

OTEx Conference 2024

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Exploring the Intersections of Academic Integrity and Artificial Intelligence

Friday, April 26 2024, 9:00am - 2:00pm

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Conference Program

We are poised to explore the intersections of academic integrity & artificial intelligence through a variety of perspectives and pedagogies. There will be 11 presentations with five minutes between. We have scheduled two ten-minute breaks. Participants are encouraged to be comfortable in their zoom environment and to contact us if we can assist in any way. We hope you will enjoy the conference!



9:00am Welcome & Introductions

Keynote Presentation:

Artificial Intelligence is Reshaping the Educational Landscape

**Dr. Leo Lo, Dean/Professor, College of Univ. Libraries & Learning Sciences,
UNM-Albuquerque**

9:15am Artificial Intelligence (AI) is reshaping the educational landscape, introducing innovative tools and methodologies into our classrooms. As these technologies become more prevalent, the need for AI literacy among educators is crucial. The keynote presentation will guide attendees through the critical aspects of AI literacy for educators. This session will share an overview of AI technologies, their ethical implications, and their growing role in education. We will discuss why it's imperative for educators to understand and critically evaluate these tools, ensuring their integration into teaching practices enhances learning while maintaining academic integrity. Through practical insights and recommendations, this presentation aims to empower educators with the knowledge and mindset needed to embrace the AI-enhanced educational environment.

Break 10:00-10:10am

Enhancing Academic Integrity in the Era of Artificial Intelligence: An Innovative Approach

Andisheh Dadashi, Assistant Professor of Mathematics, UNM-Valencia

10:15am In this presentation, titled "Enhancing Academic Integrity in the Era of Artificial Intelligence: An Innovative Approach," I will demonstrate how I have utilized Google Forms, QR codes, and active student engagement to foster academic integrity within my classroom. By leveraging emerging technologies, I have successfully addressed the challenges of cheating and disengagement while promoting a collaborative learning environment. Through this innovative use of technology, I will showcase the intersection of academic integrity and artificial intelligence, highlighting the potential for technology to enhance educational integrity in the digital age.

10:50am **AI is the Future, but the Future May Be Flawed**
Liz Axelrod, MFA. Professor of English, UNM-Valencia
I will discuss how I incorporate AI into my classes, and how I show students ways to master the technology without it mastering them.

11:05am **Autocorrect with Extra Steps: How Generative AI Works**
Ian Burch, Lecturer II, UNM-Valencia
In order to understand the ethical and educational issues of AI, we should first understand the technical details behind it. I'll give an overview of how generative models function and are trained on large data sets. This will lead into the ethical and legal issues of using chat GPT and other models. Finally, these technical details will show us how to detect and counter AI in our courses.

11:40am **Revisiting Peer Reviews to Support Student Writing**
Scott Kamen, Assistant Professor of History, UNM-Valencia
In this 10-minute tip session, I will share on the experiences and challenges I have had using peer reviews with student essays in Blackboard and Canvas. I will also discuss how discussion forums can be an easier way for students to do for peer reviews than Canvas built-in peer review tool.

Break 11:55-12:05am

12:10pm **Applying Metacognition through Exam Reflection**
Tammi Duncan-Teller, Assistant Professor of Science, UNM-Valencia
Exam Reflections are one way to encourage students to become better learners. It holds one accountable by prompting students to think about i) how they prepared for their exam, ii) what strategies worked and didn't work, and iii) what will they do differently the next time around. This form of metacognition is one skill that will be helpful to students beyond the classroom.

12:25pm **Authentic Writing Assessments to Discourage use of ChatGPT**
Lauren Perry-Rummel, English, UNM-Valencia and CTL, UNM-ABQ
This teaching tip gives several examples of writing tasks and assignments that encourage students to write their own work and why that is in each instance. Authentic writing assessments allow students to brainstorm, converse, and dialogue with their peers and instructor without feeling the need to outsource any writing to ChatGPT.

12:40pm **Empowering Educators: Leveraging Gen AI for Effective Teaching in Higher Education**
Jet Saengngoen, Megan Hauser, Instructional Designers, CTL, UNM-ABQ
The rise of Generative Artificial Intelligence (Gen AI) has presented many challenges and opportunities for teaching professionals in Higher Education (Verma, 2023). One of many concerns among faculty is academic integrity in the age of Gen AI. This presentation aims to give an overview of Gen AI as well as its potentials and shortcomings. The presenters will discuss resources and tools available to UNM faculty and how they might be integrated into classrooms and syllabi. Teaching tips and techniques will also be provided.

1:15pm	<p>Human Learning: Concrete & Specific Classroom Applications with Engaging Strategies for Effective Learning Outcomes Nallely Baca, Upward Bound Program, UNM-Valencia</p> <p>Effective pedagogy through Academic Integrity: Interaction is an important component to effective learning outcomes therefore the transfer, motivation, and acquisition of knowledge can be improved by strategies that will enhance the learning experience while also processing new topics that will condition, supplement, asses, and construct the transfer of skills/abilities.</p>
1:30pm	<p>Establishing the First Personal Connection with Online Students Cindi Goodman, Assistant Professor of Mathematics, UNM-Valencia</p> <p>These are some ideas for making a personal connection with each online student and proactive preparation for proctored exams.</p>
1:45pm	<p>AI Trivia Kat Gullahorn, MLS, Public Services Librarian, UNM-Valencia</p> <p>Join us for an exhilarating AI Trivia Game! Put your AI knowledge to the test in a lively and interactive setting. This dynamic program will challenge participants on a range of AI-related topics through friendly competition that blends learning with play at OTEEx!</p>
2:00pm	Adjourn

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