***<insert name here>*** has applied to be an Online Teaching Fellow in the Reinert Center during the 2020-21 academic year.

**Fellowship Information**:

Online Teaching Fellows will serve as an important enhancement to the Reinert Center’s ability to support faculty teaching online and/or preparing to move to remote learning mid-semester. Fellows are appointed for 11 months and are expected to:

* conduct one-on-one consultations with faculty in their school/college as well as across the university to answer questions and provide mentorship in the area of teaching online.
* co-facilitate and/or participate in at least one “brown bag” discussion per semester on a topic relevant for teaching online for the benefit of groups of faculty.

Online Teaching Fellows receive a stipend or professional development funds of $1,500 (disbursed at $750 per semester). Other benefits include:

* Opportunity to enhance pedagogical support for educators at SLU
* Experience working in a formal educational development capacity
* Being recognized as an expert on evidence-based online teaching practices
* Opportunity to enhance the online teaching community at SLU
* Recognition as a Reinert Center Online Teaching Fellow

To learn more about the Online Teaching Fellowship, contact Dr. Gina Merys, Acting Director in the Center, at [gina.merys@slu.edu](mailto:gina.merys@slu.edu).

**Statement of Departmental Support:**

I support this application. I understand that there is no course release associated with this Fellowship, that Fellowship duties are not expected to alter regular teaching schedules, and that Online Teaching Fellows receive a stipend in support of their development and time commitment. Furthermore, if the applicant is an adjunct faculty member, I confirm that I anticipate that the individual will be appointed to teach a full-time equivalent teaching load for the full fellowship period. *Note: this confirmation is not binding for employment.*

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**Signed forms must be submitted to Mary Cook in the Reinert Center, no later than 5:00 p.m. on Monday, June 1, 2020. Completed forms may be emailed to** [mary.cook@slu.edu](mailto:mary.cook@slu.edu)**.**