



Call for Proposals

Fall Conference
October 27, 2017
8:30 am – 4:00 pm
Mid Michigan Community College
2600 S. Summerton Rd.
Mount Pleasant, MI 48858

Greetings! We're excited to announce that [Dr. Karen Swan](#) will deliver our keynote on "Developing Social Presence in Online Classes." She is the Stukel Professor of Educational Research and a Research Associate in the Center for Online Learning, Research and Service (COLRS) at the University of Illinois Springfield. For the past 20 years, she has been teaching online, researching online learning, and writing extensively about her experiences. She received the Online Learning Consortium (OLC) award for Outstanding Individual Achievement, National University Technology Network (NUTN) Distinguished Service Award, and the Burks Oakley II Distinguished Online Teaching Award for her work in this area. She is also an OLC Fellow and a member of the International Adult and Continuing Education Hall of Fame.

Now, we invite your proposals.

Are you or someone you know at your college or university doing something special to increase online student success? Is your college or university leveraging instructional technologies to improve student engagement and retention? If so, encourage them to share their ideas by doing a presentation at ETOM's Fall Conference.

Here's the form to submit your proposal: <http://bit.ly/ETOMFall2017Proposal>

The **deadline for submission is Friday, September 22, 2017**. The ETOM Board will review all proposals, and presenters will be notified by the end of September, 2017. All presenters will be required to register and pay the conference registration fee. The Program Committee may recommend that several similar sessions be combined into one presentation. Contact [Carl Weckerle](#), ETOM President or [Garry Brand](#), ETOM Executive Director with any questions.

Note: Conference registration will open soon!