



College of Education, Health and Human Services
Office of Professional Development and Outreach

WORKSHOP PROPOSAL FORM

Workshop Title: NEOTech Annual Conference Workshop Series

*1 credit = 15 instructional hours + 22.5 hours of out-of-class assignments (total 37.5 clock hours)
2 credits = 30 instructional hours + 45 hours of out-of-class assignments (total 75 clock hours)
3 credits = 45 instructional hours + 67.5 hours of out-of-class assignments (total 112.5 clock hours)
(Breaks and lunch hours may not be included as instructional hours)*

 1 Specify number of credits Undergraduate XXX Graduate

 Non-Credit

Associations/Agencies from which CEU Approval Should Be Requested:

Instructor Information:

Name of instructor: Julee Henry
Degree granting institution: Kent State University

Highest degree: M.Ed.
Year: 2010

Name of instructor: Annette Kratcoski
Degree granting institution: Kent State University

Highest degree: Ph.D.
Year: 1992

Instructor Status:

 Current KSU faculty
Faculty rank/department _____

 First time instructor for KSU

*First time instructors offering a graduate credit workshop must be granted temporary graduate faculty status (updated annually).
Please include curriculum vita with this proposal.*

 X Returning instructor (Date of last KSU workshop/course taught)

Henry: Fall 2014

Kratcoski: Summer 2014

Brief Instructor Profile:

Julee Henry directs the Instructional Resource Center at Kent State University. In addition, Julee teaches workshops relating to social networking in education and 21st Century skills for educators. She is currently pursuing a Ph.D. in educational psychology with a concentration in instructional technology. Julee's research interests include the integration of technology into the curriculum, the use of social media in education, and online and distance education.

Annette Kratcoski, Ph.D., is currently director of the Research Center for Educational Technology (RCET) at Kent State University. As the center's director, she oversees research and outreach projects related to PreK-12 technology integration and also leads programming in RCET's AT&T Classroom, a high-tech professional development, outreach, and research laboratory facility.

Workshop Logistics:

Preferred location: **Kent State Student Center**

Specific room: **Ballroom**

(We will attempt to secure your requested room). – Room is booked through the conference committee so nothing further needs scheduled.

Projected enrollment: **30**

Maximum enrollment: **no maximum**

(Please provide a statement of explanation if the maximum enrollment for this workshop is above or below

Enrollment for this workshop occurs in conjunction with the annual NEOTech Conference hosted at KSU. Enrollment for the conference averages around 400 PreK-16 educators. Enrollment for graduate credit has averaged 33 the past 2 years.

Please address pedagogical appropriateness and/or resource availability).

Participants select from conference sessions that focus on the specific theme of the conference. The conference themes change each year and reflect a current focus/issue/trend in educational technology. Additionally, all conference sessions undergo review by a selection committee with acceptance based upon relevance to the conference theme, and the quality of the session proposal with regard to clearly defined session objectives and learner goals and outcomes.

Proposed workshop dates: From: March 20, 2015 To: April 24, 2015

Note: **This is a hybrid course with face-to-face contact hours March 20, 2015, 8:30- 4 p.m.**

Date the final assignment is due, if after workshop ending date: **April 24, 2015**

(The due date of the last assignment will determine the session to which the workshop is assigned).

Workshop Funding:

Is this workshop affiliated with a grant? Yes No

Type of grant _____

Will the instructor's salary be paid by the grant? Yes No

Will the participant's tuition be paid by the grant? Yes No

Grant account # _____

Technology in Instructional Delivery:

Please indicate if this workshop will involve any of the following:

- Traditional face-to-face
- Computer-based instruction requiring lab times
- Distance learning/Online
- Hybrid face-to-face & Online

Workshop Audience and Content (attach additional sheets if necessary):

This workshop is designed to offer a graduate workshop credit opportunity for PreK-12 teachers attending the annual NEOTech conference hosted at Kent State University each Spring.

Workshop Goals and Objectives:

The primary goal of this workshop is to help educators better understand the interrelationships between a variety of digital tools and 21st century skills and how such tools can be used effectively for teaching and learning core content. More specifically, the workshop is designed to help educators better understand the connections between technology knowledge and skills and 21st century skills. It is expected that participants have some basic expertise with some digital tools (e.g., computers, tablets, smartphones etc.) and come to the workshop with questions, inquiries, and interests related to how these topics can facilitate 21st century teaching and learning.

Workshop Objectives

Participants in the workshop will:

- Attend the one-day NEOTech conference held at Kent State University, March 20, 2015
- Explore a variety of web 2.0 tools and tablet apps for teaching and learning
- Participate in an online community by contributing and reviewing posts.
- Contribute to the resource library hosted on the online community by adding posting reviews that include a description and analysis of Web 2.0 tools that can help increase students' digital literacy and help students to gain 21st century skills.
- Contribute to the lesson plan collection that is accessible in the resource library of the online community by developing a lesson plan that (1) integrates digital tools with curriculum standards and 21st century skills and (2) incorporates effective assessments.

What knowledge, skills or expertise will participants have attained upon completing the workshop?

Upon completion of this workshop, participants will have developed the following knowledge, skills and expertise:

- An understanding of what constitutes "21st century" teaching and learning as well as the core competencies that constitute "21st century skills"
- Knowledge of a wide range of web 2.0 tools and tablet apps appropriate for K-12 teaching and learning
- An understanding of how specific web 2.0 tools and tablet apps can be used to engage students with rigorous curricular content and promote 21st century skills for critical thinking, creating, communication, and collaboration
- Expertise in participating in an online community as evidenced by: (1) contributing and replying to posts, and (2) uploading & accessing stored digital resources.
- Expertise in designing lesson plans that integrate digital tools with curriculum standards and 21st century skills and that incorporate effective assessments.

(Method of Evaluating Participants) Please describe in detail how final grades (credit) or successful completion (noncredit) will be determined. Although credit workshops are limited to Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory grading, criteria for awarding of Satisfactory grade must be clearly stated. Attachment of an evaluation rubric is highly encouraged.

Evaluation of each student will be determined by satisfying rubric guidelines for each project. We will award either a satisfactory or unsatisfactory grade for the culminating lesson plan assignment so students know if they've passed.

(Graduate Student Requirements) Please describe in detail additional requirements for graduate students if the workshop will be offered at both the undergraduate and graduate levels. This should take the form of additional assignments, additional days, enhanced requirements, etc.

This is a Graduate Level only workshop.

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Session Date	Instructional Contact Hours	Outside Class Contact Hours	CONTENT OUTLINE
Spring 2015	15	22.5	<p>Topics/Themes: (for 2015) Twenty-first Century Skills</p> <p>Readings (if applicable): Several online articles related to the conference theme</p> <p>Assignments: Lesson plan that includes tools from the conference with the online articles serving as resources.</p>

TOTAL INSTRUCTIONAL CONTACT HOURS: 15

TOTAL OUTSIDE CLASS CONTACT HOURS: 22.5

Please List Texts and/or Instructional Resources to Be Utilized for the Workshop:

Online discussion board and articles related to the conference theme.

Marketing:

In 75 words or less, please give a description of the workshop for marketing purposes. This description may be edited to conform with Kent State University style guidelines and/or to maximize marketing effectiveness.

The NEOTech committee due to its affiliation with the conference is marketing this workshop and no additional advertising is needed.

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Education

In Progress Ph.D. Educational Psychology, Kent State University
2010 M.Ed. Instructional Technology, Kent State University
2004 B.A. Business Administration, Kent State University

Research/Teaching Interests

- Online collaboration (synchronous and asynchronous)
- Online education in studio settings
- Use of social networking/social media in education settings
- Instructional Design
- Digital Divide
- Human-Computer Interaction

Workshops Taught:

2012-Present NEOTech Conference, Optional Graduate Credit Workshop

2010-Present Social Networking in Education
Technology, Information Literacy and 21st Century Skills: Effective Strategies for Learning

2012-Present Blackboard Vista 9-The Basics
Blackboard Vista 9-Tools
Blackboard Vista 9-Gradebook/Groups
Blackboard Vista 9-Managing your site: E-mail and announcements
Blackboard Vista 9Chat and Discussions
Blackboard Vista 9-Quizzes and Assignments

2009-2012 Blackboard Vista 8-The Basics
Blackboard Vista 8-Tools
Blackboard Vista 8-Gradebook/Groups
Blackboard Vista 8-Managing your site: E-mail and announcements
Blackboard Vista 8-Chat and Discussions
Blackboard Vista 8-Quizzes and Assignments

Microsoft Word 2007 (basic & advanced)
Microsoft Excel 2007 (basic & advanced)
Microsoft PowerPoint 2007 (basic & advanced)
Microsoft Outlook 2007 (basic & advanced)
Microsoft PowerPoint 2007-MDID Companion Training (for Art Faculty)
Flashline/Faculty & Advisor Tools/Banner
Commonspot Basics
Using Blogs in the Classroom
Cloud Computing and using Google Docs for collaboration with students

Presentations

Henry, J. & Ingram, A. (2011). Social Networking in Education. Presentation delivered to faculty and students at Etech Ohio 2011 Conference, Columbus, Ohio.

Employment

2013-Present Coordinator, Instructional Resource Center
Kent State University

2010-2013 Assistant Director, Technology and Distance Education
Kent State University

2008-2010 Administrative Assistant, Technology and Distance Education
Kent State University

2004-2008 Office Manager, KM Properties of Ohio

Department and University Service

2008-Present *Member*, Faculty Technology Advisory Committee (ex officio), Kent State University

2013 *Member*, Search Committee, Educational Technology, Kent State University

2012 *Member*, Search Committee, Vacca Office of Student Services, Kent State University

2011 *Member*, Evaluation Committee, Associate Deans of Education, Health, and Human Services, Kent State University

2010 *Member*, Search Committee, Technology and Distance Education, Kent State University

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Education

Kent State University
Doctorate of Philosophy, 1992
Major: Speech-Language Pathology
Minors: Early Childhood Education & Special Education
Dissertation Title: "An Examination of Teacher-Student Interaction in Integrated Preschool Settings".

University of Akron
Masters of Arts, 1987
Major: Speech Pathology

University of Akron
Bachelor of Arts, 1985
Major: Communicative Disorders
Minor: Education

Professional Experience

Research Center for Educational Technology, Kent State University

Director, July 2012-present
AT&T Classroom Teacher Professional Development Lead & Researcher, September 2000-June 2012

Summit County Educational Service Center

Coordinator of Curriculum & Instruction, October 1995 - September 2000
Supervisor of Speech-Language Services, August 1992- October 1995
Speech-Language Pathologist/Integrated Preschool, August 1991-August 1992

Family Child Learning Center

Grant Coordinator, August 1989-1991
Coordinator for Classroom Curriculum & Programming, August 1988-August 1989
Speech-Language Pathologist/Infant-Toddler Program, August 1987-August 1988

Stow Learning Center

Speech-Language Pathologist
May 1987-September 1987

The University of Akron Nursery Center

Teacher Aide, June 1981-August 1985

University Teaching Experience

Graduate Credit Workshop: Digital Tools and Twenty-First Century Skills

Kent State University, Spring 2013, Spring 2014

Graduate Credit Workshop: Technology in the Classroom

Kent State University, Fall 2009, Summer 2010, Summer 2011, Summer 2013, Summer 2014

Honors College: Individual Honors Work Project

Kent State University, Fall 2010, Spring 2011, Fall 2011, Spring 2012, Fall 2012, Spring 2013, Fall 2013, Spring 2014

Communicative Disorders I

The University of Akron, Spring 1995

Normal Language Development

The University of Akron, Summer, 1993

Language Acquisition & Behavior

Kent State University, Summer 1991

Neurodevelopmental Treatment with Infants and Families

Kent State University, Fall 1988, Spring, 1989, Spring 1990

Grant & Program Evaluation

Project Team, **Elyria City Schools**, "Evaluation of the Elyria SMART Board Initiative, 2007.

Project Team, **Lorain Country Schools**, "Evaluation of the Lorain County Student Response System Project, 2007.

Lead Evaluator, **The University of Akron**, "REFOCUSTT: Redesign for Competent Use of Technology by Teachers Project (PT3 Grant), 2001-2004.

Lead Evaluator, **Ohio's Technology Literacy Challenge Fund**, "Raising the Bar in the Middle Grades" (2000-2001) and "Raising the Bar at the High School Lead Evaluator", 2002-2003.

Lead Evaluator, **Woodridge High School**, "Technology Literacy Challenge Fund Grant: Raising the Bar at the High School", 2001-2002.

Lead Evaluator, **Cleveland Heights High School**, "Technology Literacy Challenge Fund Grant: Raising the Bar at the High School", 2001-2002.

Grant Awards

Co-Principal Investigator, **U.S. Dept. of Education SBIR**, "Empowering Students to Prepare for College through Gamification"; *Submitted/Pending Approval for \$28,000, 2014-2015.*

Co-Principal Investigator, **Ohio Dept. of Education**, "The Connected Collaboration Platform - Ohio Straight A"; *Submitted/Pending Approval for \$576,824.61, 2014 – 2020.*

Key Personnel, **Martha Holden Jennings Foundation**, "Making Mathematics Mobile (M3): Collaborating with K-12 Schools to Explore Mathematics Apps" \$30,725.49, 2014-2015.

Principal Investigator, **Martha Holden Jennings Foundation**, "Connecting at the Core: Using Technology to Promote Excellent Teaching and Deep Understanding of the Common Core State Standards" \$34,240; 2013-2014.

Principal Investigator, **Martha Holden Jennings Foundation**, "Mobile Devices for Teaching & Learning for Deep Understanding" \$30,000; 2012-2013.

Principal Investigator, **eTech Ohio**, "ICT2: Information & Communication Technologies for Teachers" \$100,000; 2011-2012.

Principal Investigator, **Martha Holden Jennings Foundation**, "L-STEM: New Models for Teaching & Learning for Deep Understanding" \$30,000; 2011-2012.

Principal Investigator, **Martha Holden Jennings Foundation**, "Mobile Tools and Mentor Teachers for STEM (MT² 4 STEM)" \$15,000; 2010-2011.

Project Team, **Sisler McFawn Foundation**, "Kent State University 3-D Stereo-Imaging Classroom Outreach: Developing Northeast Ohio's Future Scientific Leaders", \$40,000, 2009-2010; Renewed 2010-2011; 2011-2013.

Project Team, **Metropolitan Cleveland STEM Consortium/H.B. 1 Award**, "vSTEM Classroom: Virtual Classroom for STEM", \$50,000; 2010.

Principal Investigator, **Martha Holden Jennings Foundation**, "Teacher Technology Mentors" \$40,000; 2009-2010.

Project Team, **National Science Foundation (IMD)**, "Thinking with Data: A Cross-Disciplinary Approach," \$979,271.00; 2007-2009.

Project Team, **AT&T Foundation**, "Improving Teaching and Learning Through Effective Use of Classroom Technology," \$100,000.00; 2007.

Principal Investigator, **Martha Holden Jennings Foundation**, "Satellite Teacher Mentors" \$30,000; 2007-2008.

Co-Principal Investigator, **Ohio Learning Network**, Learning Communities, "Technology Teacher Triads," \$5,000.00; 2006-2007.

Co-Principal Investigator, **Ohio Learning Network**, Learning Communities, "School Community Resource Network," \$5,000.00; 2006-2007.

Project Team, **National Science Foundation**, (ROLE), "Thinking with Data," \$330,252.00; 2005-2006.

Publications

Pytash, K. Ferdig, R., Kist, W., & Kratoski, A. (2013). Twenty-first century literacies: Stories from visionary classrooms. *The Ohio Journal of English Language Arts*, 53 (1), 7-14.

Swan, K., Vahey, P., van 't Hooft, M., Kratoski, A., Cook, D., Stanford, T., Yarnell, L., & Rafanan, K. (2013). Problem-based learning across the curriculum: Exploring the efficacy of a cross-curricular application of Preparation for Future Learning. *The Interdisciplinary Journal of Problem-Based Learning*. 7 (1), 91-110.

van 't Hooft, M., Vahey, P., Swan, K., Kratoski, A., Cook, D., Rafan, K., Stanford, T., & Yarnall, L. (2012). A cross-curricular approach to the development of data literacy in the middle grades: The Thinking with Data Project. *Middle Grades Research Journal*. 7 (3), 19-33.

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Swan, K., Schenker, J. & Kratoski, A. (2008). The Effects of the Use of Interactive Whiteboards on Student Achievement. In *Proceedings of World Conference on Educational Multimedia, Hypermedia and Telecommunications 2008* (pp. 3290-3297). Chesapeake, VA: AACE.

Lin, Y., Swan, K., & Kratoski, A. (2008). Scaffolding Learning through Multimedia Development. *Journal of Multimedia and Hypermedia*, 17, (3), 363-385.

Booth, R., Hichens, D., & Kratoski, A. (2007). Using Digital Recorders to Increase Reading Fluency *Journal of the Research Center for Educational Technology*, <http://www.rcetj.org>

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- Swan K., Kratcoski, A., van 't Hooft, M., Campbell, D., & Miller, D. (2007). Technology support for whole group engagement: A pilot study. *International Journal on Advanced Technologies for Learning*, 4 (2), 68-73.
- Swan, K., Mazzer, P. & Kratcoski, A. (2007). Teacher Technology Mentors. In C. Montgomerie & J. Seale (Eds.), *Proceedings of World Conference on Educational Multimedia, Hypermedia and Telecommunications 2007* (pp. 379-384). Chesapeake, VA: AACE.
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