The Sheridan Center for Teaching and Learning
Fall 2018 Workshops and Programs

Please register for these events at: https://www.brown.edu/sheridan/news/events
Sign up to receive monthly notices of new events: https://www.brown.edu/sheridan/newsletter

**Faculty Open Classroom Weeks: September 24-October 5**
Explore a new class to learn a new subject or approach to teaching! Brown faculty have opened up their classrooms and invite other Brown instructors to attend to spark cross-university conversations about teaching and learning. See http://brown.edu/go/Open for details and to RSVP.

**Early Career Faculty Lunch Series**
Tenure-track faculty and lecturers meet together with campus leaders in 720 SciLi for informal discussion.
- **Provost Rick Locke:**
  Thursday, September 13, 12:00 - 12:50 PM
- **Dean of the Faculty Kevin McLaughlin:**
  Thursday, October 4, 12:00 - 12:50 PM
- **Dean of the College Rashid Zia:**
  Monday, October 15, 12:00 - 12:50 PM
- **Dean of the Graduate School Andrew Campbell:**
  Friday, November 2, 12:00 - 12:50 PM

**Junior Faculty Teaching Fellows (Applications due August 30)**
The program offers the opportunity for tenure-track faculty and lecturers to discuss teaching and student learning in a small community across departments. A small research stipend is offered upon completion. For more details and to apply, please see http://brown.edu/go/JFF.

**First Days of Teaching Lunches**
- **Facilitating a First Readings Discussion (720 SciLi)**
  Monday, August 27, 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM
  or Wednesday, August 29, 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM
- **Preparing for the First Days of Class as a New Faculty Member or Postdoctoral Associate (720 SciLi)**
  Tuesday, August 28, 12:00 - 1:30 PM

**Designing Courses to Build Students’ Research Skills: HHMI-Sheridan Series**
This series is oriented to STEM and social science instructors who wish to build research experiences that cultivate students’ investigative skills, sense of discovery, and interest in the field.
- **What Is a Course-based Undergraduate Research Experience (CURE) and How Do I Teach One?**
  Thursday, September 27, 12:00 - 1:30 PM, 720 SciLi (lunch provided)
  Cissy Ballen, Assistant Professor, Department of Biological Sciences, Auburn University
  David Matus, Assistant Professor, Department of Biochemistry and Cell Biology, Stony Brook University
- **How Do I Design and Assess a CURE?**
  Tuesday, October 9, 12:00 - 1:30 PM, 720 SciLi (lunch provided)
  Sara Brownell, Assistant Professor, School of Life Sciences, Arizona State University
- **Faculty Institute on Designing Course-based Research Experiences: January 2019**

**“How I Teach with Art”: A Sheridan Center-RISD Museum Workshop Series**
This collaborative series invites instructors to explore object-based teaching and learning strategies and consider ways to incorporate arts-based pedagogy in courses across the disciplines. Join us for sessions facilitated by faculty who discuss the ways they teach with art and objects in their courses. All sessions held at the RISD Museum. (Dates TBD)
- Stephen Bush, Religious Studies
- Patricia Sobral, Portuguese and Brazilian Studies

**Inclusive Teaching**
- **Hidden Gender Inequities in Undergraduate Science Courses – From Exams to Instructor Humor**
  Research presentation on Wednesday, October 10, 10:00 – 11:00 AM, 720 SciLi
  Sara Brownell, Assistant Professor, School of Life Sciences, Arizona State University
- **Department Workshops**
  The Sheridan Center supports D-DIAP committees by offering department workshops on topics such as Unconscious Bias in the Classroom, Introduction to Inclusive Teaching, Addressing Microaggressions in the Classroom, and Facilitating Inclusive Discussions. For details, please see: http://brown.edu/go/InclusiveDepartment

**Teaching Statements and Teaching Portfolios**
The Sheridan Center offers a self-paced online workshop on Creating a Teaching Portfolio to help graduate students and postdoctoral scholars develop teaching statements and compile teaching materials for the academic job market. Interested participants may self-enroll on the Sheridan website.