

ARC 2025

Academic Resources Conference

August 4-8 | Office of Instructional Resources

MON 8/4	TUE 8/5	WED 8/6	THU 8/7	FRI 8/8
9 - 9:50 am Opening Plenary <i>Richard Muma, Monica Lounsbery, Carolyn Speer</i>	9 - 9:50 am Building Your Course for Student Analytics <i>Magi Penner-Hiebert</i>	9 - 9:50 am Watermark Tools for Faculty <i>Rachel Crane, Sandy Ranney</i>	9 - 9:50 am Navigate Training for Faculty <i>Kim Sandlin, Brett Bruner</i>	9 - 9:50 am From Clicks to Creativity: AI Tools in Blackboard <i>Carolyn Speer</i>
10 - 10:50 am Getting Started with Blackboard <i>Mary Morriss</i>	10 - 10:50 am Give your Blackboard Class that "Wow" Factor <i>Jacie Green</i>	10 - 10:50 am Accessible Infographics <i>Heather Merchant</i>	10 - 10:50 am Faculty Collaboration Corner: Success Beyond the Syllabus <i>Kim Sandlin, Chelsea Dey</i>	10 - 10:50 am Academic Integrity at WSU <i>Grace Henderson, Alicia Newell</i>
11 - 11:50 am Creating and Using Rubrics in Blackboard <i>Magi Penner-Hiebert</i>	11 - 11:50 am Building a "Jetsons" Course <i>Carolyn Speer</i>	11 - 11:50 am Using Copilot for Grading Workflows <i>Carolyn Speer, Jennifer Sebes</i>	11 - 11:50 am Accessible Course Design as a Foundation for Student Success <i>Heather Merchant</i>	11 - 11:50 am AI and Students <i>Magi Penner-Hiebert</i>
12 - 12:50 pm Tests in Blackboard: Banks, Pools, and Settings <i>Mary Morriss</i>	12 - 12:50 pm All About Blackboard Video Studio <i>Rachel Bastian</i>	12 - 12:50 pm University Accessibility Training AY 2025-26 <i>John Jones</i>	12 - 12:50 pm Campus Strong, Career Ready: Shocker Success Center and Career Accelerator <i>Sarah Mathews, Aaron Hamilton</i>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px;"> <p>Register to attend sessions to add them to your calendar!</p> <p>For session descriptions and more information, visit the August 2025 ARC Website</p> </div>
1 - 1:50 pm Incorporating Publisher Materials in Blackboard <i>Mary Morriss</i>	1 - 1:50 pm Making Feedback Matter: Strategies for Instructors <i>Rachel Bastian</i>	1 - 1:50 pm Microsoft and Blackboard: Better Together <i>Ali Levine, Rachel Bastian</i>	1 - 1:50 pm Common Read 2025-2026: <i>Eat Like a Fish</i> by Bren Smith *Hybrid Discussion	
2 - 2:50 pm Setting Up Your Gradebook Right the First Time <i>Heather Merchant</i>	2 - 2:50 pm Introduction to AI <i>John Jones</i>	2 - 2:50 pm Creating Effective Tests and Using Honorlock for Proctoring <i>Carolyn Speer, Rachel Bastian</i>	2 - 2:50 pm Services for Struggling Students <i>Alicia Newell</i>	

*This hybrid discussion will take place virtually and in the Digital Scholar Commons in Ablah Library. [Registration](#) is required only for online participation and optional for in-person attendance.