

Infinite Spur (Spain) and Clarion University's School of Education (USA) present the First Virtual Teaching Training Program that will take place this summer. The program is focused on tools and strategies for virtual teaching and learning.

Both institutions are happy to present the First Virtual Teaching Training Program aimed to provide teachers with new structures, tools, and instruments that will help them respond and adapt to the current demands and challenges posed by the new online teaching environment.



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Infinite Spur (Spain) and Clarion University's School of Education are happy to present the First Teaching Training Program in Spain. This program is a joined initiative co-facilitated and it is aimed to provide teachers with an effective methodological structure and the tools they need to adapt their work to the new demands and challenges posed in the current online teaching environment.

It is a one-month program offered in English and it includes four independent one-week modules. Participants can decide to take individual modules or complete the full program. Each one of them focusses on a specific area of online teaching. In addition to that, this program will provide participants the unique opportunity to share their practices and experiences with teachers from the US that will be participating in the program simultaneously in their home country.

The first module offered by Dr. John McCullough will explore different platforms, tools, and resources for teaching online. The goal is to examine online communication and productivity tools to promote efficient and effective online instruction. Dr. Karl Sprenger will be responsible for the second module focused on exploring the basics of Google Applications for Education and how to apply them to online teaching. Some of the Apps that will be revised include Chrome, add ons, slides, spreadsheets, forms, calendars, sites, groups hangouts, meets, or boards. The third module offered by Dr. Chrissy Boryenace will concentrate on two specific goals;

first, how to design a virtual class structure integrating all of the basics of the class (lesson plan units, content, and evaluation) and second, how to integrate different teaching methodologies that will foster a context of dynamism, class interaction, student participation, and active student-teacher collaboration. The last week of the program will be covered by Dr. Cristin Ketley that will present online tools and strategies to adapt materials for students with special needs.



"Clarion University's School of Education is very much looking forward to start this First Teaching Training program in Spain. We hope this will be the first of many international joint initiatives."

Dr. Gwyneth Price, Dean, School of Education, Clarion University of Pennsylvania, USA."

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