



## Presentation Information

### **SRSU Office of Academic Affairs:**

SRSU Provost Bernie Canteñs will open the Brown Bag, welcome all participants

Contact Executive Vice President & Provost Bernie Canteñs

at [bernie.cantens@sulross.edu](mailto:bernie.cantens@sulross.edu) or call ext.8866 / Office: BAB203

Contact Executive Assistant to the Provost Lou Pauls at [lpauls@sulross.edu](mailto:lpauls@sulross.edu) or call ext.8432

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### **SRSU OIT Security Update:**

Our OIT Network Specialist Paedric Rayburn & OIT Information Security Specialist Sarah Sheffield will update us on our current SRSU network security situation which affects all SRSU faculty, staff, and students and will also inform us on some LTAC changes! **For more information & OIT support contact the Lobo**

Technology Assistance Center (NOW in ACR 107) at: [ltac@sulross.edu](mailto:ltac@sulross.edu) or call at 432-837-8888

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### **SRSU Technology Training Update:**

Our PPOHA-AAO Instructional Technology Specialist Rachel Carvajal will take us through our new

Smartboards! **For more information: Contact Rachel Carvajal** at [rcarvajal@sulross.edu](mailto:rcarvajal@sulross.edu) or call ext.8036

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### **SRSU Library Update:**

Our Director of SRSU Library and Archives Betsy Helesic will update us on new library tools for faculty &

students. **For more information: Contact Betsy Helesic** at [betsy.helesic@sulross.edu](mailto:betsy.helesic@sulross.edu) or call ext.8312

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### **SRSU Office of IE & Professional Development Update:**

Our Director of Institutional Assessment and Planning, Kayla Waggoner, will update us on new projects in the Institutional Effectiveness office & the SRSU Pack First Professional Development initiative. **For more**

**information: Contact Kayla Waggoner** at [kayla.waggoner@sulross.edu](mailto:kayla.waggoner@sulross.edu) | [professionaldevelopment@sulross.edu](mailto:professionaldevelopment@sulross.edu) or call ext. 8720 **Pack First Initiative website:** <https://srinfo.sulross.edu/professionaldevelopment/home-2/>

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### **SRSU Grants Supporting Tech & Student Success Update:**

Our Executive Director of Title III STEM LTS and Title V DHSI FSE Kendall Craig will provide us a quick overview of 5 Year Program-Builder grant roles and their technology impacts. **For more information: Contact**

**Kendall Craig** at [kcraig@sulross.edu](mailto:kcraig@sulross.edu) or call ext. 8595

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### **SRSU MotBB and Office of Development & Advancement Update:**

Our new Museum of the Big Bend Director and Interim VP of Development and Advancement **Dr. John**

**Klingemann** will provide updates on these SRSU areas. **For more information: Contact Dr. John Klingemann** at [john.klingemann@sulross.edu](mailto:john.klingemann@sulross.edu) or call ext.8145

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### **SRSU Communications Update:**

**Media Specialist, Bobby Greeson** (known far and wide as "BobbyG") can work with you to promote your SRSU department, program, organization, campus event, etc. by developing informational videos/podcasts for your SRSU webpage/social media, provide event photography or graphic design for print media such as brochures, programs, posters... whatever SRSU media solution you may need! **For more information: Contact BobbyG** at [robert.greeson@sulross.edu](mailto:robert.greeson@sulross.edu) or call ext.8453

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### **SRSU Division of Online Programs and Distance Education (OPDE) Update:**

Our **Director of the Online Programs and Distance Education Division, Dr. Jennifer Haan**, will update us on the SRSU Quality Matters initiative & more. **For more information: Contact Dr. Jennifer Haan** at [jennifer.haan@sulross.edu](mailto:jennifer.haan@sulross.edu) **OPDE/SRSU Online Courses website:** <https://www.sulross.edu/online/>

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### **SRSU Instructional Services/Blackboard Ultra Update:**

Reach out to one of our SRSU Instructional Designers this spring **using our Instructional Designer support email: [IDSupport@sulross.edu](mailto:IDSupport@sulross.edu)**

### **Digital Teaching How-to By Appointment**

Sign up for a "By Appointment" session with an Instructional Development team member! **Schedule By Appointment sessions for yourself, your program, or even your entire department!**  
[Register for a By Appointment session TODAY!](#)

**You can also contact our 24/7 Online Support Desk** at [blackboardsupport@sulross.edu](mailto:blackboardsupport@sulross.edu) or you can call the support desk toll-free anytime day or night at 888.837.6055

**Questions about Ultra?** Contact SRSU Blackboard Support/ID - **Tim Parsons** - [tim.parsons@sulross.edu](mailto:tim.parsons@sulross.edu)  
**OR** Title V PPOHA -AAO Graduate Instructional Technology Specialist **Rachel Carvajal**

**TSUS/SHSU video series "So I Received My Converted Blackboard Course, Now What?"**

**TSUS/SHSU video series "New For Ultra Aug/Sept 2024 - Highlights"**

**TSUS/SHSU video series on the AI Design Assistant for Blackboard Learn Ultra**

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**FOR MORE INFO AND RECORDED WEBINAR SESSIONS ON NEW ULTRA TOOL/FEATURES (AND FUTURE RELEASES):** Visit our newly updated **"Teaching Online with Blackboard" Instructor Resource Site!** To access our **"Teaching Online with Blackboard" instructor resource site** within Blackboard, go to the SRSU Faculty Central module on Blackboard landing page and choose the "SRSU Faculty Central - Teaching Online with Blackboard" link from the menu. **In the TOWB course you will find the following resources:**

- **AI Design Assistant for Ultra – Guides & Resources**
- **Faculty and Staff Services** – Sign up for Digital Teaching webinars or access training thru **LinkedIn Learning!**
- **What's New in Ultra** – Ultra new features & tools info and release schedule
- **Bb Ultra Quickstart Guides, Blackboard Original & Ultra Help from A-Z**
- **Webinar Recordings** – In the "Webinar Recordings" folder you'll find the latest recorded Ultra webinars **including all of our new Ultra 5 Pack of digital teaching webinars.**