

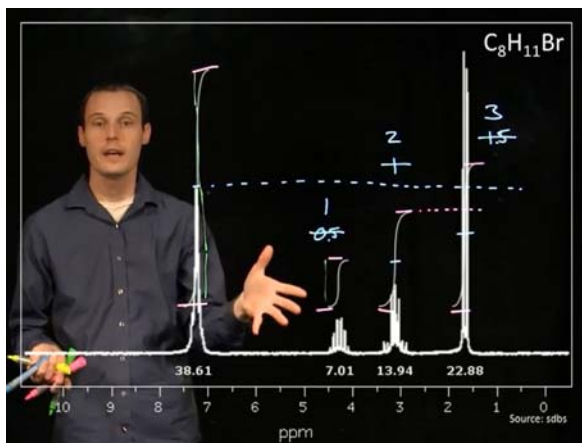
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Participate in Educause's Faculty Technology Experience Survey

All Butler faculty are invited to participate in a survey that will help the Center for Academic Technology (CAT), the Office of Academic Program Development and Innovation (APDI), and Butler IT learn how to provide you with better technology services at Butler University. By completing this survey, you will be eligible to win an Amazon gift card. Responses are confidential. [Access Survey!](#)

CAT Piloting Mini-Grant Program



CAT announces the pilot of a new mini-grant program called the Academic Technology and Innovation Grant (ATIG). The purpose of the grant is to foster innovative teaching and learning through the use of [Lightboard technology](#). ATIG is a nine month grant program that begins in July 2017 and lasts through April 2018 and is open to all Butler University faculty (tenured, tenure track, non-tenure track, and adjunct faculty). The deadline for application submissions is April 24, 2017. [Learn more and view the request for proposals.](#)



Tip of the Day: Promote Quality Discussion Posts in Moodle

You can **Pin** a post to the top of a discussion forum to keep students focused or highlight good student work. Find out how in the [Moodle LibGuides](#).

Upcoming Events

Sharing Content Wirelessly in the Classroom using

Marjorie Rork Lightboard Lunch and Learn Info Sessions

At these informal lunch and learns, participants will hear from Butler faculty who have incorporated lightboard technology into their instruction. Additionally, attendees will take a tour of the Marjorie Rork Lightboard Studio in the basement of Irwin Library and learn

about the Center for Academic Technology's [new mini-grant program](#) that promotes use of Butler's Lightboard. A light lunch will be served. Because capacity is limited, two instances of this event have been scheduled, Registrants are encouraged to register for the one that best fits their schedule.

[Register](#) | 4/10/17 | 12:00pm to 1:00pm | Irwin Library room 303, CAT Learning Lounge | Facilitators: Multiple | Faculty exempoals: Stephanie Enz and Kim Beck

Round Table Discussion: Making Course Materials Accessible to all Learners, Online

In this round table discussion, participants will join in a conversation with leaders from the Butler academic and IT community to discuss the best ways to make sure all learners have equal access to course materials via Moodle or other online locations.

[Register](#) | 3/29/17 | 1:00pm to 2:00pm | Irwin Library room 303, CAT Learning Lounge | Facilitators: Multiple

Round Table Discussion: Creating a Community of Inquiry

Successful online courses depend upon an active community of inquiry which encourages contact between students and faculty. The Office of Academic Program Development and Innovation (APDI) and CAT want to invite those beginning and experienced in teaching online to participate in a round table on strategies to create a community of inquiry. Bring your questions and share your suggestions and experience with successful engagement techniques.

[Register](#) | 4/05/17 | 1:00pm to 2:00pm | Irwin Library room 303, CAT Learning Lounge | Facilitators: Multiple

CAT Open Consulting Session

In this open consulting session, you pick the topic. Whether you desire consultation on the best way to configure Moodle Gradebook for end of the year grades or you want to get a head start on planning your summer course in Moodle or you want to learn ways to use video in your course, whatever the topic, as long as it relates to academic technology, we'll have CAT staff available for consultation. When you register make sure to indicate the topic you'd like help with.

[Register](#) | 4/12/17 | 2pm to 4pm | Irwin Library 303 CAT Learning Lounge | Facilitators: multiple

Our Mission

The Center for Academic Technology champions the effective use of educational technology by collaborating with the Butler community to foster 21st-century skills and to nurture innovation.

The Center for Academic Technology is a division of Academic Affairs.

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