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Online Professional Learning Review Workshop

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Workshop aims

1. Critique a range of online Professional Learning courses/resources for Learning and Teaching in higher education by criteria including:

- access
- duration
- affordability/cost
- content and
- quality.

2. Contribute to a new consolidated CAULLT resource – *reviews of online professional learning courses/resources*

Time to think



In your table groups discuss the following 5 statements:

Statement	I agree	Not sure	I disagree
1. To improve teaching quality, professional learning should primarily focus on early career academics			
2. Accredited professional development programmes help to raise the profile of teaching compared to non-accredited			
3. Professional learning offerings should always be sustainable at scale			
4. Sessional staff are limited in how creative they can be as teachers			
5. Academics with teaching roles should be required to undertake a minimum number of CPD hours per annum			

Review of professional learning courses/resources

Ensure that in your group you have at least 2 devices to access the:

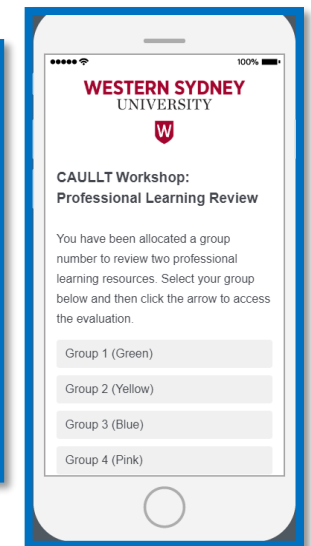
1. online courses/resources
2. review template (Qualtrics survey)
3. Access the survey from your email inbox from CAULLT Secretariat or type in <https://tinyurl.com/y25nlg2>



Each table group has been allocated **two** resources to review.

The criteria for the review are:

- Evidence-based content
- Flexible structure
- Engaging design (staff are likely to use it)
- Affordable & accessible professional learning
- Would you recommend this resource to your staff?



Upload your two reviews by clicking on the survey link and selecting your group.

Report on online professional learning course/resources



Round robin

Report back on the review of your group's allocated courses/resources

Reflect on professional learning courses/resources



Reflective prompts

1. Are there any courses/resources that you would approve as replacements to your existing foundations programs?
2. What happens if the courses/resources disappear?
3. What other courses/resources exist that have not been discussed today?
4. How could CAULLT support universities to share & benchmark online professional learning courses/resources to assist in maintaining high standards?

Thank you

- Please send us new online courses/resources to review
- Please take back to your teams (share link) and ask them to do a group review on the other ones (Green, pink, grey etc..)