2015 Faculty Achievements

Dr. Karen Swan
Educational Leadership

Chapter(s) in Edited Book


“Preparation for Future Learning: Exploring the Efficacy of Problem-Based Learning and Cross-Curricular Experiences” with P. Vahey, M. Van’t Hooft, and A. Katcoskt in Essential Readings in Problem-Based Learning, H. Leary, ed.

Invited Address/Lecture

“A Collaborative, Design-Based Approach to Improving an Online Program” with S. Day, L. Bogle, and D. Matthews – Presented at the Canadian Initiative for Distance Education Research (CIDER) Session: Special Webinar Series on the Community of Inquiry Framework, Alberta, CA.

“Building Online Learning Communities” – Presented at E-Learn, Kona, HI.


Invited Workshop

“Student Success by the Numbers: Predicting Risk and Tracking Intervention Effectiveness” with C. Daston and S. James – Presented at the Online Learning Consortium (OLC) International Conference, Orlando, FL.


Journal Article

“Technology Transience and Distance Education in the Second Machine Age” Quarterly Review of Distance Education.
Refereed Paper


“Enabling Evidence-Based Decision Making: A Story in Four Parts” with H. Okimoto, K. Vignare, and E. Wagner – Presented at the EDUCAUSE Annual Conference, Indianapolis, IN.


“Social Presence Online: Three Research Lenses” with A. Garrett-Dikkers, A. Whiteside, P. Ice, P. Lowenthal, and J. Richardson – Presented at the Online Learning Consortium (OLC) International Conference, Orlando, FL.


Roundtable