

LEARNING ENVIRONMENTS NEWSLETTER

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UPDATES

NEW FEATURES

In the Rich Content Editor, accessibility issues are now displayed via an indicator over the Accessibility Checker icon. Look for the dot in the lower right-hand corner to help you fix accessibility issues in your course.

REMINDERS

First Fridays: This once-a-month event features instructor successes and is a place for anyone who is teaching to ask questions, give feedback, share success stories, and get advice. **This Friday we will be talking about best practices for using video in your courses.**

Partial recordings of these sessions are available on the [Digital Teaching and Learning Blog](#). Visit our [Training Center](#) to view the calendar and register.

More workshops are coming in February. Visit our [Training Center](#) to view the calendar and register.

TIPS AND TRICKS

CANVAS

If you accidentally delete something in a course, you may be able to recover it using the undelete function. Find out how at [Undeleting things in Canvas](#).

ACCESSIBILITY

Digital Accessibility at Rice has organized workshops into **four main tracks** based on different roles including [web content](#), [documents](#), [communications](#), and [teaching](#). They also have [Accessibility Office Hours](#) each Friday at 11 AM. Visit the [Access @ Rice blog](#) for more information.

KALTURA

Canvas instructors can view analytics for their students and videos. Go to Media Gallery > Channel Actions icon (in the upper-right) > Analytics. Then, at the bottom of the "Category Performance Over Time" chart, click "View Details". Then you can select "Users" or "Entries," from the dropdown menu to view the analytics. Note: these may not be 100% accurate, so don't use these data for grading purposes.

ZOOM

You can [set a virtual seating chart](#) in your zoom meetings and then [save a custom Gallery View order](#) so that student videos always show up in the same order.

SUPPORT

- 24/7 for Canvas using Canvas Support (last button on Global Navigation Bar in Canvas)
- See the [Training Center](#) for Tech Tools workshops, coffee hours, or to sign up for one-on-one training
- Email teaching@rice.edu for general help