# The Sheridan Center for Teaching and Learning
## Spring 2018 Workshops

Unless noted, all programs are open to faculty, postdocs, and graduate students. Pre-registration and location information can be found at [www.brown.edu/sheridan](http://www.brown.edu/sheridan).

### Spring 2018 Early Career Faculty Roundtable Lunches
- **Provost Rick Locke**: Fri, Feb 2, 12:00 - 12:50 pm (Lunch is available at 11:45 am.)
- **President Christina Paxson**: Fri, Mar 2, 12:00 - 12:50 pm (Lunch is available at 11:45 am.)

### Teaching Writing
- **FUNDING OPPORTUNITY: Writing Across the Curriculum Faculty Seminar**
  Faculty receive a $2,000 course re/development grant to plan and teach a course that supports writing in their discipline. Proposals are due March 2. See brown.edu/sheridan for more information.
- **Implementing Writing Groups to Cultivate a Community of Writers in Your Classroom**
  Fri, Feb 16, 10:00 – 11:20 am
- **Responding to Student Writing: Dialogic Methods to Engage and Authorize Student Writers**
  Tues, Mar 6, 3:00 - 4:00 pm

### Teaching Problem Solving
- **FUNDING OPPORTUNITY: Problem-Solving Faculty Course Design Institute**
  Open to faculty who complete online problem-solving workshops and wish to receive a $2,000 course re/development grant to implement ideas from these programs. For more information, see: [http://bit.ly/PSCDI2018](http://bit.ly/PSCDI2018)
- **What is Problem Solving? Reflections, Evidence, and Promise**
  Tues, Mar 13, 12:00 – 1:00 pm -or- Thurs, Mar 15, 12:00 – 1:00 pm (lunch provided)
- **How Do Problems Fit Into Your Course Design?**
  Tues, Apr 10, 12:00 – 1:00 pm -or- Thurs, Apr 19, 12:00 – 1:00 pm (lunch provided)

### Cultivating Academic Integrity Lunchtime Discussions
Co-sponsored with the Academic Integrity Working Group; Lunch available at 11:45 am
- **Scaffolding Assignments to Improve Student Learning**: Wed, Feb 14, 12:00 - 1:15 pm
- **Inclusive Feedback for Multilingual Writers**: Wed, Mar 21, 12:00 - 1:15 pm

### Inclusive Classrooms and Conversations Series
- **Preparing for the First Days of Teaching**: Thurs, Jan 18, 12:00 - 1:30 pm
- **OIED Professional Development Day on Tues, Feb 20:**
  - **Inclusive Teaching in the Humanities and Social Sciences**: 12:00 - 1:15 pm
  - **Inclusive Teaching in STEM**: 1:30 - 2:45 pm
- **Active Learning in Large Lecture Halls** (Co-facilitated by ITG and Sheridan)
  Mon, Mar 12, 4:00 – 5:00 pm (Barus & Holley 166)

### Necessary Conversations: A Sheridan Center-RISD Museum Collaborative Series
These workshops explore strategies for teaching with objects as primary materials in courses across the disciplines. Particular attention is paid to techniques that encourage critical thinking and observational skills, and to those that encourage discussion about history, culture, and the environment. Sessions are held at the RISD Museum (224 Benefit St).
- **Necessary Conversations I: Rich Tapestries**: Tues, Feb 27, 12:00 - 1:15 pm
- **Necessary Conversations II: “United Histories”**: Thurs, Apr 12, 12:00 - 1:15 pm

### 2018 Sheridan Invited Speaker:
**Dr. Rachel Niemer**, Founding Director of the Gameful Learning Lab, University of Michigan
- **Better Slide Design to Support Learning**: Thurs, Apr 5, 10:00 - 11:00 am
- **Going Gameful: Level Up Your Learners’ Motivation**: Thurs, Apr 5, 12:15 - 1:30 pm
- **Implementation workshop, co-facilitated by ITG and Sheridan**: Engage Learners Through Play: Thurs, Apr 9, 12:00 - 1:20 pm (Lunch available at 11:45 am)

### Academic Job Search Series (Co-sponsored with CareerLAB)
- **Planning a Teaching Demonstration**: Fri, Feb 23, 11:00 am – 12:00 pm
- **Writing a Teaching Statement**: Tues, Apr 17, 4:00 – 5:00 pm
- **Creating a Teaching Portfolio**: Wed, Apr 25, 4:00 - 5:00 pm