

2020 Faculty Convocation
“Reframing the Future of Education”
Thursday, August 20, 2020

Pre-Recorded Remarks:

Dr. Astrid S. Tuminez
President

Dr. Wayne Vaught
Provost and Vice President of Academic Affairs

Dr. Anne Arendt
Faculty Senate President
Associate Professor, Technology Management

1:00-2:00 pm Workshops: (Live Streaming via Microsoft Teams Channels)

Workshop I: Prior Learning Assessment and its Impact on Curriculum

Susan Thackeray, Assistant Professor, Technology Management

On November 15, 2019, the Utah Board of Regents adopted R472 Credit for Prior Learning in response to [2019-House Bill 45-Higher Education Credit Amendments](#). This workshop will share examples of prior learning assessment (PLA) and discuss the future of credit for prior learning at UVU.

Workshop II: The Future of Course Delivery: Face to Face, Online, and Live Streaming

Wendy Athens, Sr. Director – Teaching and Learning; David Connelly, Associate Provost of Academic Programs

Most faculty have altered delivery of their courses this Fall to face-to-face with live streaming, live streaming remote, online, or other. The question is, “What is the future of course delivery at UVU?” In this session, faculty experts in each of these modalities will position the relative merits and challenges of each, then share tips for greater effectiveness. The session will conclude with highlights of new features in MS Teams that will improve live streaming sessions including Canvas integration, large gallery (7x7), hand raising, custom backgrounds, and attendance downloads.

Faculty Experts:

F2F and live streaming: Joe Jensen and Ron Hammond

Live streaming remote: Roxanne Brinkerhoff and Phil Witt

Online: Jessi Hill and Jonathan Allred

Teams: Reed Warner, Jason Hill, and Sam Gedeberg

Workshop III: Creating a Safe Classroom During Face to Face and Live Streaming

Kathren Brown, Associate Provost of Academic Administration; Maren Turnidge, Director - Student Conduct/Conflict Resolution; Nizhone Meza, Manager, Academic Policy and Faculty Relations

Many faculty members and students are concerned about classrooms and other campus spaces when teaching this coming year. Media reports of violence over masks have everyone on edge. This workshop will have tips for de-escalating tense situations with students and colleagues and guidance on how to handle tense situations in classrooms.

2:00-3:00 pm Q & A with President Tuminez (Live streaming via Microsoft Teams)

