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Academic Freedom, Free Speech and Syllabi Design



with Dr. Clare Forstie

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23RD 1:30 PM EDT ON ZOOM





EVENT PRESENTATION DETAILS:

Teaching in higher ed is a main focus of recent, and long-standing, conversations about academic freedom. In this session, we'll focus on syllabus design as a particular case of academic freedom that requires skillful navigation of competing audiences and purposes. We'll discuss how our individual, political, institutional, and disciplinary contexts inform the approaches we take to syllabus design and to the craft of teaching more broadly.

ABOUT THE SPEAKER:

Clare Forstie is the Dean of Academic Effectiveness and Innovation at Saint Paul College, where they lead initiatives focused on assessing and enhancing student learning, curriculum, and faculty and staff development.

Clare's areas of leadership in teaching include inclusive and critical pedagogies, technology in education, and student and instructor wellbeing. Their teaching, research, and writing address the complexities of queer and academic life through multiple critical lenses. Clare earned a PhD in sociology from **Northwestern University** in 2017 and has served in a variety of faculty and administrative roles across a range of higher education institutions.









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