USC Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Week 2021
Special Focus: Inclusive Pedagogy

Please register for every event you want to attend. You can register the same day up to 30 minutes before the session begins.

Introducing Identity, Power and Privilege Into Classroom Discussions with Ingrid Steiner
March 8th, Monday | 12-1:30pm | Zoom Registration Link
This workshop will provide an opportunity for faculty to engage in self-reflection on personal social identity as it relates to classroom dynamics. Contact: ingridst@usc.edu

Active Inclusion Teaching with Lanore Larson
Monday, March 8th | 2-3pm | Zoom Registration Link
(USC Marshall School of Business) This evidence-based how-to workshop provides specific teaching strategies to translate the theory of inclusion into active practices to address the default inadvertent marginalization in the university classroom and beyond. Contact: lanorela@usc.edu

Creating a Welcoming Classroom Environment for LGBTQ+ Students with Michael Gorse
Tuesday, March 9th | 9-11am | Zoom Registration Link
(USC Student Affairs) Do you have questions on how to create a welcoming classroom environment for LGBTQ+ students? This workshop will review techniques and resources that make the classroom experience more inclusive. Participants will explore Title IX policy, syllabi language, and addressing student names and gender pronouns. Contact: mgorse@usc.edu

Creating Representational Syllabi for Inclusive Learning with Elizabeth Galoozis
Tuesday, March 9th | 2-3pm | Zoom Registration Link
(USC Libraries) In this discussion, participants will identify potential representational problems with many syllabi as currently constructed; discuss challenges with teaching “the canon” and how we can adapt a more inclusive model; and examine strategies for considering perspectives that may not be included in current readings and materials. Contact: galoozis@usc.edu

Action Recommendations for an Anti-racist and Inclusive Remote Learning Environment with Melissa Miller
Thursday, March 11th | 11am-12pm | Zoom Registration Link
(USC Marshall School of Business) Teaching faculty from the Marshall School’s Master of Management in Library & Information Science program formed the Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Accessibility + Anti-Racism working group. The subject matter & objectives are to educate the MMLIS community with operational definitions & examples of current language related to DELA & anti-racism. Contact: millerm@usc.edu

Teaching the Newest Generation of USC Students with Robert Sweeney
Friday, March 12th | 3-4:30pm | Zoom Registration Link
(USC Office of the Provost) Many members of USC’s latest generation of students differ from previous cohorts in their sensitivity to language and discomfort with authority. We will explore practical strategies to address these challenges and to constructively leverage these student characteristics to support our efforts of building inclusive learning communities. Contact: rsweeney@usc.edu

Please check for updates regularly, Zoom registration links are still being added.

- session available for Faculty  ★ session available for Staff
- session available for Students  ▲ session available for Alumni

If Zoom registration link is not active, go to the USC Diversity Website prior to the session date.