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A Magna Online Seminar:
Increasing Cognitive Engagement in the Online Classroom

Wednesday May 5th, 10 am,
Nelson Poynter Library, Distance Learning Studio

Learn the most effective ways to engage students in the online classroom.

This presentation helps you create an environment where students feel motivated to invest themselves fully in the learning process. You'll discover:

- Methods of engaging online students efficiently and effectively.
- Empirically supported instructional strategies to increase students' interest.
- Ways to modify instructional approaches to be more active and authentic.
- Low- (or no-) cost strategies that foster a personal connection with students.
- Approaches for addressing the cognitive barriers associated with online learning.
- For more info: www.magnapubs.com/calendar/420

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A Magna Online Seminar:

Promoting Critical Thinking with Just-in-Time Teaching

Tuesday April 20th, 1:00 PM – 2:15 PM (Eastern)
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During this seminar you'll learn to:
- Create a cooperative learning community that connect concepts, thinking and application.
- Use a developmental approach to move students from novice to expert thinkers.
- Develop measurable learning outcomes that are achievable and realistic.
- Prepare students for Just-in-Time Teaching.
- Employ high-level thinking questions as an essential step to developing student success. (You'll practice the skill of developing higher-level thinking questions during the seminar.)
- Understand the importance of formative and summative evaluation throughout the course.

For more information, visit: http://www.magnapubs.com/catalog/cds/603223-1.html