

The use of Apple iPads in Learning & Teaching

The Learning and Teaching Centre is proud to sponsor PADagogy 101, a workshop that focuses on how iDevices such as Apple iPads can enhance learning and teaching in a higher education setting.

Date: Wednesday 3 August 2011

Time: 9.30am – 11.30am

Location: Conference Room AC04, McCauley Campus (Brisbane)

PADagogy 101 offers you the opportunity to gain hands-on experience with an Apple iPad that has been configured with educational applications. Facilitators Dr Ian Green and Allan Carrington from The University of Adelaide will demonstrate the iPad's features and capabilities, as well as share valuable insights into how these iDevices can benefit learning and teaching activities at ACU.

Each participant will be provided with an iPad to use for the duration of the workshop. There are only 20 places available. Visit short url: <http://www.acu.edu.au/161068> to secure your seat today!

Agenda

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| 9:30 – 9:45am | Overview: how are iPads currently being used at ACU? |
| 9:45 – 10:00am | Resetting the frameworks: what are iDevices, and how are they viewed?
This segment covers personal computing devices, iOS and its limitations, file structure and management, app-centricity, connectedness and the cloud. It also includes demos of apps such as geolocation and accelerometer apps. |
| 10:00 – 10:15am | Basic operations 1 - Navigation
Covers orientation, home screens and buttons, swiping and scrolling, pinching and zooming, the multitasking bar, search, and transferring data. |
| 10:15 – 10:25am | Basic operations 2 – Manipulating text
Covers entering, deleting, selecting, copying and pasting text, and using URLs. |
| 10:25 – 10:35am | Basic operations 3 - Browsing
An introduction to Safari, Google and other web browsers. Also includes information on offline page access, RSS and readers, bookmarks, social bookmarking and citation apps, Evernote, and web services such as LMS. |
| 10:35 – 10:50am | Basic operations 4 – Manipulating images
Covers the Photos app and Viewfinder, copying and pasting images, creative commons and copyright issues, and manipulating images in Keynote & Pages. |
| 10:50 – 11:00am | Books and PDFs
Includes tips on reading on iOS, book publishing directions, information on book formats and their possibilities, and frameworks for creating content. |
| 11:00 – 11:15am | Creating content
Includes a SonicPics exercise and an introduction to AudioBoo & GarageBand. |
| 11:15 – 11:30am | Delivery
Includes a MeetingManagerPro demonstration and class exercise. |

Intended outcomes

At the end of this workshop it is expected that participants will have:

- Experienced the basic operations of iPads
- Analysed iPad educational applications
- Evaluated potential learning and teaching benefits for ACU.

Facilitators

Allan Carrington



Allan Carrington is a Learning Designer with the Centre for Learning and Professional Development at the University of Adelaide. He holds Masters Degrees in Interactive Multimedia and Online Education and a Cert IV AWT, and has gained recognition from Apple Inc. worldwide as an Apple Distinguished Educator. Allan's background encompasses printing, publishing, web development and educational multimedia, as well as learning and teaching within the VET sector. He recently pioneered a new model of educational podcasting at conferences and is currently researching how this technology can add to the knowledge repository of conferences.

Dr Ian Green

Dr Ian Green has a PhD in Linguistics, based on original field-work on Australian languages, and conducts research which is broadly concerned with the interface between language, culture and cognition. He has been an Apple Distinguished Educator since 2009 and has developed and delivered a range of emerging technology workshops for academics. Currently located in the School of Education at the University of Adelaide, Ian has previously worked in senior academic positions at the University of Tasmania and the Batchelor Institute of Tertiary Education (NT), and with Education Services Australia as a national e-learning consultant. Ian teaches courses covering aspects of research methodology, online learning and cross-cultural communication, and also runs the University's staff researcher education programs.

