Overview

Do you work in a role where you’re training, sharing information or teaching? Now more than ever, the world is turning to online platforms to teach and to learn. Mark your calendars to tune in to Royal Road University’s MALAT Virtual Symposium April 14-17.

The annual Virtual Symposium is a week-long series of open, public, synchronous speakers and conversations and asynchronous discussions aimed at exploring the broad field of digital learning from theoretical and practical perspectives. This is where new students begin their orientation to the field and second-year students can share their knowledge with the larger professional community. Check out the ‘Lay of the Land Track’ where we’re featuring experts and academics in the field to explore topics related to digital learning environments, networks and communities.

Speaker Highlights:

- Apr 14 | Tannis Morgan | 10-11am | A conversation: Open Ed Tech Infrastructure to get to Open Educational Practices
- Apr 14 | Randy LaBonte | 4-5pm | Remote Teaching or Online Learning? K-12 Schooling in a Pandemic World
- Apr 15 | Dr. George Veletsianos & Dr. Elizabeth Childs | 12-1pm | Surprise session
- Apr 15 | Ken Jeffery | 3-3:30pm | Q & A session - Setting up your WP site and connecting by Feedly
- Apr 17 | Melanie Meyers | 12-1pm | Many Hats: Why Flexibility and an Open Mind Matter
- Apr 17 | Dr. Elizabeth Childs & Dr. Loni Davis | 2-3pm | Critical Academic Reading and Writing

Openness is about sharing, kindness, generosity and optimism. As people who work in designing learning environments and experiences, this is inherent in all that we do. Join in some free professional development at the annual MALAT Virtual Symposium. Complete schedule and more details here.