

To: CPP Faculty
From: Victoria Bhavsar
Subject: Happy Thanksgiving holiday and two paid opportunities
Date: Tuesday, Nov 21, 2023

Dear faculty,

Here's a very short note to wish everyone a restful, enjoyable long weekend however you observe the Thanksgiving holiday!

Also, here's two paid opportunities, both of which promise to be outstanding learning and community-building experiences:

- [Teacher-Scholar](#): "Teaching Climate Change & Resilience" FLC – applications are due Dec. 15
- We still have a few spots left for CAFE's [Winter Institute: Doing the Work: Anti-Racist Teaching & Learning](#)

Take care,

Victoria

PS Student evaluations opened on Sunday Nov. 19 for students to access via Canvas, MyCPP, and email links. Remember these [ideas for getting good return rates for student evaluations](#).

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In this email:

- [Winter Institute: Doing the Work: Anti-Racist Teaching & Learning](#)
- [Teacher-Scholar](#): "Teaching Climate Change & Resilience" FLC
- [Teaching Nuts & Bolts](#): Grades in Canvas, Final Grades
- [Friends of CAFE](#): Principles of Community survey

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[Winter Institute Doing the Work: Anti-Racist Teaching & Learning](#): Jan. 9-12, 2024, in person.

Consider together what it means and how to offer a course that goes beyond using generally effective strategies to being anti-racist. Faculty of any discipline and status are welcomed and encouraged to participate. **This is a paid offering.** We have capacity for a maximum of 30 faculty participants. [Register and save the dates.](#)

Teacher-Scholar: Spring 2024 ["Teaching Climate Change & Resilience" FLC](#). Join Erin Questad (Biology) and other faculty in a CSU-wide network focused on climate change. Discuss the science behind climate change, solutions available to counter it, the need to incorporate justice into the conversation, and

handling the climate anxiety our students experience. This is a paid opportunity. [Applications](#) are due Dec. 15.

Teaching Nuts and Bolts:

- [Technology Tuesdays](#): Tuesday Nov. 21, 12:00 – 12:50pm via Zoom ([see the schedule and register with the link](#)). Ann Loomis talks about grades and Canvas.
- [“Assigning Final Grades” Informative Session & Discussion \(via Zoom\)](#): Monday Nov. 27, 12 – 1pm OR Tuesday Nov. 28 12 – 1pm. The Registrar team describes how to determine students' final grades, with special attention to Incompletes, WU's vs F's, RP's, and RD's. [Please register](#).

Friends of CAFE:

- **Coming Soon: “Principles of Community” All-Campus Survey**: The Office of Inclusive Excellence is seeking input from all campus members on the principles we value, stand for, and uphold in our interactions with one another. Look for a survey after Thanksgiving to provide your thoughts.
- [Academic Innovation Winter Institute](#): Jan. 17 & 18, 2024. *Exploring Micro-Internships: A Guide to Understanding and Successfully Implementing Short-Term Work Experiences*. Discover how micro-internships can benefit students, seamlessly integrate micro-internships into your syllabi, and network with colleagues around campus.

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Get Canvas help from CAFE: Submit a [Canvas ticket using this link](#) OR call 909-869-3099, M-F 8am – 5pm. We will be closed on Thursday & Friday Nov. 23 & 24 for the Thanksgiving holiday.