UNIVERSITY of ST. AUGUSTINE for HEALTH SCIENCES

Teaching, Learning and Innovation

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Dear University of St. Augustine for Health Sciences Speech-Language Pathology (SLP) Students,

Starting **May 6, 2022**, when you log into your 2022 Summer Term courses, you will notice a new course experience called **Blackboard Ultra**. You will see a sleek, modern look and feel, and will save time with simpler and streamlined workflows that make it easier to access important information.

USAHS is moving to Blackboard Ultra (Ultra) in phases. SLP courses will migrate this summer, with the rest of the University programs transitioning for the 2022 Fall Term.

Watch this brief video to see what the new Ultra experience will look like.

Where can I find more information?

iLEARN, the University's new student hub for learning and professional development, is presenting **What's Next: Blackboard Ultra Preview** sessions during the next few weeks. Students are strongly encouraged to attend one of these sessions. A recording will be made available on the iLEARN site.

- Thursday, March 31 at 3 pm Eastern / 2 pm Central / 12 pm Pacific
- Monday, April 4 at 8 pm Eastern / 7 pm Central / 5 pm Pacific
- Wednesday, April 13 at 4 pm Eastern / 3 pm Central / 1 pm Pacific

Additionally, the **Blackboard Ultra Base Navigation Student Guide is attached** for your reference. If you're interested in learning more, here are a few useful websites we encourage you to bookmark:

- Blackboard Ultra Help and Resources
- Watch brief tutorials on the Blackboard Ultra YouTube Channel

If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to teamultra@usa.edu, or visit help.usa.edu.

Sincerely,

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