

Al and Design Thinking

The Human Connection

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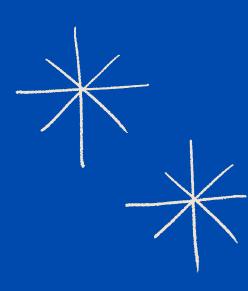
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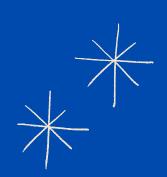
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Agenda

Topics

- Welcome and Congratulations
- Al and Design Thinking in Higher Education OLC
- Empathy and Collaboration: The Core of Design Thinking
- The Fusion of Al and Human Connection
- Closing Remarks





Best in Track





Design Thinking with Al:

For Online Instruction in Higher Education

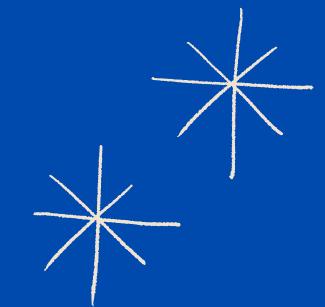
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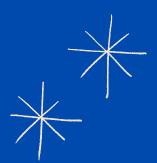
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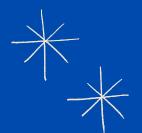
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Design Thinkers





What is Design Thinking?



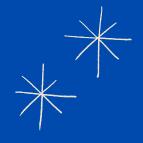


Unleashing Creativity: Design Thinking in Higher Education



Bridging AI and Human Connection

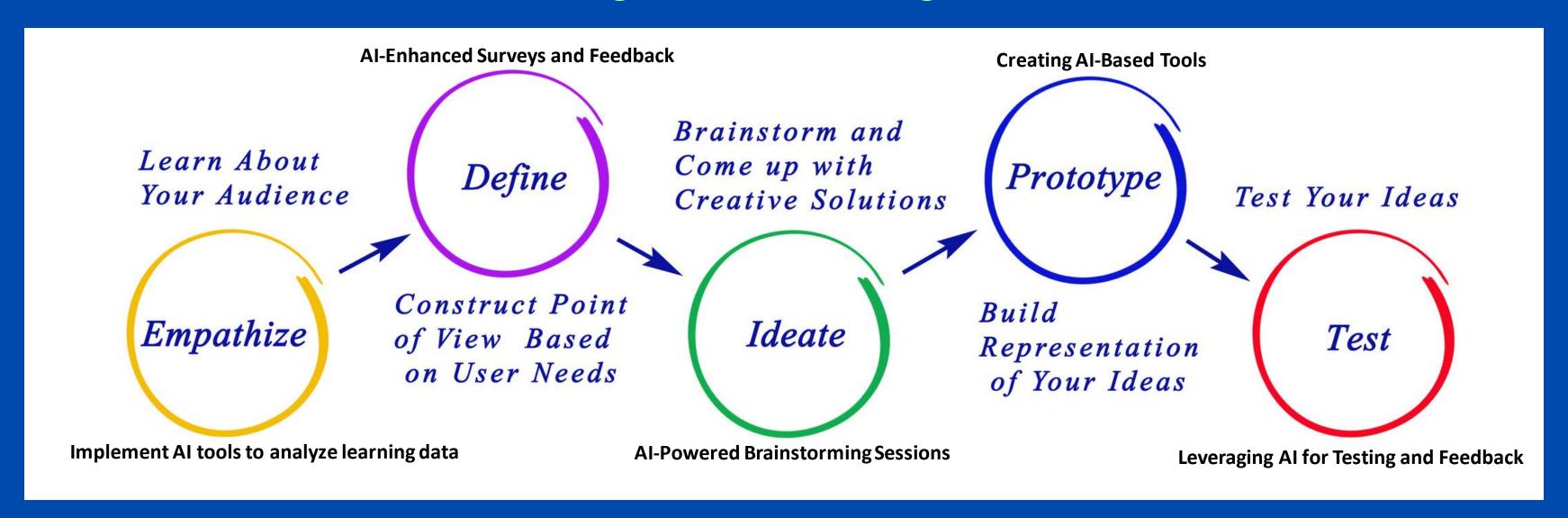
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The Design Thinking Process



Using Artificial Intelligence:







WHY HUMAN CONNECTION MATTERS

- Empathy as the Foundation
- Collaboration Fuels Innovation
- Beyond Technology
- Design Thinking in Action
- Creating a Culture of Support
- Removing Barriers between departments
- Leveraging Diversity



Adapt

Learn

Empower



ENCOURAGE AND EMBRACE DESIGN THINKING



Start Small

Begin with manageable projects to apply design thinking principles and gain confidence

i.e. AI-Enhanced Surveys and Feedback:

Foster a Creative Culture

Encourage brainstorming and the free flow of ideas within your team or classroom.



Embrace Empathy

Make an effort to deeply understand the experiences and needs of your students or colleagues by observing and engaging in conversations.

Prototype Quickly

Develop simple prototypes for your ideas. i.e. sketches or basic models to visualize solutions



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Test and Iterate

Implement your prototypes in real settings, gather feedback, and be prepared to make changes.
Trial and Error. Create storyboards, chatbots, etc.

Continuous Learning:

Stay curious and open to learning to enhance your skills and understanding.



Collaborate Across Disciplines

Seek out perspectives from different fields to enrich your approach and solutions. Diverse teams find innovative solutions.

Feedback

Ask for feedback from students and peers and use it constructively to refine your approaches and solutions.

Document and Share!

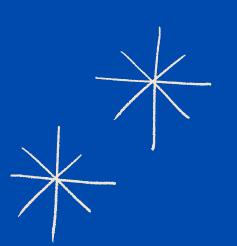


PROVERBIAL QUESTIONS:



 Can you think of a course or a challenge within your department where design thinking could be applied?

 What's one step you could take tomorrow to start this process utilizing artificial intelligence?



THANK YOU FOR listening!

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