Reading the Tea Leaves: Using Learning Analytics to better Student Outcomes.

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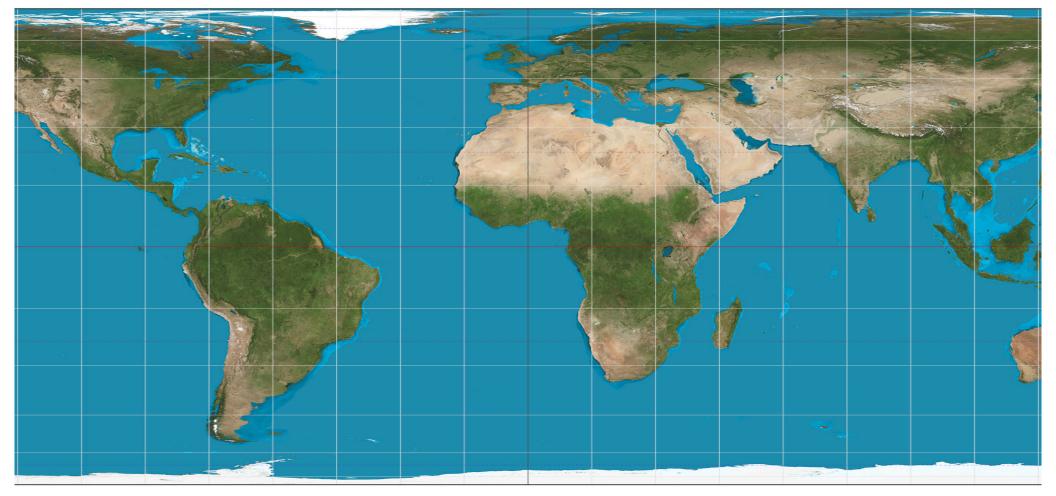
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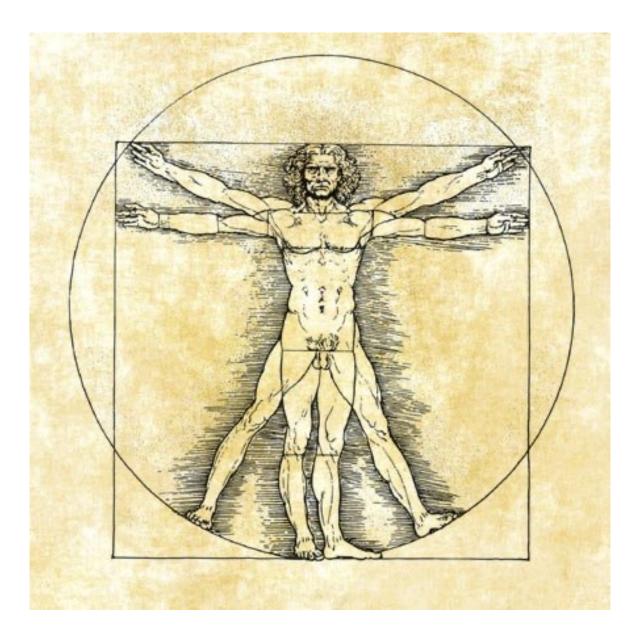
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What My Day-to-Day Looks Like.



The MHCDS program: L&T + Quant Courses



Operational Development of ITC Online Project Portfolio: Coursera, ExecOnline, other 3rd Party Vendors, and Internal Partners & Clients.



Systems & Processes for ITC.



Educational Technology Support and faculty/student assistance.

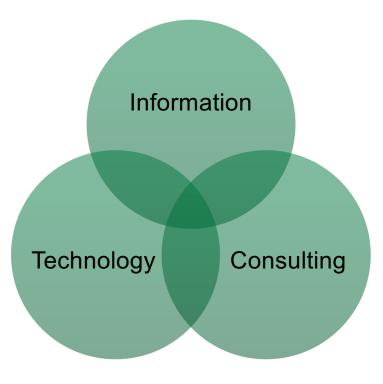


Data analysis and visualization, tool development, research.



Other projects as required.

So, what am I talking about?



Problem definition: What is the research and operational objective?



Research: To determine the efficacy of an asynchronous course in engaging students, improving their immediate journey, and their future engagement.



Operationally: Construct and execute replicable and standardized system of analysis and reporting, used to better student learning outcomes.



To leverage both above in generating and engaging in learning and educational design pathways at Dartmouth.

The Environment



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Method:

	Identify and Formulate	Identify and formulate key research & operational questions.								
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	Investigate and Evaluate	Investigate and evaluate what data can be provided by the LMS.								
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	Extract	Extract the data (using multimodal methods), and then analyse it for pertinent information to assist solving objective questions.								
\langle	Balance, Bound, and Benchmark	alance, bound, and benchmark the LMS analytics data with other learner and teacher derived data sets for error detection.								
	Design and Construct	Design and construct a canvas toolkit to automate the data extraction and analysis process.								
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	Compose and Implement	Compose a replicable and systemized product that can address this approach on scale.								
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	Facilitate and Engage	Facilitate and engage with faculty on campus to better student learning outcomes.								

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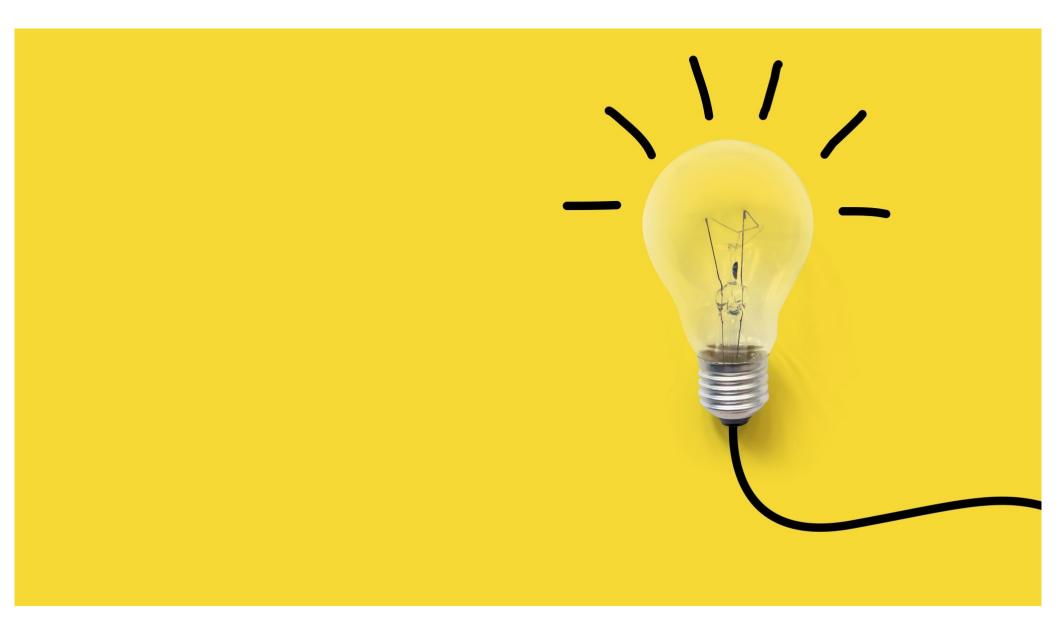


An example of the Driving Questions:

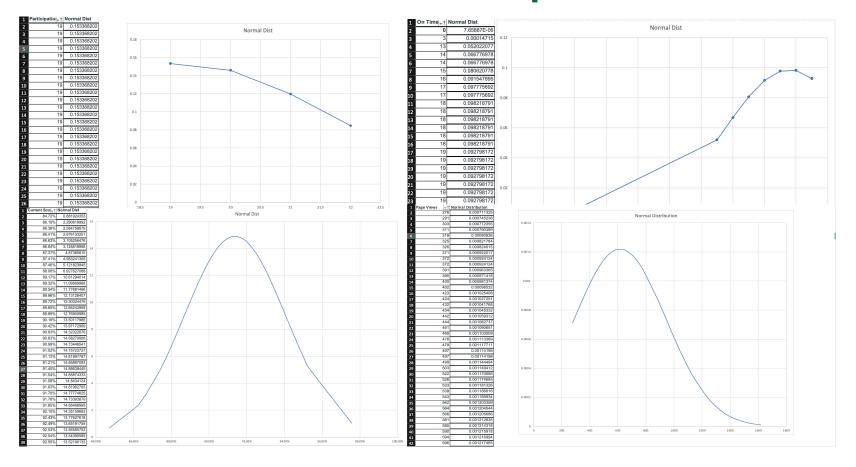
- Q1. How did this asynchronous, online course work for students in terms of processes and outcomes?
- Q2. How did this course work for the teaching team?
- Q3. How could the course be improved to better meet its objectives?
- Q4. How could the course better prepare students for success in subsequent courses?
- Q5. Does this course identify students who could benefit from early and ongoing support during subsequent courses?

Challenges, Successes & Surprises

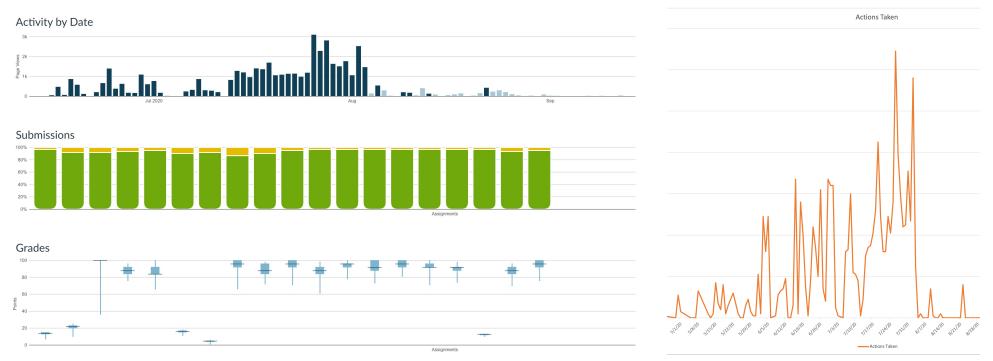




The Usual Suspects



Workload Variance and Redistribution



Course Access Pathways and the Stories They Tell

Content Access Analytics

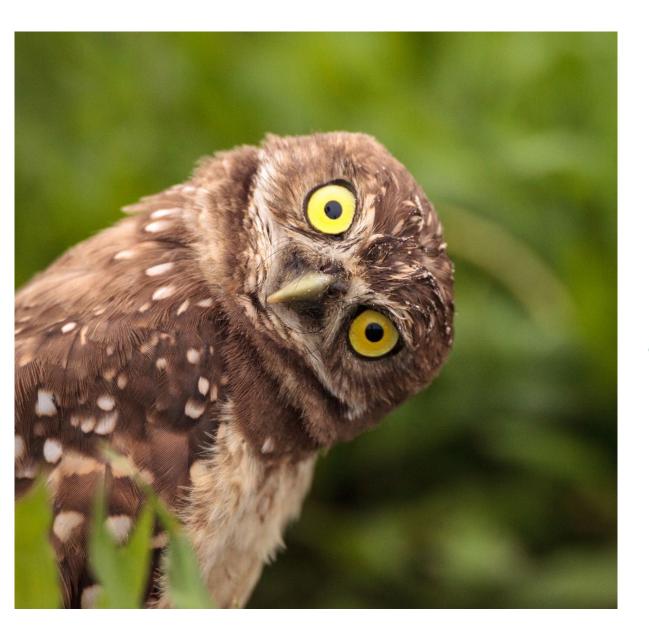
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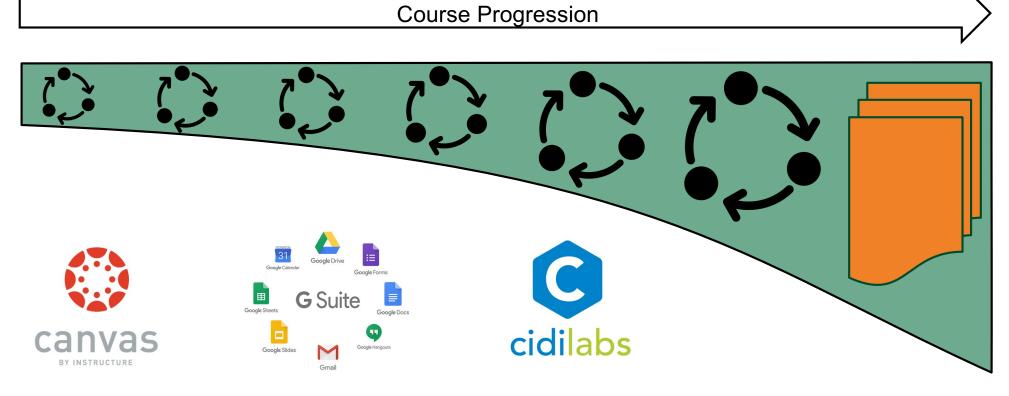
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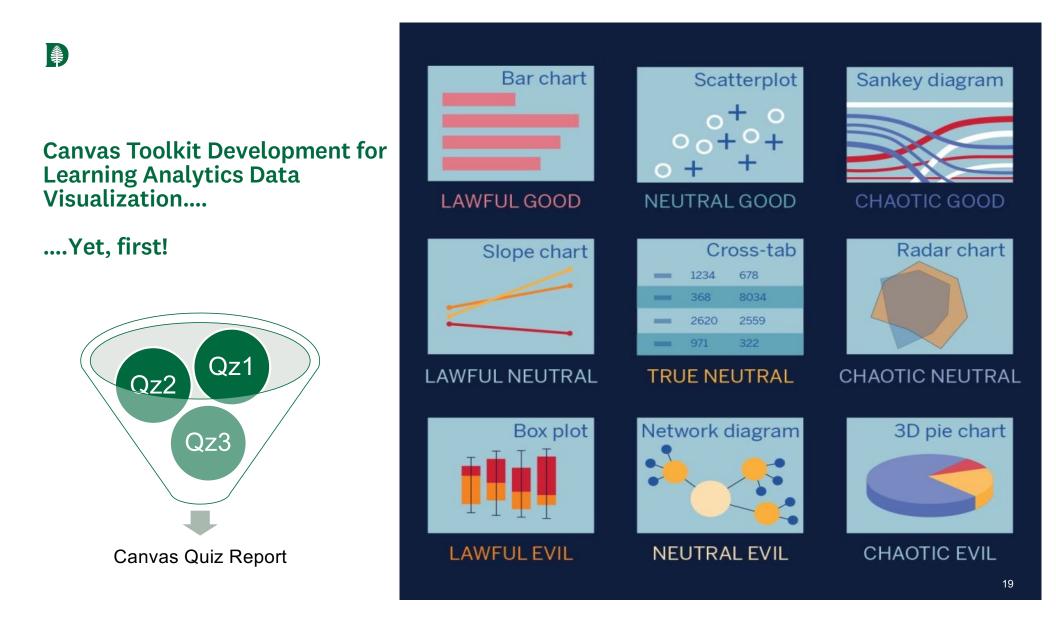
Indicators of possible trouble spots...

Feedback Ecosystems



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Next Steps!

Implementation of Research Outcomes in PH110



Canvas Toolkit Development

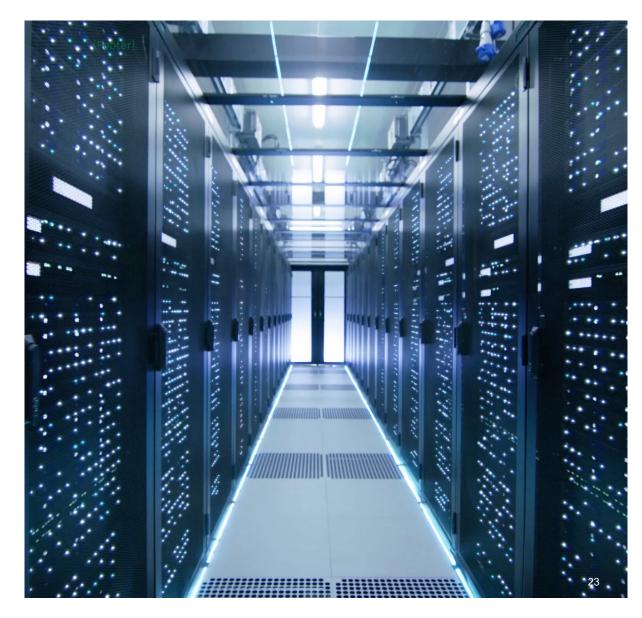
Product SOW Creation

Expansion of Pilot Programs

Collaboration between Library Data Visualization and ITC (OLI), Research Computing.



The big picture: information is powerful





Questions?

P.S Let's Collaborate!