

CAL Online Bulletin, #4



Faculty Office Hours

All CAL Online Faculty Office hours are held via Zoom. Be sure to sign in to Zoom with your CSUSB email. Faculty can make appointments for 30 minute private help sessions or you can use the drop in hours to get help, chat, share ideas, etc. The Zoom link is: <https://csusb.zoom.us/my/calcsusb>.

CAL Online Email: calteachonline@csusb.edu

Bibiana Diaz, Thursday, 10-11 by appt, 11-12 Drop-In // LAST WEEK!

Terri Nelson, Wednesday, 11-12 by appt, 12 Noon APPY hour (see below)

Mihaela Popescu, Friday, 3-4 by appt., 4-5 Drop-In



Join us this summer for APPY-Hours! Learn about SLACK: Wednesday at noon

Appy-Hour will be an opportunity to view a teaching app, ask questions and share your own ideas about how to integrate a new tool into the classroom. This week, Terri will show you how to use SLACK– an app that allows for easier communication with students (and among students). Slack will free up your email– yay!– and make it easier to communicate quickly and efficiently, without the formality of Blackboard Announcements. See a [Slack tutorial](#) by clicking the link.

Featured [CAL Online Video: E-Portfolios*](#)

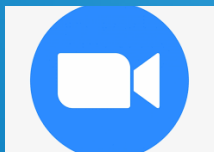
Your CAL Online Committee is creating a series of short tutorials to help you to explore useful tools, tips, tricks and ideas for making online learning more engaging and enriching. *Click the link above to view!

Portfolios are records of achievement students can use to showcase their accomplishments when entering their careers.

In this week's [video](#), Bibiana Diaz will show you how to integrate e-Portfolio assignments in the classroom using the Portfolium platform available through Blackboard. She gives you sample learning objectives, discusses different types of portfolios and shares her experiences using this assignment in the classroom.



Quick Tips



Use Side-by-side mode to view shared screen AND speaker view in Zoom

Side-by-side Mode enables participants to see the shared screen alongside either the Speaker View or Gallery View, depending on which view they choose. Here's how:

- * While viewing a shared screen click on View Options and choose Side-by-side Mode. The shared screen will appear on the left and the speaker will appear on the right. (See image on left.)
- * You can change the screen sizes as well. Put the cursor over the boundary between the shared screen and participants' video until your pointer changes to a double arrow and you see a grey line separating both views. (See image on right.) Click and drag the separator to adjust the size of each view.

