Marriott Library Technology
Assisted Curriculum Center

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Purpose and Mission

- The Technology Assisted Curriculum Center exists to support the efforts of University of Utah faculty members to integrate various technologies and information navigation skills into their curriculum for the enhancement of quality teaching and learning.

- Our mission is to provide faculty members with a wide, up-to-date, and user-friendly spectrum of digital services and resources.
Grants for fully-online course Development

- Grants of $5,000 for course development
- Applications due in November and March.
- Criteria for funding:
  - Courses that will relieve bottlenecks
  - General education courses
  - Graduate courses in areas of unique institutional strength
  - Outreach courses with a potential for high enrollment
  - Innovative and creative use of online education
Best Practices

- *Active learning.* Students learn best when they are actively engaging with the content.

- *Interaction with faculty.* Students and faculty interact to promote academic exchange.

- *Interaction with peers.* Students interact with peers in a cooperative learning environment where they are encouraged to explore their own interpretations and those of their peers.
Best Practices (continued)

- Rich, rapid feedback. Feedback to students in a timely fashion enhances motivation and learning.

- Respect for diversity of learning styles. Courses are designed to offer a variety of ways to learn and apply course concepts