

FALL 2024 EVENTS

September - December

Read more and register on the ADVANCE Office calendar:
faculty.northeastern.edu/advance/events

Institutional Memberships and Offerings

Expand your professional development with opportunities from our partners

Academic Analytics at Northeastern University

Northeastern University uses the Academic Analytics platform as a research discovery and collaboration tool. The Academic Analytics Database contains scholarly data on over 400,000 faculty members at over 470 US-based research universities. The data includes research grants, honorific awards, articles, books, conference proceeding, patents and more.

Visit bit.ly/AcademicAnalytics-NU to learn more, log in, and view tutorials.

National Center for Faculty Development and Diversity (NCFDD)

NCFDD's free online resources include workshops and webinars on topics related to faculty life, including increasing writing productivity, prioritizing and managing time, cultivating mentors, securing external funding, and more.

Visit ncfdd.org/join to claim your Northeastern University membership.

The New England Higher Education Consortium (HERC)

Northeastern University is a member of New England HERC, a non-profit organization composed of a diverse group of colleges, universities, cultural institutions, and research, medical, and teaching hospitals. They provide professional development workshops and resources on various topics, including diversity, equity, and inclusion.

To sign up, visit bit.ly/HERCnu

Faculty Development Workshops

Enhance your performance and well-being



Establishing a Research Program in STEM

Facilitators

Penny Beuning

*Professor and Chair of Chemistry and Chemical Biology,
College of Science*

Rebecca Carrier

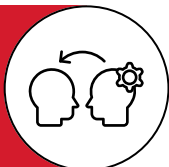
*Professor of Chemical Engineering and Associate Chair of Research,
College of Engineering*

VIRTUAL

Wednesday, October 16, 2024
12:00 – 1:30 p.m. ET

[Register Here](#)

Designed for new tenure-track assistant professors in STEM fields, this workshop demystifies critical elements of setting up a laboratory. Included are developing a mission statement, hiring students, and establishing a research plan.



Mental Health Matters:

Shape Your Daily Work to Benefit Your Mental Health

Facilitator

Dr. Alice Boyes

Clinical Psychologist, Researcher, and Author

VIRTUAL

Tuesday, October 29, 2024
10:00 – 11:30 a.m. ET

[Register Here](#)

Are you interested in optimizing your time at work to support your mental well-being alongside maximized productivity? By aligning personal needs and job responsibilities, and cultivating effective habits for focused work, you can sustainably enhance both productivity and well-being. Join psychologist and former clinical researcher-turned-author Dr. Alice Boyes to improve your mental health and optimize your time for greater success.

This workshop is a part of the *Mental Health Matters* series.

Writing Groups

Boost your writing productivity within a supportive community



2024-2025 Writing Groups

Looking for support and structure for writing projects, including articles, book chapters, grant proposals, and beyond? Join a facilitated group of colleagues to focus on the writing process and advance your projects.

Writing groups provide a peer environment to help you carve out regular writing time each week and give you an opportunity to acquire skills to grow your writing practice.

Groups and Facilitators

All Disciplines **Emily Avery-Miller**
Associate Teaching Professor in English,
College of Social Sciences and Humanities

Early Career Writing **Ariel Gomez**
(Late-stage graduate and postdoctoral scholars) Future Faculty Postdoctoral Fellow in Public Policy
and Urban Affairs,
College of Social Sciences and Humanities

Full-Time Non-Tenure Track Faculty **Peter Fraunholtz**
Assistant Teaching Professor in History and
International Affairs,
College of Social Sciences and Humanities

(Re-)Writing your First Proposal **Andrea Stith**
Director, Research Development,
Khoury College of Computer Sciences

STEM **Michael McCluskey**
Associate Teaching Professor in English,
College of Social Sciences and Humanities

Women of Color in the Academy **Nicole N. Aljoe**
Professor of English and Africana Studies,
College of Social Sciences and Humanities

Learn more about
individual writing
groups and register.

[Register Here](#)

Registration is on a
rolling basis throughout
the academic year.

Faculty Media Training

Learn how to raise your public profile as a subject matter expert in the media

Faculty Media Training

These interactive programs, run by the office of External Affairs, are designed to help you understand the editorial process and promote your research in articles, op-eds, and social media.

Facilitator:

Joanna Weiss, Director of Media Training and Strategic Initiatives

Joanna is a veteran journalist, Politico and WBUR contributor, and former Boston Globe columnist whose work has appeared in The Atlantic, Slate, The Economist, and more.

Media 101

This hands-on workshop breaks down the making of a news story, empowers you to share your expertise with the press, and gives you the tools to describe your research to a non-academic audience.

One 1.5-hour session

Op-ed Workshop

In this four-session, small-group workshop, you'll analyze the components of an op-ed and develop a written piece that is ready to pitch to a major media outlet.

Four 1.5-hour sessions

Broadcast/Social Media Workshop

Learn the tips and tricks for talking on TV, radio, podcasts, and social media — and create a practice TikTok in the External Affairs studio.

One 1.5-hour session

Media 102: Practice Makes Perfect

Continue your media preparation with hands-on practice. You'll review the elements of a story, develop talking points, and conduct mock interviews with Northeastern journalists.

One 3-hour session, 6-8 participants

**Register for one or more workshops
in this series.**

[Register Here](#)

Career Advancement

Prepare for tenure, promotion, and career opportunities



Join Senior Vice Provost for Academic Affairs **Deb Franko** for the following information sessions for tenure track faculty:

Preparing for the Mid-Course Review

A specialized information session for tenure-track faculty providing comprehensive information on the mid-course review process. Participants will receive detailed guidance and be invited to ask questions.

IN-PERSON
440 EGAN

Wednesday, October 2, 2024
1:00 – 2:00 p.m. ET

[Register Here](#)



Preparing for Promotion to Full Professor

This information session provides important information and guidance for associate professors and their mentors on preparing for and navigating the full professor promotion process. This session will include an in-depth presentation and ample opportunities for questions.

IN-PERSON
303 RENAISSANCE PARK

Tuesday, October 8, 2024
2:00 – 3:00 p.m. ET

[Register Here](#)



Join Vice Provost for Faculty Affairs **Jackie Isaacs** for the following information session for non-tenure track faculty:

Full-Time Non-Tenure Track Faculty Fellowship Program: Inspiration Session

Learn more about the Full-Time Non-Tenure Track Faculty Fellowship Program. This session will include information on the application process and presentations from past fellowship recipients about their experiences.

VIRTUAL

Thursday, November 21, 2024
1:00 – 2:30 p.m. ET

[Register Here](#)

Mentoring

Gain support and connect with colleagues as you build mentoring relationships



ADVANCE Faculty Networks

Peer Conversations & Connections

All full-time faculty are invited to join an ADVANCE Faculty Network to develop professionally by cultivating connections with faculty throughout the university. Facilitators will guide networks through enriching, engaging dialogues that foster professional growth.

A variety of role- and topic-based groups will be offered. In-person, hybrid, and virtual options are available to meet the diverse needs of faculty throughout the global campuses.

Program Application Deadline:
Monday, September 9, 2024

[Apply Here](#)



Mutual Mentoring Advancement Program (M2AP) Grants

M2AP funds faculty-designed mutual mentoring initiatives up to \$3,000, offering faculty members the opportunity to create a tailored mentoring experience involving groups of peers, near peers, and senior colleagues from within and/or beyond Northeastern University.

Application Opens: Monday, September 16, 2024
Application Closes: Monday, October 28, 2024

[Apply Here](#)



Mentoring System of Support (SOS)

Mentoring System of Support (SOS) works to help first year and early-career tenure-track and non-tenure track faculty and their mentors build meaningful and efficacious mentoring relationships. Mentors and mentees receive weekly email prompts to encourage regular communication about critical issues such as research and course evaluations and to maintain an active mentoring relationship.

Program begins: Tuesday, October 1, 2024

[Subscribe](#)

STRIDE

Eliminate bias in the faculty search



Strategies and Tactics for Recruiting to Improve Diversity and Excellence (STRIDE) workshops focus on improving the search process, leveraging strategies to avoid implicit bias, and implementing best practices for equitable searches.

STRIDE I is an introduction to the sources and impact of bias in the faculty search process and best practices for conducting equitable searches.

STRIDE II Faculty Search Strategic Planning Session: Attend one of two scheduled working meetings to learn about college level progress, goals, and resources. Work with fellow search committee members to decide which strategies you will implement to mitigate bias within the search process. Receive guidance on outstanding questions and next steps. Participants must have completed STRIDE I or equivalent.

VIRTUAL

STRIDE I:

Thursday, November 7, 2024
3:00 – 4:30 p.m. ET

[STRIDE I: Register Here](#)

STRIDE II:

Thursday, November 14, 2024
1:00 – 2:30 p.m. ET
Monday, November 25, 2024
1:00 – 2:30 p.m. ET

[STRIDE II: Register Here](#)

STRIDE Committee

Jackie Isaacs

Vice Provost for Faculty Affairs
College of Engineering
STRIDE Committee Chair

Stine Grodal

Distinguished Professor of Entrepreneurship
and Innovation
D'Amore-McKim School of Business

Sean O'Connell

Associate Teaching Professor of Professional Studies
College of Professional Studies

Sarah Kanouse

Associate Professor of Media Arts
College of Arts, Media and Design

Ralf Schlosser

Professor of Communication Sciences and Disorders
Bouvé College of Health Sciences

Cliff Lee

Professor of Education
College of Arts, Media and Design and
Mills College at Northeastern University

Laney Strange

Teaching Professor of Computer Science, Director of
Broadening Participation and Director of Teaching Faculty
Khoury College of Computer Sciences

Inclusive Teaching

Create belonging and enhance learning in your classroom



Inclusive STEM Teaching Project and Northeastern Learning Community

Monday, October 7, 2024 to Sunday, November 24, 2024

The Inclusive STEM Teaching Project (ISTP) is a six-week, asynchronous course designed to advance the awareness, self-efficacy, and ability of instructors to cultivate inclusive learning environments. Participants will learn how to create classrooms that foster active learning and belonging.

The Inclusive STEM Teaching Project is a National Science Foundation-funded initiative created by a consortium of six universities. Northeastern is one of 147 universities that offer concurrent learning communities.

Northeastern will provide a concurrent learning community to talk about implementing the practices discussed within the course.

Visit bit.ly/ISTPfall24
to enroll in the course

[Register for a Learning Community Here](#)

Women of Color in the Academy Initiatives

Exchange knowledge and wisdom for the career advancement of women of color



Women of Color in the Academy Lunches

Join Nicole N. Aljoe and Northeastern University colleagues for community and conversation.

HYBRID
Boston Campus,
Renaissance Park 909

Thursday, September 12
12:00 – 1:00 p.m. ET

IN-PERSON
The Faculty Club
Boston Campus

Tuesday, December 10
12:00 – 1:00 p.m. ET

[Register Here](#)



Women of Color in the Academy Conference

A full day of interactive workshops and networking

Participate in a variety of interactive hands-on workshops and network with women of color academics and their allies throughout the Greater Boston region and beyond.

HYBRID
Boston Campus

Friday, May 9, 2025

**Registration opens
February 2025**

Snapshots from Spring 2024

Capturing moments from last semester's faculty programs and events



**Faculty Development Workshop:
The Race to Fenway: Stress and Coping During the Spring Semester**
March 12, 2024



Women of Color in the Academy Conference
May 17, 2024

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