## TEL Digital Practice Award Winners!

The TEL Digital Practice Award gives Sussex teaching staff the opportunity to develop or experiment with new tools, resources or teaching approaches with the potential to inform practice in their School or disciplinary area. These are the winners:

The new Centre for Pharmacy has invested in a life-size, computerised human patient simulator called the SimMan 3G. The aim of the pharmacy project is to design case-based scenarios for SimMan 3G use, using Articulate Storyline 2 software and lecture capture, to create e-learning packages and online assessments to facilitate student learning.

Dr Tanja Staehler's project will attempt to counteract a low National Student Survey result in presenting ideas with confidence by creating a series of interactive educational films on Public Speaking and Presentation Skills for students.

Dr Denise Turner's project will utilise creative digital methods to explore the ethical complexities of professional practice within an expanding digital landscape.

Dr Sabita Menon's project will create a video-based e-learning resource, using Camtasia software, that will help lay the groundwork before students are offered face-to-face Interprofessional Education sessions.

### livescribe. pens now available at TEL

A Livescribe pen uses a camera and a microphone to record what is written and synchronizes the notes with any audio. It creates what is called a 'pen cast'.

The recordings are then stored on the pen and can be imported to Study Direct as a playable pdf file.

If you'd like to try out a Livescribe pen then please email tel@sussex.ac.uk.

## Academic Integrity
**Honesty, Trust, Fairness, Respect, Responsibility**

At the start of this academic year, the Academic Development and Quality Enhancement Office integrated the University of Sussex Academic Integrity values of honesty, trust, fairness, respect and responsibility into the examination and assessment regulations.

To promote these values to students and to explain how they are linked to good academic practice, a series of videos have been produced. These are available through the Academic Integrity Study Direct site. All students were given access to this site at the end of the Autumn Term, and have been encouraged to watch the videos and complete the quizzes – this only takes about 30 minutes. During the Christmas vacation, 1,540 students visited the Academic Integrity Study Direct site; if you have not watched the videos yet, take time to do so in the next few weeks. You can access the Academic Integrity information via Study Direct or the following web address www.sussex.ac.uk/adqe/academicintegrity

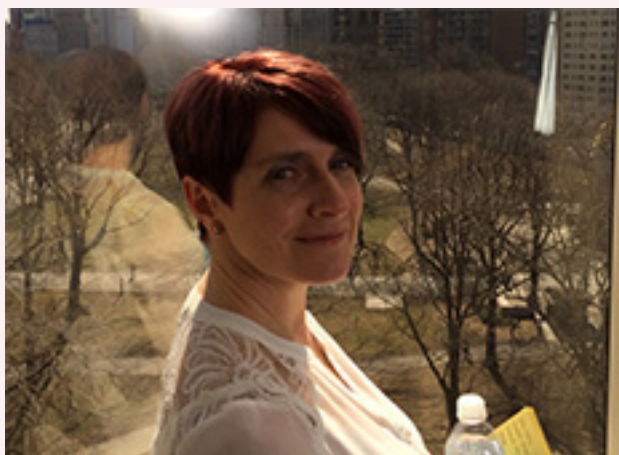The videos and the Study Direct site were produced by Alison Chisholm (SCLS), Pete Sparkes and Summer Dean (TEL).

## TEL Workshops!

Sign up via Sussex Direct or find further information at: www.sussex.ac.uk/tel/workshops

| Workshop | Date | Time |
|---|---|---|
| Designing Engaging and Visual Presentations | 09/03/16 | 12:30-13:30 |
| Introduction to Clickers & ResponseWare | 13/04/16 | 12:30-13:30 |
| Introduction to Poll Everywhere | 18/04/16 | 12:30-13:30 |
| Getting Started with logging | 27/04/16 | 12:00-13:30 |

# TEL Seminar Series

This series invites experts in the field of educational technology to Sussex to discuss and share their research and experience. Topics covered in this series will include the use of technology on campus and the use of social media in teaching and learning.



### Sharon Flynn
One World Week - 16/03/2016
The Meeting House

Sharon Flynn is the Assistant Director at the Centre for Excellence in Learning and Teaching (CELT) at the National University of Ireland, Galway. With a background as an academic in computing science, she has a particular interest in technologies for teaching and learning and leads the Learning Technologies Team at NUI Galway. Sharon also co-ordinates a module on Learning Technologies on the university's PG Diploma in Academic Practice.

In keeping with the "One World" theme, this talk will focus on the university campus as one world with various distinct cultural groups. Does the use of technology on campus help to bridge divides or does it reinforce boundaries? Where campus culture is a barrier to adopting technologies for teaching and learning, is there any evidence such cultures can change? Sharon will share examples of projects and initiatives from her own experience and research to explore aspects of these questions.



### Sue Beckingham
27/04/2016
The Meeting House

Sue Beckingham is a Senior Lecturer in Computing and Educational Developer, taking a Faculty lead for Technology Enhanced Learning (TEL) at Sheffield Hallam University. She is a Fellow of the Higher Education Academy (HEA) and also a Fellow of the Staff and Educational Development Association (SEDA), where she is a member of the Executive Board. Sue is also a course designer and facilitator of the cross institution open online course 'Bring Your Own Device for Learning' and co-lead of the weekly #LTHEchat.

Sue will be joining us on the 27th of April to discuss the role of social media for sharing and exchange of knowledge; and the importance today of having a scholarly professional online presence. Sue will consider our own digital footprint and the use of social media to connect, communicate, curate, collaborate and create (Nerantzi and Beckingham 2014), to exemplify how we can act as role models for our own students or peers.

## E-read all about it!

We celebrated the first full year of our TEL blog by publishing a free Ebook of 'greatest hits'.

2015 was a great year for the TEL blog. The Ebook contains ten articles from our blog to give staff at Sussex ideas for using technology in their teaching.

If you would like to download a copy for yourself, please visit http://bit.ly/ebooktel where you can download an EPUB or PDF version.

Are you following our blog? We cover all the best of learning technology in higher education every Tuesday.

Keep an eye out for the TEL student edition. We hope to publish our best student-focussed TEL blog posts in a free student edition for 2016.

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