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### [Turnitin AI Detection Tool Disabled](#)

After careful review, the Teaching Center has determined that current AI detection software is not yet reliable enough to be deployed without a substantial risk of false positives and the consequential issues such accusations imply for both students and faculty.



### [Deadline Today: Request a Midterm Course Survey](#)

Faculty can request a midterm course survey for their 12-week or full-term summer course by **June 9**.



### [Staff Spotlight: Christina Frasher](#)

Every month, the Teaching Center features individual staff members so you can get to learn a bit about who we are and what we do. Today, we're featuring Christina Frasher, who is a teaching consultant in our Teaching Support team.



## Upcoming Workshops

June 21  
10-11 a.m.  
Developing A Syllabus

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June 21  
10 a.m.-3 p.m.  
Pitt Ed Tech Days: Innovators

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June 21  
-3 p.m.  
Developing a Lesson Plan

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June 27  
10-11:30 a.m.  
Encouraging Student Participation

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June 27  
Noon-1 p.m.  
Developing a Teaching Portfolio

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June 28  
Noon-1 p.m.  
Developing a Teaching Philosophy Statement

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July 6  
10-11 a.m.  
Teaching With and Without PowerPoint

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July 6  
1-2:30 p.m.  
Best Practices in Online Teaching

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