

TECH UP YOUR CLASSROOM: ENHANCING YOUR FL CLASSROOM WITH TECHNOLOGY

2008 CLEAR Summer Workshop Program Agenda

July 14, 2008 (Mon) -- July 16, 2008 (Wed)

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C105 & B100c Wells Hall

Goals:

- To expose participants to a wide range of tools to use in foreign language teaching
- To teach participants new technology
- To teach participants to use technology they already know in a different way

Materials for Participants:

- Overview of CLEAR Products
 - Sample Activities on CD-Rom
 - Handouts Listening Benefits of Implementing Technology in FL Teaching
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Monday, July 14

Every-day Tools For FL Teaching

9:00 – 10:00:

Introduction to Workshop

10:00 – 11:00

Diagnostic Evaluation of Participants' Computer Literacy

Research-based benefits of using technology for teaching

Common practices in teaching with technology

11:00-12:00

Basic Microsoft Word Skills (formatting, inserting media items, tools)

Collaborative Writing with Microsoft Word

Providing Students with Feedback using Microsoft Word

13:00-14:00

Basic Excel Skills (formatting, inserting media items, tools, printing) Managing your grades and students with Excel (functions, mail merge)

14:00-15:00

Basic Power Point Skills (formatting, inserting media, tools, printing)

Presenting in a face-to-face environment with Microsoft Power Point

Presenting in an online environment with Microsoft Power Point

15:00-16:00

Overview of Course Management Systems

ANGEL Orientation

Creating an own course in a free CMS

Tuesday, July 15

Computer-mediated Communication Tools For Teaching

9:00 – 10:00:

Review

Introduction to CMC: what is it?

10:00 – 11:00

Research-based benefits of using CMC for teaching

11:00-12:00

Chat: Overview; activities to practice, working with transcripts, creating activities

13:00-14:00

Discussion Forums: Overview, activities to practice, creating activities

14:00-15:00

Blogs: Overview, activities to practice, creating activities

15:00-16:00

Web Quests with Email: Overview, activities to practice, creating activities

Wednesday, July 16

CLEAR Products

9:00 – 10:00:

Review

Introduction to RIAS: what are they

10:00 – 11:00

Research-based benefits of using formative computer-assisted evaluation

11:00-12:00

SMILE: Overview, activities to practice, creating activities

13:00-14:00

Viewpoint: Overview, activities to practice, creating activities

14:00-15:00

Audio Dropbox: Overview, activities to practice, creating activities

15:00-16:00

Mashup: Overview, activities to practice, creating activities

Each full day's session includes two 15-minute breaks, plus lunch

Participant evaluation

Participants will be asked to give written comments on the content of the workshop, the presentation of the materials, and the usefulness of the hands-on activities. Additionally, they will be asked for possible suggestions for future workshops