

OLC INSTITUTIONAL MEMBER Q & A





I have extensive experience in the online learning space. Currently, I am the Director of the Instructional Resource Center and Online Learning for Advanced Academic Programs at Johns Hopkins University where I oversee instructional design of new developments and revised courses, multimedia integration, training, help desk for faculty and students, and policies for online learning.

I have been involved with and have continued to engage with the online community since the inception of OLC. I presented at the 5th Annual International Symposium for Emerging Technologies for Online Learning in Las Vegas. In addition, I have completed both the Mobile Learning and Blended Learning Mastery Series.

Top 5 Reasons JHU Joined OLC:

- 1. Professional development
- 2. Networking
- 3. Collegial atmosphere
- 4. Scholarship
- 5. Leadership opportunities

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What was your organizations reason for becoming an OLC Institutional Member? OLC provides my division with professional development opportunities and an avenue for engagement with other leaders within online learning. Our team is able to obtain "just-in-time" training for key trends in online learning. It is important that our Instructional Designers have a key sense of online teaching and the Online Teaching Certificate provides them with best practices to address the pedagogical needs of faculty. The webinars allow us to hear from other leaders in the online learning field and to learn about other institutions online accomplishments.

What aspect(s) of the OLC Institutional Membership does your organization use most and why? We take advantage of the conference opportunities, workshops and webinars. Also, several have taken part in the leadership opportunities in the OLC Institute to gain insight into leading online.

How has the OLC Institutional Membership helped your organization? OLC has helped my institution to continue the focus of standards and quality in online learning. In addition, we have looked to OLC for networking opportunities with other leaders in online learning.

"OLC membership provides something for everyone at every level and a wealth of resources for success."