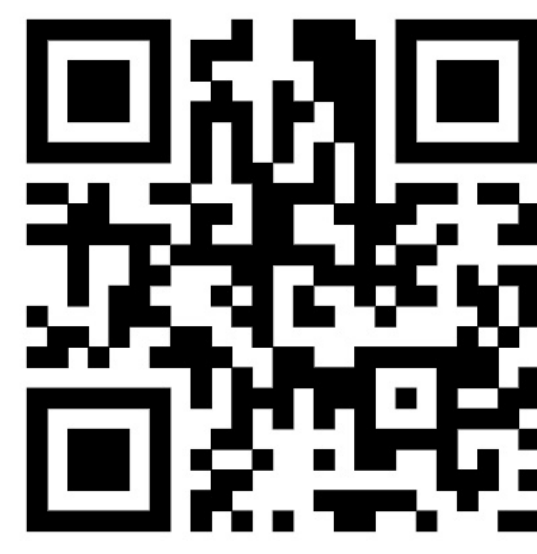# Crown Center for Teaching

Block 4 Newsletter - Artificial Intelligence

What is Crown?

The Crown Center cultivates a collaborative community where students, faculty, and staff co-create innovative, inclusive, and equitable educational experiences. We partner with departments and programs across the college to support educational development and continual conversation about teaching and learning at CC.

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Article: Students Outrunning Faculty in AI Use

"Nearly half of college students are using AI tools this fall, but fewer than a quarter (22 percent) of faculty members use them, the report from Tyton Partners finds. On AI, 'students seem to be more curious about it than instructors, and those using it daily are using it in and out of schools; that made us think it might be ubiquitous moving forward,' said Cathy Shaw, a director at Tyton. 'The differential between student use and instructor use will be one to watch.'"

A Statement on AI from Crown

"Few at CC can claim to be experts on AI. But we are all explorers of AI. Explorers with expertise in a broad range of disciplines, methodologies, pedagogies, and perspectives that help us connect the dots to between the applications, questions, concerns, and opportunities that accompany AI. The dots will continue to emerge and be arranged and rearranged. But that is also the inherent nature of liberal arts learning. Contexts shift. We seek to understand through critical inquiry. Together, as always, we can design the preferred future that we want to have."

Professor Ryan Raul Bañagale
Interim Director of The Crown Center
(view the full statement on the Crown website)

How do you use AI?

Students, Faculty, & Staff: Scan this QR Code to let us know anonymously
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Block 4 Crown Conversations on AI

An Intro to Generative AI -- Thursday, December 7 @ 12:15 PM -- South Hall Commons
Join hosts Blake Jackson and Ben Nye (Computer Science) for a primer on the history of AI, dispelling common myths, and an in-depth look into Large Language Models (LLMs) like ChatGPT. Don't miss this opportunity to understand the capabilities and applications of these tools!

The Ethics of ChatGPT -- Thursday, December 14 @ 12:15pm -- South Hall Commons
Join Helen Daly (Philosophy), Cory Scott (CS), Leland Tabards (REMS), and Elliot Triplett for a discussion on how tools such as ChatGPT are inherently biased, what that means for our use of it, and the essential ethical considerations In line with our college's values.

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