

## Fall 2016 Workshops

### FALL DROP-IN

Bring your questions! Let us help you prepare for the new semester! RSVPs not required. First come. First serve.  
(8/26) 1:30pm – 4:00pm (EC513, CHS189, KHS4402)

### Blackboard Essentials

(8/24) 2:00pm – 4:00pm (HRY111 - Allendale)  
(8/26) 10:00am – 12:00pm (EC513 - Pew)  
(9/6) 5:30pm – 7:30pm (EC513 - Pew)  
(9/9) 1:00pm – 3:00pm (EC513 - Pew)  
(10/14) 1:00pm – 3:00pm (EC513 - Pew)  
(12/19) 10:00am – 12:00pm (EC513 - Pew)

### Blackboard Grade Center + Assignments

(8/25) 1:00pm – 3:00pm (EC513 - Pew)  
(9/6) 5:30pm – 7:30pm (HRY111 - Allendale)  
(9/22) 10:00am – 12:00pm (EC513 - Pew)  
(12/16) 10:00am – 12:00pm (EC513 - Pew)

### Blackboard Assessment Tools (Surveys, Tests & Quizzes)

(8/25) 10:00pm – 12:00pm (EC513 - Pew)  
(9/22) 1:00pm – 3:00pm (EC513 - Pew)  
(11/11) 1:00pm – 3:00pm (EC513 - Pew)

### Blackboard Rubric Tool

(9/27) 1:00am – 2:00pm (EC513 - Pew)

### Blackboard Collaborate Ultra (Live Web Conferencing)

(8/22) 2:00pm – 4:00pm (EC513 - Pew)  
(9/16) 1:00pm – 3:00pm (HRY111 - Allendale)  
(11/16) 1:00pm – 3:00pm (EC513 - Pew)

### Glue them to their seats! (PowerPoint Design)

(10/18) 1:00pm- 3:00pm (EC513 - Pew)

### Prezi

(10/27) 10:00am - 12:00pm (HRY111 - Allendale)

### Sneaky Slides (PowerPoint Animation)

(11/10) 1:00pm – 3:00pm (EC513 - Pew)

### TechSmith Relay & Ensemble Video

(9/1) 10:00am - 12:00pm (EC513 - Pew)  
(11/4) 1:00pm – 3:00pm (EC513 - Pew)  
(12/14) 1pm – 3pm (HRY111 - Allendale)

### Getting Started with Google Applications

(9/21) 2:00pm – 4:00pm (EC513 - Pew)

### Creating Engaging & Interactive Digital Media

(9/30) 1:00pm – 3:00pm (EC513 - Pew)  
(12/13) 1:00pm – 3:00pm (HRY111 - Allendale)

### Flip it! Flip your Classroom Teaching!

(10/11) 1:00pm – 3:00pm (EC513 - Pew)

### NEW LUNCH & LEARN SESSIONS!

#### Blackboard Wikis\*

(9/14) 12:00pm – 1:00pm (DEV302E)

#### Blackboard Blogs\*

(9/21) 12:00pm – 1:00pm (DEV302E)

#### Blackboard Journals\*

(9/28) 12:00pm – 1:00pm (DEV302E)

#### Blackboard Achievements\*

(10/19) 12:00pm – 1:00pm (DEV302E)

#### Blackboard Retention Center\*

(11/2) 12:00pm – 1:00pm (DEV302E)

#### Engaging the Millennial Student Applications\*

(10/5) 12:00pm – 1:00pm (DEV302E)

#### Integrating Google Apps with Blackboard\*

(10/21) 12:00pm – 1:00pm (DEV302C)

*\*Bring your lunch!*

### Foundations of Online/Hybrid Course Development (Sept/Oct)

Session 1: 9/23 9am – 12pm (Allendale)

Session 2: 9/30 (Online) Optional Drop-in 9 – 12pm (Allendale)

Session 3: 10/7 9:00am – 12:00pm (Allendale)

*NOTE: This workshop is offered in a hybrid format and takes place over 3 weeks.*

### Foundations of Online/Hybrid Course Development (Oct/Nov)

Week1: 10/24, Week 2: 10/31, Week 3: 11/7, Week 4: 11/14

*NOTE: This workshop is completely online and takes place over 4 weeks.*

### Community of Inquiry: What is Social Presence?

(10/14) 1:30pm - 3:00 pm (CHS 440 Hauenstein Room)

### 5 Things you need to know before Implementing Online Discussion

(11/11) 1:30pm – 3:00pm (DEV302E - Pew)

### Creating, Managing and Keeping your Students Engaged in their Group Projects

(10/13) 10:00am – 12:00pm (EC513 - Pew)

### Getting Started with Google Applications

(9/21) 2:00pm – 4:00pm (EC513 - Pew)

### Easy Solutions to create ADA Compliant Documents that are Beneficial to All

(10/7) 12:00pm – 1:30pm (HRY111 - Allendale)

# Video & Digital Media Workshops

## Introduction to Ensemble Video and TechSmith Relay

(9/1 )10:00am – 12:00pm (EC513) | (11/4) 1:00pm – 3:00pm (EC513) | (12/14) 1:00pm – 3:00pm (HRY111 – Allendale)  
In this hands-on workshop, learn how to create quick 3-5 minute videos that will help you personalize your course and bring course content to life. Workshop participants will get an opportunity to explore how Camtasia Relay can be used to create a self-introduction video, narrate a PowerPoint, or create a guided video tour of your Blackboard site.

## Creating Engaging and Interactive Digital Media

(9/30) 1:00pm – 3:00pm (EC513 – Pew) | (12/13) 1:00-3:00pm Allendale (HRY111 - Allendale)

There are a variety of tools that can be used to create video content, many of which are free and web-based. During this demonstration workshop, we'll explore a potpourri of such tools, including software for tablet and smartphone video, green screens, and Elmo document cameras.

## Glue Them to Their Seats: Redeeming PowerPoint through Neuroscience and Good Design

(10/18) 1:00pm – 3:00pm (EC513 – Pew)

In this workshop we will rehabilitate PowerPoint by learning a new design aesthetic. This approach will cure most of PowerPoint's evils, make you a more effective communicator, and will glue your audience to their seats. The optional second half of the workshop will include various hands-on lessons applying the workshop's principles, and participants are encouraged to bring their own laptop if they have one.

## Video Reflective Journals

(11/1) 1:00pm – 3:00pm (EC513 – Pew)

Literature has shown that critical thinking enhances the learning process and that reflective practices enhance critical thinking. Together, better connections and meaning can be drawn from course materials and subjects, leading to enhanced understanding and a more satisfying learning experience for students. A Video Reflective Journal or "VRJ" can bridge this gap offering faculty a better understanding of individual student needs and interests. Professor Michael Ricco will examine the "VRJ" model including a brief overview of the survey data he's collected to date, review the needed technology and discuss how it can fit with your learning objectives.

## How to Edit and Manipulate Digital Images

(11/8) 10:00am – 12:00pm (HRY111 - Allendale)

Learn to edit and enhance your digital images using a variety of "free" image editing websites and applications. These tools let users perform many helpful functions such as reducing the size of an image, change file types, crop, rotate, balance colors, create special effects and add text to images. This seminar will also cover how to capture images from your computer's display and save them as digital images.

## Sneaky Slides: Using PowerPoint to create Animated Videos

(11/10) 1:00pm – 3:00pm (EC513 – Pew)

Sure, we all know that PowerPoint can create boring slideshows. But did you know that it's also a great tool for producing animated videos that will actually capture your audience's attention? In this hands-on workshop, we'll learn some sneaky new uses for PowerPoint's drawing and animation tools. Come and be surprised at how easily your slides can be put to work in a whole new way.

## Photoshop CC for PC: Top 10 Tools and Tricks

(12/6) 1:00pm – 4:00pm (HRY111 - Allendale)

Photoshop CC can transform ordinary photographs into something beautiful, unusual or even out of this world, but learning the software can be a daunting task. With this basic introduction, you'll learn to restore photos, apply special picture effects and add text to images. Note: Photoshop CC is available in all GVSU labs. Photoshop CC is not a part of GVSU's general use software and is not purchased for attendees. *The software is available via a personal/departmental purchase.*

Register by going to <http://www.gvsu.edu/sprout/> with your GVSU network username and password.

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