

Digital Ed **E-NEWS**



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Welcome to this month's DE-news! We've got some exciting things happening this month. Check them out below.

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Chris Martin Joins Digital Education Team



Chris Martin, currently the director of business managers for the university, will join Digital Education on January 3 as its senior associate director for strategy. In this capacity he will assist director Jon Harbor in implementing the Action Plan for Digital Education. Specifically he will focus on the Purdue for Life initiative for personal and professional development targeted to Purdue alumni and corporate/institutional clientele. He will also bring additional financial acumen to the Digital Education team which will assist in ongoing efforts such as the new \$2M revolving fund to facilitate the development of new online masters degrees.

Board of Trustees Approves Funding for Expanded Digital Education Services



At the December Board of Trustees meeting new resources were approved that will allow Digital Education to deliver better service for the campus' online efforts and for online students.

To ensure that academic integrity is maintained in testing for online courses, the Board approved an online proctoring fee of \$15 per credit hour for all distance education courses

(effective Fall 2017). The Board also approved a \$50 per credit hour fee for online courses in self-supporting online graduate programs. This will allow Digital Education to implement key elements of the Action Plan for Digital Education, including offering or expanding services such as new program development, instructional design, enhanced student recruitment, support, and retention, course and program analytics and assessment, and enhancing the digital education community. This fee will start in Fall 2017 for new students in self-supporting online graduate programs. The trustees expressed enthusiasm for the strategic approach being taken to grow online programs at Purdue.

AP4DE Implementation Plans Are Now Online



With adoption of the Action Plan for Digital Education to guide Purdue's online future, faculty and staff teams have been working to create implementation plans for each major initiative in the plan. These implementation plans are intended to provide detailed recommendations for achieving the goals of the AP4DE. Thus far, the following plans have been submitted: creating college-based digital

education teams; creating a campus-wide digital education community; awards and recognition for digital education activities, and; a framework for Purdue for Life, an online repository for noncredit personal and professional development programs. These implementation plans are now available on the [AP4DE website](#). One additional implementation plan will be completed in the spring term.

Missed Last Month's DE Update?

If you didn't receive November's Digital Education Update, you are not alone! We had a glitch with our distribution list. To get caught up, click [here](#) to see last month's Update

Got News?

If you have brief news items concerning digital education at Purdue, we would be happy to include them in the Update. Please send your suggestions to [Mike Eddy](#).

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