

CI Newsletter: Nov 27-Dec 1, 2023

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Hello CI Faculty

Champions!

Check out some exciting resources, developments and events below!

Curriculum Café

Our next Curriculum Café is virtual and will be held on Thurs. Nov. 30, 3:00-4:30. [Register on MyPD](#). This virtual Curriculum Café discussion will be an ongoing opportunity for faculty to share their curriculum stories. For our second session, our focus will be on curriculum. All are welcome!

Curriculum Café is a bi-weekly informal get-together where faculty share and learn about curriculum integration in Truth & Reconciliation (TRC), Equity, Diversity & Inclusion (EDI), and Sustainability (SUS).



Caption: Curriculum Café logo. Source: Teaching & Learning Centre.

Faculty Voices

For those interested in incorporating Curriculum Integration into their assessments, we invite you to look at [Spotlight Three: Assessments & Mapping](#), a helpful peer-to-peer resource developed by members of the Faculty of Arts. This [Thinkspace](#) explores perspectives and tools for developing course assessments, integrating Reconciliation, EDI and Sustainability. Please take advantage of the website's opportunities to reflect and examine examples of assessment approaches.



Event Announcement

Celebrating Sustainability in Business

Join Seneca Business colleagues and students on **Thurs. Nov. 30 at 12 p.m., Newnham Campus Building A (Starbucks area)** for a Principles for Responsible Management Education (PRME) event, Celebrating Sustainability in Business. This includes an SDG Multimedia Contest awards ceremony. The awards ceremony is being organized by Professor Kerri Knudsen, who is also a member of Seneca Business PRME Team.

The event aims to recognize and celebrate the outstanding achievements of our students who have demonstrated their knowledge of sustainability in business. Students were invited to create a poster, and share an innovative idea from another country that they think Canada and its businesses and entrepreneurs should implement to reduce, reuse or repurpose plastics. For more information, please visit the [PRME SDG Multimedia Contest page](#).



Caption: SDG Multimedia Contest poster. Source: Seneca Business.

EDI Voices

Dr. Jay Dolmage is a disability advocate and professor at the University of Waterloo. Please enjoy listening to [Academic Ableism](#) [Video], beginning at 15:00, for a conversation with Dr. Dolmage and Queens' University faculty and staff about grounding our inclusive classroom practices.



Teaching to Transgress Series

Academic Ableism: A Conversation with Jay Dolmage

Tuesday, October 3, 2023

Jay Dolmage is the Chair of English at the University of Waterloo, and author of Three books, *Disability Rhetoric*, *Academic Ableism*, and *Disabled Upon Arrival*. He is also the founding editor of the Canadian Journal of Disability Studies, which is an open-access journal. He is committed to disability rights in his teaching, working to bring together writing, rhetoric and critical pedagogy concerning disability.



Watch on  YouTube

Caption: Screenshot of Dr. Jay Dolmage's interview, Academic Ableism. Source: Queen's University.

Looking for support? Feel free to reach out to the CI team at any time by emailing teaching@senecacollege.ca.



Caption: Artwork by Isaac Murdoch, "The Petition to the Water Spirits", located at Seneca@York Courtyard. Source: Seneca Polytechnic, 2023.



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