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What's New at e-ATS?

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Coming soon, the ITDC

What does ITDC stand for?

Information Technology Development Center.

What is the ITDC?

The ITDC will be a new and exciting space in the main library designed for faculty to become familiar with the latest technology on campus and get assistance to integrate this new technology into their curriculum.

Where will the ITDC be located?

The ITDC will be located on the first floor in the library to the left of the reference desk.

Who can benefit from visiting the ITDC?

Absolutely everyone! Yes, no matter how long you have been teaching, there are new and interesting ways to use technology to enhance the learning and teaching process.

Uncomfortable with Technology?

We all have varying degrees of comfort with technology and the ITDC will be staffed by two Instructional Technologists (Bonnie and Robin) to assist you.

What types of technology are we talking about?

It can be the basics of Blackboard or Podcasting your lecture. Perhaps you want to spruce up a PowerPoint presentation or record a lecture that can be viewed by students at any given time. The ITDC will have all the equipment you need to replicate the classroom experience. The ITDC will also work with librarians and media services personnel to find the best materials to meet faculty needs.

When will the ITDC be available?

Construction will get underway in May. Check future newsletters for updates and progress on the ITDC. In the meantime, Robin and Bonnie are available to assist you.

Important Web Links!

<http://rwu.e-academy.com>: Microsoft Products under RWU's "Work at Home" rights!
<http://sharepoint.rwu.edu>: Publications, Support Materials, and Instructions

Did You Know? Did you know that helpful recordings on how to use and find information in the Datatel system are available on <http://sharepoint.rwu.edu>? Everything you need to know from how to remove adviser holds to where to find a student's e-mail address are available for faculty to review.

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Training Opportunities:

- Excel Basic
 - Mon., 4/09 9-12
 - Mon., 4/16 9-12
- Word Basic
 - Tues., 4/10 1-4
 - Tues., 4/17 1-4
- Publisher
 - Tues., 4/03 1-4
 - Wed., 4/04 1-4
- Front Page
 - Fri., 4/13 9-12
 - Fri., 4/27 9-12

All sessions will be held in the IT Training Room located on the ground floor of the Law School.



HAPPY SPRING!

