ADC Project Support - 2020/21

Information for Faculty and Application Form

Each year the Academic Development Centre (ADC) collaborates with MRU departments and programs by working with faculty members to support eLearning and major curriculum design/redesign projects. The ADC is currently accepting applications for projects for the 2020/21 academic year.

Curriculum Support Projects

The ADC is available to support major curriculum design or redesign projects. Specific activities undertaken as part of these projects may include:

- Exploration of current and future aspects of the course/program (needs assessment)
- Curricular mapping to examine the alignment of outcomes, learning activities, and assessment at a course or program level
- Analysis of opportunities for integration of high-impact learning experiences and design of such curricula
- For new courses, articulation of course learning outcomes and exploration of pedagogies and assessment methods aligned with those outcomes

Successful applicants will collaborate with ADC faculty development consultants and professional staff, as appropriate, on the design/redesign process. Participants will have opportunity to engage in an action research cycle to assess the initial and continuing success of curricular changes.

eLearning Projects

The ADC's eLearning team is available to support faculty in the development and maintenance of fully online and blended courses, including the "flipped classroom" approach. Faculty members work in a team environment as subject matter experts with an instructional design consultant, graphic designer, videographer and other ADC staff and faculty, as required. Through the development of eLearning projects, we hope to expand access to learning opportunities, increase flexibility for students, and enhance student learning outcomes.

For more information on either curriculum or eLearning support from the ADC, please contact:
- Miriam Carey, Academic Director (Interim): 403.440.6764
- Amanda Veinotte, Manager, Learning Technologies: 403.440.7253
- Jennifer Boman, Faculty Development Consultant, Faculty Team Lead: 403.440.8743

Deadline to submit the attached application form is Tuesday December 17, 2019 at 5:00 p.m.

Depending on the scope of proposed projects, and at the discretion of the Dean, faculty members involved in eLearning or curriculum design projects might qualify for course reassignment.

Faculty Member Application Form: ADC Project Support 2020/21

Faculty member name:	
Department or program:	
Other faculty members collaborating on the project:	
Type of project: (Please select one)	❑ Curriculum Support - Course level ❑ Curriculum Support - Program level ❑ eLearning - Online ❑ eLearning - Blended ❑ eLearning - Develop digital resources
If the proposed project focuses on a specific course or courses (existing or to-be-developed), please respond to the following:	
Course name(s) and number(s):	
Number of sections annually:	
Section size:	
Current mode(s) of delivery:	
First delivery of the new (or revised) course(s) is planned for:	❑ Fall 2021 ❑ Winter 2022 ❑ Spring or Summer 2022 ❑ Fall 2022 ❑ Other: _____

Please briefly describe what you hope to accomplish with the project and address the following:
- The motivation or rationale for the proposed project
- Current issues or challenges experienced with the course/program by students and faculty, and how the proposed project may address those issues/challenges
- Two or three key goals which you hope to accomplish through the project

Chair Comments:
(e.g., project alignment with program directions, departmental support for project)
(For eLearning: potential to expand access, reduce bottlenecks, enhance time to completion, etc?)
(For Curriculum Support: potential impact on course/program quality, retention, learning, etc?)

| Name | Signature | Date |

Dean Comments:
(e.g., alignment with Faculty-level or institutional priorities, longer term plans)
(For eLearning: potential to expand access, reduce bottlenecks, enhance time to completion, etc?)
(For Curriculum Support: potential impact on course/program quality, retention, learning, etc?)

Priority for Reassigned Time?

| Name | Signature | Date |

Please submit all applications to Miriam Carey, Academic Director (Interim): mcarey@mtroyal.ca

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