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Regional OER Forum: Central Maryland

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M.O.S.T. would like to thank the Faculty Academic Center of Excellence at Towson University for co-sponsoring this event, and edBridge Partners, LLC for their help with today's event.

PLENARY SPEAKER

MJ BISHOP, ASSOCIATE VICE CHANCELLOR AND DIRECTOR, WILLIAM E. KIRWAN CENTER FOR ACADEMIC INNOVATION, UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF MARYLAND

Dr. MJ Bishop directs the University System of Maryland's (USM) William E. Kirwan Center for Academic Innovation, which was established in 2013 to enhance USM's position as a national leader in higher education transformation. The Kirwan Center conducts research on best practices, disseminates findings, and supports the System's institutions as they develop innovative academic programs. Prior to USM, Dr. Bishop was Associate Professor of Instructional Design and Technology at Lehigh University and Director of the College of Education's Teaching, Learning, and Technology Program. Author of numerous peer-reviewed publications, her research explores how instructional media might be designed and used more effectively to improve learning. She has received several awards for her research and innovative teaching, including Lehigh's prestigious Stabler Award, conferred by students to faculty who have mentored them to "excellence in their chosen field" as well as "excellence as human beings and leaders of society."

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9:00 A.M.
9:45 A.M.

REGISTRATION AND POSTER SHOWCASE | *Outside West Village Commons Ballroom A and B*
Breakfast has been generously sponsored by Faculty Academic Center of Excellence at Towson University. Learn from the 2018 M.O.S.T. mini-grantees in addition to colleagues across two- and four-year Maryland higher education institutions who have successfully adopted, adapted, created, and advanced OER at their institutions.

- Jessica Adams, Assistant Professor, Mathematics, Harford Community College
- Susan Beam, Adjunct Professor II, Matthew Falk, Adjunct Professor II, and Tracy Worley, Adjunct Professor I, all of University of Baltimore
- Kristin Conlin, Reference & Instruction Librarian, Reference, and Carey Miller, Director, Freshman Programs & Transitions, Office of the Provost, both of University of Baltimore
- Christopher Cornwell, Kristin Frank, Angel Kumchev, Alexei Kolesnikov, and Nathan McNew, all of the Department of Mathematics, Towson University
- Susan Davis, Instructor of Biological and Physical Sciences, Wor-Wic Community College
- Patience Ebuwei, Assistant Professor, Coppin State University
- Bryan Fuller, Reference and Government Documents Librarian, Reference and Government Documents, and Renise Johnson, Librarian, Head of Access Services, Morgan State University
- Heather Hinkle, Education Program Manager and Jessica Young, Assistant Director of Online Learning and Instructional Innovation, both of Frederick Community College
- Stanley Kemp, Associate Professor, Division of Science, Information Arts, and Technology, University of Baltimore
- Jennifer Keohane, Oral Communication Coordinator and Assistant Professor, School of Communications Design, University of Baltimore
- Paul Long, Associate Professor of English Coordinator of Credit Level English, Language, and Humanities Courses, Baltimore City Community College
- Susan McMaster, PhD, Associate Professor, Frederick Community College
- Nataliya Reznichenko, Professor, and Marianna Gleger, Assistant Professor, both of Mathematics & Engineering, Baltimore City Community College
- Patricia Rhea, Professor, Wellness Dept. and Elizabeth Godwin, Associate Professor, Library, both of Community College of Baltimore County
- Scott Sinex, Professor Emeritus/Adjunct Faculty, Natural Sciences, Josh Halpern, Professor Emeritus, and Scott Johnson, Associate Professor of Engineering, all of Prince George's Community College
- Michael W. Smith, Department Chair, Bridget Bartlebaugh, Professor, Mohammed Ali, Professor, Manzoor Hossain, Professor, Tammy Cameron-Allen, Professor, all of Prince George's Community College

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WELCOME AND INTRODUCTORY REMARKS | *West Village Commons Ballroom A and B*
Patricia L. Westerman, Assistant Provost, Faculty Academic Center of Excellence, Towson University

10:00 A.M.
11:00 A.M.

PLENARY ADDRESS | *West Village Commons Ballroom A and B*
MJ Bishop, Associate Vice Chancellor and Director, William E. Kirwan Center for Academic Innovation, University System of Maryland

What is the potential for open educational resources (OER) and open education to transform higher education for students, faculty, and institutions? Dr. MJ Bishop, Associate Vice Chancellor and Director of the University System of Maryland's William E. Kirwan Center for Academic Innovation, will review the fundamentals of what constitutes OER, highlight its advantages for faculty and students, and set the stage for thinking about OER and open education as tools to increase access, affordability, and achievement for students.

11:00 A.M.
11:30 A.M.

TRANSITION TO CONCURRENT SESSION BLOCK 1

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| 11:30 A.M.
| 12:15 P.M.

CONCURRENT SESSION BLOCK 1 | *West Village Commons*

Finding High-Quality OER | *WVC 304*
Katherine Cameron, Associate Professor, Dept. of Applied Psychology and Rehabilitation Counseling, Coppin State University, Elizabth Godwin, Associate Professor/Collection Development Coordinator, Library, Community College of Baltimore County, Jamison R. Miller, Director of Teaching and Learning – Social Sciences, Lumen Learning, Patricia L. Rhea, Professor, Health and Wellness, Community College of Baltimore County, and Wendolyn Velez-Torres, Senior Instructional Technologist, Coppin State University

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Adopting and Adapting High-Quality OER | *WVC 305*
Deborah Devlin, Lecturer, Mathematics, Frostburg State University, and Deborah Grayson Vice Provost, Learning Design and Experience, University of Maryland University College

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Open Licensing | *WVC 306*
Herbert E. "Buddy" Muse, Jr., Program Manager, E-Learning, Innovation, and Teaching Excellence, Montgomery College

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OER Accessibility | *WVC 307*
Deborah Dorsey, Assistant Professor of Health, Exercise Science, and Physical Education, Harford Community College, Emily Medina, Director, ADA / Section 508 Accessibility, Learning Design & Solutions, University of Maryland University College, and Diana Zilberman, Associate Dean of Academic Resources, Baltimore City Community College

Learn what "fully accessible OER" means, how this impacts OER adoption, and how to successfully meet accessibility standards.

Teaching with OER | *WVC Ballroom A*
David Buck, Professor of English, Howard Community College and Jessica Young, Assistant Director, Distributed Learning, Frederick Community College

Learn from expert faculty and instructional designers on how learning analytics can be combined with the 5Rs of OER to continuously improve course content.

Implementing, Scaling, and Sustaining OER | *WVC Ballroom B*
Christine Barrow, Dean, Division of Sciences, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics, Prince George's Community College, Josh Halpern, Professor Emeritus, Chemistry, Prince George's Community College, Shinta H. Hernandez, Department Chair, Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Criminal Justice, Montgomery College, and Michael Mills, Vice President, E-Learning, Innovation and Teaching Excellence, Montgomery College

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| 12:15 P.M.
| 12:40 P.M.

LUNCH | *West Village Commons Ballroom A and B*

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1:35 P.M.
2:00 P.M.

TRANSITION TO ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSIONS

2:00 P.M.
2:55 P.M.

ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSIONS | *West Village Commons*

Discuss OER implementation, scaling, successes, and challenges, and how M.O.S.T. can support your work with colleagues from across the state.

Faculty Roundtable Discussion I: Arts & Humanities | *WVC 304*
Facilitator: David Buck, Professor of English, Howard Community College

Faculty Roundtable Discussion II: Social Sciences, Education, and Business | *WVC 305*
Facilitator: Patricia L. Westerman, Assistant Provost, Faculty Academic Center of Excellence

Faculty Roundtable Discussion III: Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math | *WVC 306*
Facilitator: Jessica Adams, Assistant Professor, Mathematics,
Harford Community College

Administrator Roundtable Discussion | *WVC 307*
Facilitator: Eric Belt, Director of Learning Technology, College of Southern Maryland

Librarian Roundtable Discussion | *WVC Ballroom A*
Facilitator: Deborah A. Nolan, Dean of University Libraries, Albert S. Cook Library, Towson University

2:55 P.M.
3:05 P.M.

TRANSITION TO CLOSING SESSION

3:05 P.M.
3:30 P.M.

CLOSING SESSION: REFLECTIONS FROM THE DAY AND NEXT STEPS | *West Village Commons Ballroom A and B*
MJ Bishop, Associate Vice Chancellor and Director, William E. Kirwan Center for Academic Innovation, University System of Maryland

After a day of learning about the evolving landscape of OER, the closing session will allow attendees the opportunity to move the conversation to next steps. Where are we along the continuum of OER adoption? What kinds of support will we need to move forward?

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