

acaSTEMy TEACHER ACADEMY

Work Package 3

D3.1 Syllabus and training materials for the 'training the trainers' workshop

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Introduction

This deliverable reports the two main training events of acaSTEMy-project, namely the Train The Trainers (TTT). These two workshops were held 2.12.2024 and 29.1.2025, both as online training through zoom meeting. TTT call and recruitment was published via project partners and their intra for STEM education teacher educators and researchers. TTT was arranged open access to all interested on the topic. The overall goal was to share expertise and experiences on digital technologies in education and teacher training.

Workshop design and arrangements

TTT arrangements were conducted mainly by the leading beneficiary (UEF). The work for Train the Trainers planning was postponed due to pushback of Task 2.1. and 3.1. and therefore, not enough information was available from the survey to finalize the plans of TTT before Summer 2024 in time for Autumn 2024 implementation. However, the work for TTT planning was ongoing process, and once the synthesis from the Tasks 2.1. and 3.1. was available, the syllabus of the first workshop was discussed during the consortium meeting in Split (October 2024) and a design workshop was held where the partners discussed the following themes and needs for Train The Trainer development:

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- What could be the key skills to learn in the TTT sessions?
- What could be the best approach for going through the themes in TTT?
- How would the teachers in your country be interested to participate and learn?
- How to implement different parts of TTT?
- Do we need more knowledge or practice utilizing the learning environments to their full potential?
- Think about how we can integrate the skills/methods/tools to practice.

Applications or tools to be included:

- What kind of problems there are in the STEM subject?
- How would you tackle these problems with a digital application / tool?

E-Assessment and E-Testing

- What are the ways of E-Assessment and E-Testing you have used so far?
- What are the benefits?
- What kind of new E-Assessment methods would you like to learn?





As the result of these discussion, the UEF team proposed a framework for the Train the Trainers (Figure 1). This framework was then agreed across the consortium. The framework guided the following design work of the TTT syllabus and workshop details.



Figure 1. Train the Trainers framework.

Instead of autumn 2024 implementation, the first TTT workshop was agreed to be held in 2.12.2024 instead. This postpone turned to be a good choice as the teacher education staff members had much more time to participate on intensive training in the end of semester instead of start of semester.

For the first workshop interesting keynote speakers were invited from the known expertise pool of digitalization. Fortunately, Dr. Vesa Paajanen agreed to speak about his expertise area of learning analytics in learning management systems, Taina Rytkönen-Suontausta presented peer assessment tools and Andreas Fischer, from one of our Associated Partners ThingLink gave us a tour of their immersive learning tool. Revised, final programme (see Annex 1) was agreed few weeks before the workshop by all partners.

The Arrangements for the next workshop started right after the first workshop was finished. All the participants answered a timing survey and the best overall date was set to 29.1.2025. In addition, all the participants in the first TTT was asked for feedback and suggestions of what could be the syllabus of the second TTT. Few suggestions about AI in education, and more hands-on time for e-learning module development were raised. The finalized programme of the second TTT workshop (see Annex 3) was agreed and sent to the partners to share the information with relevant audience and participants.

Target audience

TTT was planned to keep in mind that the participants already have some knowledge and competence on teaching and learning in digital environment. However, the target audience was much wider, considering all





the STEM teacher education staff, including teachers and researchers in all the partner universities and their networks.

1st workshop participants

37 participants were from all the partner countries. Females 22 and males 15. Most of the participants were STEM teacher education staff members or researchers.

2nd workshop participants

26 Participants were from all the partner countries. Females 16 and males 10. Most of the participants were STEM teacher education staff members or researchers.

Workshop syllabi and details

This section provides and overview of the two Train the Trainer online workshop syllabi, focusing on the Aims, Objectives, Activities and Reflection (Table 1 and Table 2).

As a pre-assignment before the first workshop, participants were invited to join the acaSTEMy Train the Trainers test environment <u>https://stem-digimanual/ttt</u> where all the materials of the training will be shared. This environment is open access for guest users to learn about digital tools and resources for teacher education.

1st workshop 2.12.2024

Table 1. Overview of TTT 1 workshop syllabus

Aim	Objectives	Activity/ tasks / assignment	Reflection / Feedback
Introduce the acaSTEMy test environment	 To introduce the acaSTEMy test environment and digicampus.fi Moodle. 	Pre-assignment: Log in to digicampus.fi Moodle environment and acaSTEMy test platform. Get to know different activities in there.	Participants were provided possibility to ask question on implementing tools provided in the platform after the TTT session.
Introduce Learning analytics as part of digital learning	 To develop awareness of different learning analytics theoretical framework Identify different methods and logging of Moodle learning analytics 	Keynote and practical examples by Dr. Vesa Paajanen (UEF)	Questions and comments from the audience.
Introduce peer assessment as part of digital learning	 To introduce workshop activity in Moodle To apply workshop activity as asynchronous peer assessment as part of 	Keynote and practical examples by Taina Rytkönen-Suontausta (UEF)	Questions and comments from the audience. Clarifications of the requirements and barriers of using the workshop tool in asynchronous study units were identified.





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	modules and learning units in the project		
Introduce ThingLink immersive digital learning tools	 To identify the needs of immersive presenting tool attributes for the project To apply AI scenario building tool for STEM teacher education practices 	Keynote and practical examples by Andreas Fischer (ThingLink)	Questions and comments from the audience. Discussion about the diagnostics assessment and learning analytics possibilities. In addition, tips for embedding and linking with Moodle were provided after questions.
Walkthrough of the acaSTEMy test environment	 To introduce the test environment To provide participants with practical tools 	Presentation of the environment by Jori Manner (UEF)	The platform was found clear, with no more comments at this stage.
Co-development of modules	 To understand the sustainability and accessibility of the modules under development. To share knowledge and practices across consortium 	Working in Groups: module co-development towards sustainable micro- credentials	Partners expressed that more time for collaboration is needed.
Introduce current draft of e-manual	 Get perspectives from the partners about the e-manual development. 	The current draft of the e- manual was described and presented by Justus Kinnunen (UEF)	No feedback or comments at this stage.

Between the workshops, partners had an opportunity to ask questions about what the current barriers and challenges for digital learning implementations are. In addition, they had two mid-assignments between the workshops: 1. Discuss the e-manual draft and provide key points of what resources and pedagogical approaches the e-manual should cover, and what structural suggestions for e-manual they would like to propose. The first assignment is reported in D3.2 (e-manual). 2. Create a draft of their first MCC learning unit (Task 4.5): transversal, digitalization, diversity & inclusion, green deal, health & medicine. Partners presented their best practices for their first drafts of MCC learning units in different ways. For example, the digitalization learning unit was presented in a flowchart form, describing the overall learning unit structure (Figure 2) and the Diversity and Inclusion learning unit was structured in the Moodle environment with different activities already developed and visible (Figures 3-5).







Figure 2. Overall flowchart structure of digitalization learning unit planned between the TTT workshops (UEF).





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Awareness and Sensitization to Diversity and Inclusion in STEM



Objectives:

- Understand the significance of diversity and inclusion in STEM.
- · Identify barriers and challenges faced by underrepresented groups.

Content:

- 1. Theoretical Foundation
 - · Introduction to key diversity and inclusion concepts (videos, articles, case studies).
 - · Analysis of current statistics on diversity in STEM.

2. Reflection Activity

· Discussion prompt: "Why is diversity essential in STEM?".

3. Case Studies

Vignetts, Examples of barriers and successful diversity and inclusion initiatives in STEM education.

ASSIGNMENT 1. Let's get started 🖋		View Make a submission	I
Please take 5 five minutes for yourse tences.	elf, to reflect about your understanding of Diversity, Equity and I	Inclusion and note it down in a few sen	
ent dimensions of diversity. Here an Did you include all these dimensions Had the visibility of the dimensions. Had your understanding of inclusion	a some questions that could support your reflection: ? an influence on the dimensions you considered? an influence?		
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Figure 3. Draft of the introduction to learning unit of Diversity and Inclusion (LMU)





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✓ Exploring Diagnostic Tools for Diversity and Inclusion



ASSIGNMENT 1. Diagnosing in STEM Lessons 🖋	Make a submission
Familiarize yourself with the various diagnostic tools in the Prezi environment.	
Create notes for yourself (please do not copy and paste from the Prezi, but make your own notes) about different in STEM lessons and upload it here.	possibilities of diagnostic
● Not available unless: The activity 5. What is an inclusive classroom? is marked complete	
ASSIGNMENT 2. Working on a real-world scenario 🖋	Mark as done
Review and analysis of sample data from STEM educational settings. (Practice exercises using real-world scen ple datasets.)	narios, vignetts and sam-
Describe the reason for this situation/misunderstanding in the lesson.	
Not available unless: The activity 1. Diagnosing in STEM Lessons is marked complete	
ASSIGNMENT 3. Conducting a Self-Reflection on Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion <i>I</i>	Make a submission
Instructions:	
1. Analyze Your Self-Perception:	
Write down your spontaneous understanding of the terms "Diversity," "Equity," and "Inclusion." Reflect: In what situations have you consciously considered these values? Where could you be more int Reflect on Personal Experiences:	entional?
 Describe a situation from your professional or personal life where you encountered diversity (e.g., cultu diversity). 	ıral, social, or gender
 Analyze how you responded in this situation and whether your behavior was inclusive and respectful. Identify Personal Biases: 	
 Think about whether you've ever made assumptions about people based on their background, gender, a characteristics. 	bilities, or other
 Write down these assumptions, reflect on where they may come from, and consider how they might inf Identify Areas for Improvement: 	luence your actions.
 Note three specific steps you can take to act more inclusively and mindfully in the future. 5. Develop a Vision for the Future: 	
 Set a personal goal for how you want to integrate diversity and inclusion principles into your daily life m Submission: 	ore effectively.
Write a summary (approximately 1-2 pages) of your insights and goals from the reflection. Submit this document	in the required format.
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Figure 4. Draft of the assignments in the learning unit of Diversity and Inclusion (LMU)





✓ Implementing Diversity and Inclusion Strategies in STEM Education	I
ASSIGNMENT 1. Developing Inclusive Practices Make a sub	mission
Please watch the video and review the overview image, then answer what you think about UDL in relation to schools.	
OPEN FORUM 2. Practical Application (Scenario-based assignments) 🖋	i
Post re	plies: 1
 Create an action plan for inclusive STEM teaching. Submit and receive peer feedback in an online forum. 	

Figure 6. Example of approaching theory-practice gap in the learning unit of Diversity and Inclusion (LMU)





2nd workshop 29.1.2025

Table 1. Overview of TTT 2 workshop syllabus

Aim	Objectives	Activity/ tasks /	Reflection / Feedback
		assignment	
Introduce latest advancements of AI in education	 To develop awareness of different AI approaches in digital learning To understand what the challenges, barriers and possibilities of AI are To apply latest AI tools for acaSTEMy teaching-learning 	Keynote and practical examples by Prof. Teemu Valtonen (UEF)	Questions and comments from the audience. Participants provided at least 3 new AI tools for the pool of technologies.
Introduce acaSTEMy MCC structure in Moodle	 Briefly introduce project staff how the MCCs and learning units could be utilized in Moodle 	Subcourse tool presented and the overall structure explained and demonstrated by Dr. Anssi Salonen (UEF)	No questions or comments on structure. Project coordinator (UT) proposed that the overall structure needs to be once more explained in separate meeting for everyone.
Implementations of learning unit online materials	 To share knowledge and best practices across consortium 	Short presentations on asynchronous implementations of learning unit online materials by each learning unit leaders and teams (UEF, UT, LMU ELTE, IE-Ulisboa)	Teams presented the implementations in various ways. Some showed the structure as flowchart, some illustrated the overall structure and some concentrated on single activities or content of their units.
Learning unit development towards sustainable micro- credentials	 To understand the sustainability and accessibility of the modules under development. To develop further asynchronous, assessment, and interaction activities of the acaSTEMy Micro-credentials. 	Working in groups, sharing best practices across learning units. Getting to know other learning unit practices. Co-developing the learning units further.	Each learning unit teams represented some new insight that they just learned during this TTT workshop. Most of the participants expressed that it is important to see how others have created their units and see the actual practical activities in Moodle environment. Teams were in different phases of the development. Thus, creating a flowchart of the units were considered important





Workshop Outcomes and follow-up

Participants in the Train the Trainers program were introduced to a centralized platform that integrated various digital tools through pre-assignments, keynote presentations, and group work activities. The platform was well-received, with participants appreciated the practical tools provided.

The keynote presentations gathered positive feedback, being described as both useful and relevant to current educational practices. The introduction of AI tools and immersive learning technologies offered valuable insights, broadening participants' understanding of innovative teaching methods. Peer-to-peer sharing and team presentations further highlighted creative approaches to teaching and learning, while the interactive workshops fostered active participation and meaningful knowledge exchange.

Participants gained hands-on experience using different digital tools. During these activities, challenges and barriers related to asynchronous peer assessment were identified, particularly around the need for clear criteria and rubrics. The sessions also emphasized Al's potential in education and the importance of developing sustainable, accessible learning modules. Sharing diverse implementation methods across teams provided valuable perspectives on structuring effective learning units.

Feedback indicated a strong desire for more time dedicated to collaboration during module and learning unit development. Participants expressed the need for guidance on the use of specific digital tools. Additionally, further clarification of the overall structure of the Micro-Credentials (MCCs) was requested. To address this, participants suggested creating a flowchart to visualize the development process of learning units. The opportunity to ask questions and engage in discussions was highly appreciated. These insights and suggestions will be considered in planning the next steps.

acaSTEMy test and share Moodle-environment

For the Train the Trainers a Moodle environment was created to learn, share, test and reflect different digital learning activities. This <u>https://stem-digimanual/ttt</u> platform is now open for all guests to join. The platform (Figure 6) will serve as learning platform, but also as a testing environment for the project partners.





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✓ Interactivity		
Forum tool Example: Introduction forum		
Assignment example: Discussion: Assessing	Assessment traine Learning Analytics Embedded Material Interactivity E-Manual	Inkscape

Figure 6. acaSTEMy Train the Trainers learn, test and share platform.

Slides and video-recordings

TTT 1 keynote speaker Dr. Vesa Paajanen slides are provided in Annex 2. The second and third keynotes did not have any slides to provide, but they shared their screens during the zoom meeting to provide much more practical perspective on their topic. The video recording of the TTT1 can be found open-access on acaSTEMy YouTube-channel and straight link to the video is here: <u>https://youtu.be/IXs-OsVYY2I</u>

TTT 2 keynote speaker Prof. Teemu Valtonen slides are provided in Annex 4. The video recording of the TTT2 can be found open-access on acaSTEMy YouTube-channel and straight link to the video is here: https://youtu.be/6tAlUR_GhH8

Follow-up and helpdesk-hours

The Train the Trainers sessions marked an important step in equipping participants with the foundational knowledge and tools necessary for developing high-quality teaching-learning modules (Task 4.1) and microcredential learning units (Task 4.3-4.4). The interactive nature of the sessions fostered collaboration and introduced innovative approaches to digital education. However, we recognize that short training sessions alone are not sufficient for comprehensive mastery of the tools and concepts introduced.

To address this, we will be offering bi-weekly 30-minute help desk sessions to provide continuous support. These sessions will serve as a platform for participants to ask questions, troubleshoot challenges, and receive guidance on module and learning unit development. This ongoing support aims to bridge any gaps





left by the initial training and ensure participants have the resources they need to apply their knowledge effectively.

This aims to give practical support while ensuring that participants can confidently apply what they've learned. By fostering a continuous learning environment, we aim to facilitate the successful development of robust, accessible, and sustainable learning units.





Annex 1. Programme of the first TTT workshop

TTT WORKSHOP AGENDA

Location:	Zoom https://uef.zoom.us/j/67301692094?pwd=43WwIE2KbHyW60cqruy8M1bJazkb2y.1
Date:	2.12.2024
Time:	14.30–17.00 (GMT +2)
Participants	Science education and Teacher Education staff who are involved in module and micro-credential development

PRE-ASSIGNMENT FOR THE TTT WORKSHOP

Sign (and create account) to Digicampus and access the Moodle platform with following links:

Digicampus login page (https://digicampus.fi/login/index.php)

Moodle page (https://digicampus.fi/course/view.php?id=5782)

SCHEDULE

14.30–14.35	Start of the Workshop
14.35-15.00	Learning Analytics - Vesa Paajanen
	Presentation and discussion on the benefits and practices of learning analytics in teaching
15.00-15.25	Peer Assesment - Taina Rytkönen-Suontausta
	Practical introduction to the Moodle workshop activity
15.25–15.50	ThingLink Scenario tool - Andreas Fischer
15.50–16.10	Walkthrough of the Moodle testing environment (DigiCampus)
16.10–16.20	Module Working Groups: group leaders present the current Module implementation plans for participants (co-developers)
16.20–16.50	Module Working Groups: module development towards sustainable micro- credentials
16.50-17.00	E-Manual Presentation and Session Wrap-Up





Annex 2. Keynote slides of the First TTT workshop



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- Train the trainers -workshop

Vesa Paajanen, UNIVERSITY OF EASTERN FINLAND, 2.12.2024

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How can we find and help the students with challengers?

Problem	
No course progress	Can student find the course platform and assigments? Is student willing to study the course?
Slow course progress	Is student too busy for the schedule? Is student doing too much work for assignments? Is the timetable of the course easy to find?
Low scores	Has students misunderstood the assignment? Is the importance of assignments clearly described in the LMS? Does student have access into assignments scores / feedback / model answers

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What is learning analytics?

"the measurement, collection, analysis and reporting of data about learners and their contexts, for purposes of understanding and optimizing learning and the environments in which it occurs"

SOLAR 2011 Call for papers of the 1st international conference on Learning Analytics & Knowledge

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Steps of learning analytics



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Mougiakou et al 2023 Learning Analytics. In: Educational Data Analytics for Teachers and School Leaders. Advances in Analytics for Learning and Teaching. Springer, Cham.

Learning analytics is a cyclic process







Reasons to use Learning analytics on the course level



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Data & measurement Moodle offers raw and ready-made analytics for teachers: Log files (far from user friendly) Reports Completion tracking Remember, that some parameters outside Moodle use could also be useful

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Reliable data

Criterion	Meaning	Challenges
Completeness	No gaps in the information	Are several students using the same ID
Consistency	Information can be combined	Can we get the date in the same format
Accuracy	Information is right and describe what it should demonstrate.	Has student rewatched video to learn more or because of network problems?
Timelines	Information available on the right time	Total activity is not available before the course ends.
Validity	Data can be justified well and it describe the reality	How to check the errors of the data?
Uniqueness	Information does not have duplicates	When student log in in LMS and start activity, Log file wil have 2 lines of information.

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Activity distribution: problems with warning messages - Activity distribution gives a lis



- Activity distribution gives a list of student who have not used Moodle within the last week.
- This list was compared with students below 50 % average activity.
- Low activity has a steady number of students whereas list of students at risk of dropout had almost every students during several weeks.
- Periodical activity is common in this master level course.







How to detect the students dropping out?



- Moodle can send teacher a list of students not used the LMS within last month.
- The number of students in this "students at risk" is drastically smaller than in lists of low-activity or "off-line for one week"
- Even worse, it contain students who has been active earlier during the semester.
- Therefore, teacher actions are needed not only to send the messages but also evaluate the activity of each students.

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Activity distribution: Validity problem



- Activity distribution calculate on how many days student has used the LMS.
- In some measurements, active days has negative value, which is naturally impossible.
- Therefore, Moodle calculations give guiding and approximate information, but it is not a valid method for all purposes.





All LMS activity: Accuracy problem



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- In spring 2023 I followed activity of 68 students weekly with activity distribution.
- Activity distribution give information on all LMS activity (Hits), Opened material and active days
- Activity in individual course elements was measured with course participation and used for sum to calculate use of all material
- Moodle calculations differentiated between ways of measurements







Case:

Learning analysis on 1st year bioscience studies:

- LMS log data
- Static data (sex, study years, study focus, campus)
- Participation on interactive elements of the course
- Learning outcome
- Correlations + regressions

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Results: Assessments & pass-rate



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- When the course has exam assignments 20 % of students get high grade
- Replacing the examinations with essays and feedback doubles the proportion of students reaching high scores in the course.
- In formatively assessed courses, students used 70 % more LMS and studied 3 times more (also the low score students) for which high scores are caused by harder study work.



- LMS activity is usually high on the night before the examination (bulimia pedagogy)
- When exams are removed, daily LMS activity becomes steadier, but there is a clear fade out of course activity
- In both cases students failing the course have less activity on the course



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Lose the sight, lose the fight

- Students failing the course have less LMS activity in the beginning of the course. This is independent of the ways of assessments
- Therefore, teacher can find the students with a high risk of dropout and help them to focus on the course. However, lowprogress rate is never a determinative predictor of failing the course.



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Annex 3. Programme of the second TTT workshop

TTT SESSION 2 WORKSHOP AGENDA

Location:	Zoom (https://uef.zoom.us/j/64197059515?pwd=OeH0IW8WrEcLlgsbsmzY1ZRSMurQwz.1)
Date:	29.1.2024

Time: 15.00–17.15 (GMT +2)

Participants Science education and Teacher Education staff who are involved in module and micro-credential development

PRE-ASSIGNMENTS FOR THE TTT WORKSHOP

Fill in ideas for how to develop e-manual: E-manual Development (https://digicampus.fi/mod/board/view.php?id=368108)

Add question about Moodle activities: <u>Digicampus FAQ</u> (https://digicampus.fi/mod/glossary/view.php?id=371444)

Share your MCC Learning unit drafts:

MCC learn unit draft (https://digicampus.fi/mod/forum/view.php?id=372210)

SCHEDULE

15.00–15.05	Start of the Workshop
15.05-15.35	Al in Education - Professor Teemu Valtonen
	Practical insights on leveraging AI in education
15.35–15.45	Micro credentials – Subcourse implementation in Digicampus Moodle
15.45-16.15	Learning Unit Group Leaders: Best Practices in online (5 minutes each)
	Short presentations on asynchronous implementations of learning unit online materials
16.15–17.10	Learning Unit Working Groups
	Learning unit development towards sustainable micro-credentials

17.10–17.15 Session wrap up







Annex 4. Keynote slides of the Second TTT workshop



Al and learning

Acastemy Train the Trainers

Does ChatGPT enhance students learning ? Notably, the review suggests that ChatGPT can potentially improve academic performance, as evidenced by the overall large, positive effect. Simultaneously, it highlights the need for caution in interpreting these results owing to limitations in methodological approaches and assessment concerns.

Deng, R., Jiang, M., Yu, X., Lu, Y., & Liu, S. (2024). Does ChatGPT enhance student learning? A systematic review and meta-analysis of experimental studies. *Computers & Education*, 105224.





Which direction are we heading?

Back in the 1960s, as researchers were beginning to explore how computers might be used in education, there were two primary schools of thought. One focused on **using computers to efficiently and effectively deliver instruction** to the learner. The other focused on providing learners with opportunities to **use technologies to create, experiment, and collaborate** on personally meaningful projects. Seymour Papert referred to these two different approaches as **instructionist** and **constructionist**.

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Al and learning analytics from the perspective of teaching and learning



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Typical AI applications before 2020 – Intelligent Tutoring Systems

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Basic - ChatGPT



Using natural language.

Illusion of skilled use of AI.

Universal intelligence.

Hallucinating.

Provides ready-made answers and solutions.





Towards more adaptive AI - Copilot

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Stand out on socials What are some tips for writing a great LinkedIn post?	Soing on holiday? Write some funny Out of Office email responses to use while I'm on vacation from [Dec 15-27]	Interview warning signs What are some red flags to watch out for during an interview?
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Possibility to bring your own material for discussion.

Combines with other generative AI tools.

Provides reference links.

Towards AI agents – NotebookLM



Possibility to bring your own various types of material collections as a basis for working.

Provides ready-made tools for processing the material.

Provide references to the source materials used.





Al agents – Space Creator

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Prompting - forming questions and interpreting answers:

Posing questions help/force the learner/group of learners to structure and integrate new information based on their existing knowledge and understanding.

A question verbalizes and possible re-structures one's current understanding into a comprehensible form. Questions require follow-up questions.

An answer often requires reflection – especially when AI may hallucinate.

Reflection alone and together.



Al as personal support:

Students' self-efficacy affects their ways of learning along with their ways and courage to ask for help. Low self-efficacy can be a barrier to asking for help during classes.

Fear of failure.

Al as individual support.

Easier to as ask for help – clarifying perspectives – additional explanations. No fear of embarrassing oneself.



Target for learning situation



Hybrid intelligence:

"A combination of human and machine intelligence that complements human intelligence and abilities rather than replacing them. It is a combination that achieves goals that neither humans nor machines could achieve separately."

Akata, Z., Balliet, D., De Rijke, M., Dignum, F., Dignum, V., Eiben, G., ... & Welling, M. (2020). A research agenda for hybrid intelligence: augmenting human intellect with collaborative, adaptive, responsible, and explainable artificial intelligence. *Computer*, 53(8), 18-28.

