

Ed Tech Tuesdays

Planning Strategies for Distance Learning Stakeholders to Ensure the Implementation of Distance Learning Initiatives are Not a Shot in the Dark



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Overview

This seminar is for faculty, administrators or staff members seeking to understand their role in the planning and development of online courses and programs at their institution. The presentation will review common pitfalls distance learning stakeholders face in implementing distance learning initiatives and useful strategies they can employ to ensure the consistent and systematic design and development of quality online courses and programs.

Note:

Presentation Materials that are linked in the slide show may be obtained by contacting the office of Faculty Development at facdev@ouhsc.edu

About the Presenter

Denise Celeste Robledo, M.Ed., Ph.D., is currently the Director of Distance Learning for a small community college in South Arkansas. She earned a Master's in Educational Technology and a doctoral degree in Rangeland, Ecology and Management from Texas A&M University. Her research focused on assessing student learning outcomes in online learning environments designed to promote students' knowledge of ecological field research. Additionally, for her dissertation research she investigated how students' participation in a web-based anonymous peer review system influenced their scientific writing. As a post-doctoral fellow for the Institute of Renewable Natural Resources she collaborated on a team to develop courses for an online graduate certificate in Military Land Sustainability that provides students with an understanding of the interrelationships among ecology, economics, policy and culture, as factors that influence natural resource conservation and management on military lands. Additionally, Denise developed and taught a Geospatial Technology in Military Land Management course which was designed to familiarize students with Geographic Information Systems (GIS) and how the military uses GIS to manage their land.