

## Mid-April Newsletter

### Top Stories This Month



#### Reminder: Complete the Services and Support for Teaching and Learning Survey

Teaching and Learning Services is looking to better understand which of our programs, services and supports you value most, how these impact your teaching, and what you would like us to prioritize, adjust or expand in the coming years.

Help us ensure our programs and services align with your needs - [fill out the survey here](#) before April 30. It should take five to 10 minutes to complete. All responses are anonymous and will be reported in aggregate.



#### Carleton Students Showcase Research and Collaborative Teaching Projects

The Carleton community came together on April 9 to celebrate student research and collaborative teaching projects at the 2026 I-CUREUS and SaPP Showcase.

The annual event provides an opportunity for students who participated in the [Internship-Carleton University Research Experience for Undergraduate Students \(I-CUREUS\)](#) and [Students as Partners Program \(SaPP\)](#) to share their work and celebrate their achievements.

This year, 30 undergraduate students participated in the showcase, highlighting their projects, showcasing their skills and how they applied their disciplinary knowledge in an impactful way. [Read the full story here](#).



#### Looking Ahead to InspirED 2026: Carleton's Teaching Innovation Symposium

Join us on April 28 for our InspirED symposium as we dive into relationship-rich education – the power of learning through meaningful connections.

The day will begin with a plenary by [Peter Felten](#) about how trusting relationships, especially educationally purposeful peer relationships, drive student success. Don't miss the afternoon plenary by [Bonnie Stewart](#) as she dives into GenAI in education, offering practical pathways for fostering relationality and critical digital literacies, and exploring the role of agency in building educational futures that matter. Throughout the day, we'll also have concurrent sessions that explore topics such as learning within Indigenous communities, using AI to connect learners with one another and with communities beyond the classroom, and using LEGO® to support reflection, dialogue and shared understanding.

Browse the [complete program](#) and [book your spot today!](#)

#### Register for the Summer 2026 Certificate in University Teaching

Registration for the summer 2026 cohort of our Certificate in University Teaching (CUT) is now open! Compressed for the summer, this six-week intensive program is designed for Carleton faculty, contract instructors, lab coordinators and others in instructional roles with recent, current or upcoming teaching assignments. CUT offers a supportive environment to deepen your understanding of pedagogy and strengthen your teaching practice. [Visit our website to learn more and register](#). Registration closes May 14.

#### Reminder: Apply to the Experiential Learning Equipment Fund

Teaching and Learning Services has launched the [Carleton University Experiential Learning Equipment Fund \(CUEL-EF\)](#), a special call for projects to purchase or upgrade equipment and technology that will strengthen students' technical, digital and AI-related competencies and improve their workplace readiness.

The CUEL-EF provides funding to support the purchase of new, upgraded or replacement equipment and technology that enhance student learning in credit courses. Projects can be course-level (i.e., single course) or program-level (i.e., multi-course) initiatives. Examples of eligible expenses include lab equipment, XR headsets and experiences, field programmable gate array (FPGA) boards, 3D printers, anatomy models, storage and maintenance supplies for purchased equipment.

The application deadline is May 22. Don't miss this opportunity! For questions or to discuss project ideas, please contact us at [tls@carleton.ca](mailto:tls@carleton.ca).

#### Applications for the Carleton University Teaching Awards Due April 30

Are you an innovative educator dedicated to teaching excellence? Or do you know an outstanding educator who deserves recognition? TLS is accepting applications and nominations for four awards until April 30: the [Excellence in Educational Leadership and Pedagogical Innovation Award](#), the [Provost's Fellowship in Teaching Award](#), the [New Faculty Excellence in Teaching Award](#) and the [Excellence in Learning Support Award](#).

### More News

- **2026 Provost Scholar Award Recipients:** Please join us in congratulating the [five outstanding undergraduate students](#) who were presented with Provost Scholar Awards on Thursday, April 2.
- **Workshop on Engaging with the Media:** Want to share your research with the media and reach a wider audience? Join the Department of University Communications for a workshop, [Engaging with the Media](#), on April 27 from 1 to 3 p.m. Develop skills to build your profile, raise awareness of your expertise and increase your work's impact.

### Upcoming Events and Workshops

- [InspirED 2026](#), April 28, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Don't forget we host [drop-in sessions](#) every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday in the Future Learning Lab (room 483) from 10 a.m. to noon to help you with your course needs. Bring your laptop and any teaching-related questions you have.

Missed an event? Watch recorded sessions on our [Mediaspace channel](#).

[View all events](#)

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