

Don't Teach So Close To Me: Offering UDL Workshops Remotely During the Pandemic and Beyond



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Abstract

In this session, Chemeketa Community College's Tech Hub Faculty will share how we "remote-ified" our UDL Workshop Certificate series in response to COVID-19. We'll discuss challenges and successes of offering workshops remotely and demonstrate UDL-driven strategies that benefit students in both synchronous and asynchronous learning environments.

Resources

Materials and resources can be found on our [UDL Workshop Series Companion Site](#).

Presenter Bios

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