Faculty Workshop Series
AY 2022-2023

The Center for Africana Digital Humanities will hold its AUC Faculty Development Workshop Series beginning October 2022.

The Center seeks to establish CAU as a hub for training HBCU faculty in Africana digital humanities by offering training workshops and summer institutes to CAU and Atlanta University Center faculty and graduate students. Participants will explore the Black digital experience as it relates to accessibility, collaboration, and the preservation and sharing of local stories. They will also produce new knowledge that incorporates community engagement using available computational tools and resources.

The Center will organize faculty development workshops to introduce various computational tools and concepts that can be used in the classroom or included in collaborative research projects. The workshops will be collaborative initiatives with the AUC Data Science Initiative, the Center for Innovative Teaching, Learning, and Engagement and the AUC Robert W. Woodruff Library. These six (6), ½ day workshops are designed to be impactful min-courses that encourage interdisciplinary collaboration, community engagement, and an exploration of accessible computational tools for select AUC faculty and graduate students while highlighting various labs that offer a unique perspective on technology as it relates to race and social justice. Each participant will receive a stipend of $1,000 to attend all six (6) Faculty Development Workshops.

About the Center for Africana Digital Humanities

Founded by Dr. Rico Chapman, The Center for Africana Digital Humanities started as a thinklab at CAU in early 2020. Since then the university has invested in a newly renovated ideation space located next door to the Humanities PhD Program. The Center has relaunched by scheduling activities that support student and faculty understanding and engagement in the digital humanities.
AUC Faculty Development Workshop Series Schedule

September 30th by 11:59 PM/ EST  Application Deadline

- Fall 2022 Workshops – Fridays in October (Specific dates forthcoming)
- Spring 2023 - TBA

Eligibility Information:

• Participants must be a full-time AUC faculty member.
• A participant can only receive one stipend per fiscal year
  *Priority will be given to new participants
• A participant must complete all six workshops and both the pre and post survey to receive the stipend.

Faculty who accept the awards agree to:

• Submit a statement of results by the end of the series, which includes a summary of each workshop’s outcomes, including any curriculum material, and other specific deliverables and impacts.
• Participate in pre- and post-surveys.
• Share participation outcomes in a forum, symposium, or other venues.
• Report any future publications or future funding that benefits from the participation in the Summer Institute.

Application:
To apply, please see the link to the application on our homepage.

Due Date: September 30, 2022

• Statement (250 words max) - Narrative overview of what you hope to gain from participating in this Summer Institute and how it will enhance your work.
• Curriculum Vitae (2 pages max) - must be supplied

Statement Criteria:
The statement should specify why these workshops will be significant to you and how your participation will help further your digital humanities research and or curriculum development.