Blackboard Learn Ultra Transition Workday | Jennifer Bland, Yamil Ruiz, Celena Kusch | Media 238, Coffee, Snacks, Lunch |

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