

To: CPP Faculty
From: Victoria Bhavsar
Subject: Post-election resources
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Dear faculty,

CAFE's counterparts at [San Diego State](#) and [CSU Northridge](#) have both put together helpful resources for post-election classrooms. I did not feel the need to duplicate! I especially appreciated Northridge's [very practical ideas](#), contributed by faculty themselves, for what to do if you DO want to talk about the election, and what to do if you DON'T want to talk about it but the topic arises.

Please [contribute your own ideas](#) for how to optimize learning experiences during contentious social or political moments.

Several programs and resources have upcoming deadlines, plus don't miss workshops on Gradescope and keeping motivated to the end of the semester – see below!

Take care,

Victoria

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[CAFE's Winter Institute 2025](#): Register now for Jan. 7-9 and 13-14, 2025

Thanks to a special collaboration with the Office of Student Success, the goal of CAFE Winter Institute 2025 is to empower faculty with practical pedagogical tools, robust scholarship, and a community of peers to create classes that promote equity, justice, and success for all students. Faculty of any discipline and any stage in the faculty career are welcomed and encouraged; stipends are available for completion. We have capacity for 40 faculty participants and hope to have a mixture of new and returning participants. [Registration is now open.](#)

Teaching Nuts & Bolts:

- **“LATTE” Series:** The last topic in our “Learning And Teaching Techniques Exchange” Zoom series is [motivation at the end of the semester](#). Join us November 18 or 19, 12-1pm.
- **Gradescope workshop: Thursday Nov. 21, 12 – 12:50pm, via zoom.** Gradescope is a Canvas integration that streamlines grading significantly, helping us to provide timely, detailed feedback while maintaining consistency. Gradescope can deal with hand-written answers, drawings, equations and diagrams, and text answers. [Please register](#).

Teacher-Scholar:

- **[The California Pre-Doctoral Program](#)** supports the aspirations of CSU students who plan to pursue their doctoral degrees. Applications open in December. Help your students to direct questions to campus coordinator [Dr. Claudia Garcia Des Lauriers](#) (Kellogg Honors College).
- **Call for book chapter proposals:** [Dr. Jill Nemiro](#) (Psychology) seeks chapter proposals for an edited volume entitled *Preparing Students in Higher Education for Creative Collaboration in Virtual Teams*, offered by [IGI Global Publishing](#). Proposals are due November 16. Learn more about the book, recommended topics, and submit proposals at the [Call for Chapters](#).
- **[CCE Engagement Grants](#):** The Center for Community Engagement invites applications for \$1500 Impact Grants for Spring 2025 service-learning (S) courses. The goal is to support high-impact teaching practices on campus and respond to critical needs in Pomona and the Greater Los Angeles area. [Learn more and apply](#) by November 15. For questions, contact [Lauren Bernal](#).

Career & Community:

- **[Parenting Faculty Group](#)** at the Employee Affinity Group Open House: **Thursday Nov. 14, 11:30am-1pm, Student Services Building 1967/1969**. Drop by and learn more about Parenting Faculty, as well as other affinity groups of interest.
- **Consultations & coaching:** CAFE can provide one-on-one consultations and coaching for classroom or other faculty work issues. We have two trained strengths coaches, [Victoria Bhavsar](#) and [April Dawn](#), plus Faculty Fellow [Lisa Kessler](#). Please email any of us.

Friends of CAFE:

- **Save the Date for [International Education Week 2024](#): November 19 -- 22.** Celebrate the benefits of international education and exchange worldwide! This joint initiative of the U.S. Dept. of State and the U.S. Dept. of Education promotes programs that prepare citizens for a global environment and attract future leaders from abroad to study, learn, and exchange experiences.

- **Save the Date for the [2025 Academic Innovation Winter Institute](#): January 15 & 16, 2025.** Learn about innovative practices in research mentorship, strategies to maximize mentoring efforts, enhance student success, and create inclusive research environments. [Register now!](#)

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