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The Remote Teaching & Learning site has been created to support instructors in transforming their face-to-face (F2F) courses into remote courses based on these [good practice guidelines for online teaching and learning](#). In a three stage process, you'll create your course framework based on the materials and strategies

that are already successful elements of your face-to-face class.

You'll use provided resources and how-to's to begin building your course in an accessible and remote format. You'll consider new strategies for connecting with your students and creating a community of learning that engages in the course together. Along the way you'll find the resources and tools to help build the skills and confidence

you need to be the instructor you want to be in a new and changing remote environment.

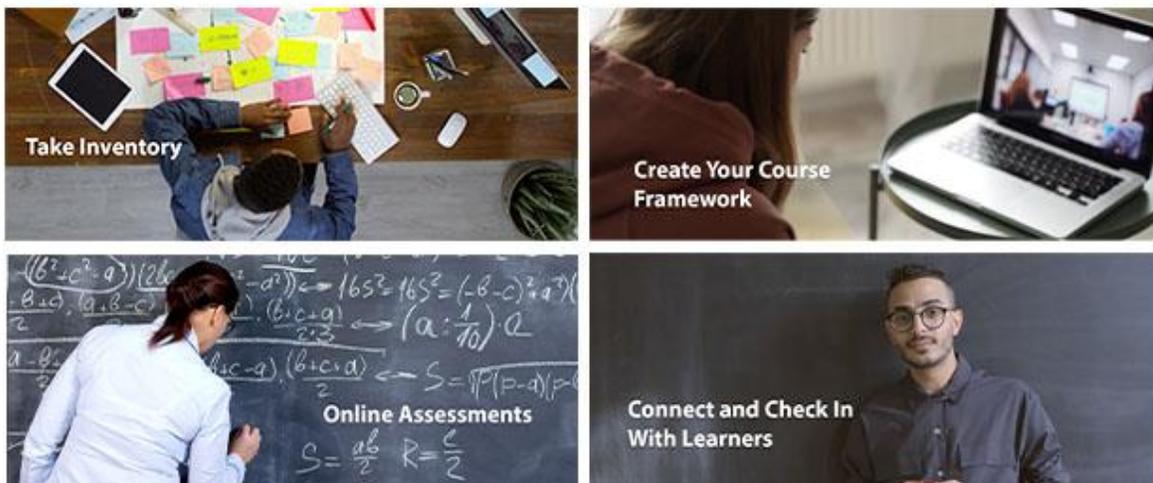
### [USask Remote Teaching Support Website Updates](#)

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## The comprehensive Remote Course Development Guide from DEU

In this guide we hope to impart some of the thinking and guidance that an Instructional Designer provides during a fully online course development at the Distance Education Unit so that you too can successfully harness your face-to-face teaching skills in a new remote teaching environment.

[These 4 modules will help guide your thinking process.](#)



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## OER Development funding opportunity

As you plan your courses for remote teaching, funding is available to assist you in using open educational resources (OER). These resources allow you to provide students with learning materials they need that can be customized for your specific context and without the cost of expensive textbooks. [Several such projects](#) have been created at USask with faculty hiring graduate students to assist in the process. Funding can be used to modify existing OER, create ancillary resources such as test banks or PowerPoint

slides, and integrate other open educational practices into your courses. Several such projects have been created at USask with faculty hiring graduate students to assist in the process. For more information visit [Open Educational Practices](#) or contact Heather M. Ross with the GMCTL at [heather.ross@usask.ca](mailto:heather.ross@usask.ca).

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## CAUCE Remote delivery webinar series - free

The [Canadian Association for University Continuing Education](#) has two upcoming webinars focused on remote course design. See the links below for details and registration.

The password for registration is: **Education2020**



### Remote Delivery: Implications for Course Design

June 17, 2020 @ 1:30 pm ET -- Part one of the two part series Moving your Courses to Remote Delivery

[Read more](#)



### Promoting Engagement in your Remote Delivery Course

June 24, 2020 @ 1:30 pm ET -- Part two of the two part series Moving your Courses to Remote Delivery

[Read more](#)

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## DEU support and contact information

The Instructional Design Team at the Distance Education Unit can help you design online activities, assessments and other online appropriate elements to your remote teaching or fully online offerings. Visit <https://sites.usask.ca/edtech/> for more helpful tips and tutorials as well as information on our support services and contact information.

Our **Instructional Design Team** is always happy to chat with you about learning technologies and strategies for using them effectively in your online or blended classroom. Our staff can help you with questions about,

- Full Online Course Development Projects
- Hybrid, multi-access and blended learning strategies
- Open Textbook and OER developments

- ePortfolios
- Engaging Online Assessments and Learning Activities
- Copyright Clearances, Acquisitions and OER Licensing
- Ensuring Accessibility standards are being addressed
- Ed Tech Support before and during delivery
- Course Quality Reviews and Recommendations
- Media resource development
- Resource curation and dissemination
- Non-Credit Learning Design

And much more. Just drop us a line to start a conversation [deu.support@usask.ca](mailto:deu.support@usask.ca)

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