

Council for Academic Technology and Innovative Education (CATIE)

To help support the accessibility initiatives across the Texas A&M University System, the CATIE work group on Accessibility & UDL is providing training sessions on accessibility tools for all system members. These trainings are free and led by digital instructional material accessibility experts within the TAMU System. These trainings will be offered the third Friday of each month from 11am-12pm via Zoom. For the SU25 and FA25 semesters, the following training sessions are scheduled:

All sessions can be accessed with the same Zoom link:

https://tamu.zoom.us/j/92997929942?pwd=3OUJaaqIZvZlyMnVkky9UVrExZF4Dr.1

Date & Time	Topic (possible)	Trainer
Friday, 6/20/25, 11am- 12pm	Ally	Dr. Justin Carrell (Tarleton State University) Dr. Theresa Garfield (Texas A&M San Antonio)
Friday, 7/18/25, 11am- 12pm	Panorama	Dr. Kelley Shaffer (Texas A&M University) Dr. Sally Hughes (Texas A&M University)
Friday, 8/15/25, 11am- 12pm	Echo 360/MS Stream	Dr. Cynthia Sosa (Texas A&M International University)
Friday, 9/19/25, 11am- 12pm	Canvas Studio	Nasiha Lechaud (Texas A&M University Texarkana)
Friday, 10/17/25, 11am- 12pm	Descript (an Al- powered, end-to-end video editor that adds captions and transcripts)	Scott January (Tarleton State University)
Friday, 11/21/25, 11am- 12pm	CidiLabs – DesignPlus & TidyUp (instructional design tools)	John Starne (Prairie View A&M University)

Please send your questions to Kelley Shaffer, Ph.D., Director of Distance & Digital Education Texas A&M University

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