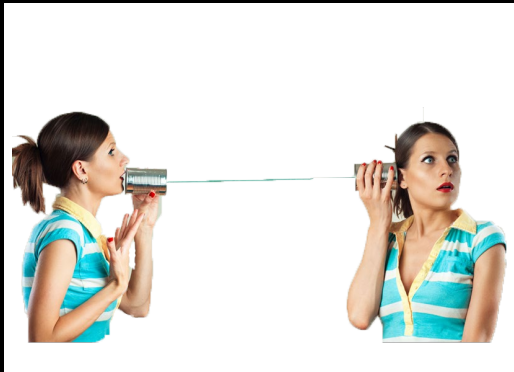




# Building Teaching Excellence

## Teaching, Social, and Cognitive Presence

Dr. Saundra Shillingstad, Professor in Teacher Education, will present ideas on how teaching and social presence greatly impacts students' perceptions of what and how they are learning. Strategies for building positive, intellectually challenging communities of learners will be shared.



### Building Teaching Presence

## CLEAR COMMUNICATION

*How does communication impact student learning? What can you do to ensure you've established clear communication in your courses?*

Thursday, February 14  
12:00 – 1:30 PM  
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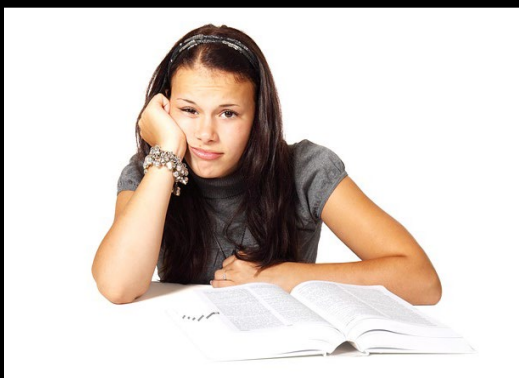


### Building Social Presence

## FIRST IMPRESSIONS COUNT

*You never get a second chance to make a first impression. Learn more about the power of first impressions and strategies you can use to build a sense of community among learners.*

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### Building Cognitive Presence

## KEEP ME INTERESTED

*What strategies do you use to engage students in their own learning processes? Discuss and explore methods supporting inquiry, critical thinking, and problem-solving.*

Thursday, April 11  
12:00 – 1:30 PM  
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