



TEACHING & LEARNING CENTER

Newsletter



The Air University (AU) Teaching & Learning Center (TLC) is the focal point for activities related to the enhancement of teaching and learning at AU. We provide resources, expertise, guidance and facilities to increase the ability of faculty to teach and students to learn.

News

- The [Air Force Learning Professionals Spotlight](#) program highlights our great Air Force educators. See what colleagues are doing to train and educate Airmen & Guardians to meet our future national security challenges. This and much more can be discovered on the [Air Force Learning Professionals webpage](#).
- Air University holds an enterprise level membership to [EduCause](#) for all Government faculty. The TLC will now manage this membership on behalf of AU. If you have any questions related to accessing resources or benefits, please contact us at 953-7568 or autlc@us.af.mil.

Events



Teaching Essentials Course (TEC)
1st and 3rd Thursdays @ 3pm
via Zoom.Gov

- 1 Apr - Visual Communication Skills for Instructors
- 15 Apr - Assessment Strategies



Learn Tech Tours (LTT)
2nd and 4th Thursdays @ 3pm
via Microsoft Teams

- 8 Apr - VR/AR Research at Air University
- 22 Apr - Qualtrics Series (1 of 4):
Basic Intro to Qualtrics

The TLC would love to hear from you.

If you have attended any one of our events, please take this short survey. Your feedback is important and helps us serve you better. Use the QR code or this address: tinyurl.com/TLC0208



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JSOTL Forum

The TLC is proud to host the upcoming Joint PME Scholarship of Teaching and Learning Forum (#JSOTLForum)!

We hope you will join us for this free, one-day virtual conference on 11 May to learn from your colleagues across Air University, the DoD and joint force, and civilian higher education.

JSOTL
Joint PME Scholarship of
Teaching and Learning Forum

The conference will include a plenary session, a working lunch meeting of the PME Faculty Consortium, and multiple breakout presentations of research specific to PME learning environments. Research presentations and panel discussions are aligned with seven research tracks: (1) evidence-based instructional strategies, (2) faculty development, (3) assessment, (4) learning theories and andragogy, (5) distributed learning, (6) educational technology, and (7) research methods.

This year, we are especially honored to feature [Dr. Jim Lang](#) as our plenary speaker. Dr. Lang is the author of the books ****Distracted: Why Students Can't Focus and What You Can Do About It**** and ****Small Teaching: Everyday Lessons from the Science of Learning****. Dr. Lang is also the Director of the D'Amour Center for Teaching Excellence at Assumption College in Worcester, MA.



Register by 30 April to reserve your ticket to this unique research-based conference. Contact **Dr. Megan Hennessey** at megan.hennessey@au.af.edu with any questions.

TLC Facilities

Our facilities remain open for reservations at 50% capacity. Go to our [Facilities Calendar](#) to see what events are currently scheduled. Click [HERE](#) for more info about our spaces.

