

Reflections after Cohort 4 portfolio presentations

My strengths are in understanding the main differences between various design types and when would you use them. I would be able to define educational technology and how it applies to my field. I would be able to tackle Communities of Practice questions.

The statistical questions about p-test and q-test would be difficult to answer now, but I am looking forward to reviewing it during Statistics course.

My website certainly needs improvement in following up during or after each semester. I need to participate more in outside venues and get out of my comfort zone. I need to submit more proposals to present at conferences and workshops.

My plan of action for improving my weaknesses includes

- 1) Follow –up with uploading projects during/after each course, as it happens (timeline: each semester)
- 2) Be more open-minded (and more brave!) about submitting to present at a conference or workshop. One of the upcoming opportunities includes annual Beacon conference (timeline: the submission for proposals opens up during Fall semester)
- 3) The timeline for the portfolio defense preparation includes the entire 2nd year, with more specific focus before the next year's summer institute