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# Program Day 1 - Monday 24 November

All AM sessions are to be held in the Grand Lodge (Level 1)

| DAY 1 | SESSION | TITLE | PRESENTER | ORGANISATION |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **8:30 - 9:10 AM** | **Registration** | | | |
| **9:10 - 9:30 AM** | **Official opening, housekeeping and remarks - Catalyst IT Australia** | | Andrew Boag & Justin Beall | Catalyst IT |
| 9:30 - 10:15 AM | Moodle HQ: Marie Achour | Shaping the future of Moodle | Marie Achour | Moodle HQ |
| 10:15 - 11:00 AM | University College London (UCL) | Ehnahcing assessment in Moodle: the Double Marking Project | Alistair Spark | UCL |
| **MORNING TEA** | | | | |
| 11:20 AM - 12:00 PM | Monash University: Ankur Agrawal | Automating assignment penalties: Enhancing efficiency and consistency at Monash | Ankur Agrawal | Monash University |
| 12:00 - 12:30 PM | mylearningspace Presentation: Michelle Lomman | Reimagining learning in Moodle with AI | Michelle Lomman | mylearningspace |
| 12:30 - 13:00 PM | Melbourne Polytechnic: Shaun Boyd & Eugene Tan | Moving house: an LMS migration journey | Shaun Boyd & Eugene Tan | Melbourne Polytechnic |
| **LUNCH** | | | | |

| BREAK OUT SESSIONS | Grand Lodge (Level 1) | Doric Room (Ground level) |
|---|---|---|
| 1:40 - 2:10 PM | Using Database Activity for tracking CPD hours - Tish Kirkland, Catalyst IT | **WORKSHOP 1:** Getting started with Moodle: mapping the first-time experience - Teresa Watts, Berta Rincon, Boris Basque and Diana Adorno, Moodle HQ<br>**1:40 - 2:40 PM - Doric Room** |
| 2:10 - 2:40 PM | Reimagining specialist MedEd: an on-demand clinical lecture series in Moodle - Sarah Champion and Tasneem Jahan, RACP | |
| 2:40- 3:10 PM | Empowering industry learning at scale: The strategic impact of Moodle at NBN® - Sean Allen, NBN | NO SESSION - ROOM RE-SET |
| **SHORT BREAK** | | |
| 3:30 - 4:00 PM | Pivot the plan: financial headwinds, moving targets, and how to do more with less - Andrew Sepie, Lincoln University and Sasha Anastasi, Catalyst IT | Super-charging the Ol' URL Activity: Pre-filled Forms for Smarter Student Workflows - Witali Klein, Australian University of Theology |
| 4:00 - 4:30 PM | Application of AI digital voice technology to enhance online learning outcomes - Richards Ings, Readspeaker | Moodle HQ and Community Contributions: taking our open source development superpower to the next level - Michael Hawkins, Moodle HQ |
| 4:30 - 5:00 PM | Supercharge Moodle course design with TinyMCE premium tools - Frédéric Harper, TinyMCE | Transition from face to face to online delivery - Marisa Garisto and Loretta Ierardo, Safe System Solutions Pty Ltd |

**Group photo 5:00 PM**

**5:30 PM - 7:30 PM NETWORKING EVENT - Kiln Rooftop Bar , Ace Hotel - Sponsored by** aws

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# Program Day 2 - Tuesday 25 November

The first two AM sessions are to be held in the Grand Lodge (Level 1)

| DAY 2 | SESSION | TITLE | PRESENTER | ORGANISATION |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **8:40 - 9:00 AM** | **Arrival \| Tea & Coffee** | | | |
| 9:00 - 9:45 AM | Moodle HQ: Matt Porritt | Moodle LMS and beyond | Matt Porritt | Moodle HQ |
| 9:45 - 10:30 AM | ACT Education Directorate: Ryan Elwell | A Fork in the Road – A Human-Centred Pathway to Avoiding Adversarial AI | Ryan Elwell | ACT |
| **MORNING TEA** | | | | |

| BREAK OUT SESSIONS | Grand Lodge (Level 1) | Doric Room (Ground level) |
|---|---|---|
| 10:50 - 11:20 AM | Bandwidth-Proof Video: Adaptive Streaming for Real-World Learners - Peter Burnett, Catalyst IT | **WORKSHOP 2:** From prompt to course: Designing the AI course creation experience in Moodle - A K M Safat Shahin and the Moodle HQ Team<br><br>**10:50 - 12:20PM - Doric Room** |
| 11:20 - 11:50 AM | Doing the right thing when using digital resources - Tish Kirkland, Catalyst IT | |
| 11:50 AM - 12:20 PM | From data to decisions: Visualising Moodle Engagement with PowerBI - Tasneem Jahan and Sarah Champion, RACP | |
| **LUNCH** | | |
| 1:00 - 1:30 PM | Designing a gamified UI to maximise student retention - Joel Turner, Clevergreen Designs and Eddie Blass, Inventorium | Breaking down barriers: Developing seamless learning experiences with strategic Moodle Extensions - A K M Safat Shahin, Moodle HQ |
| 1:30 - 2:00 PM | Customising Moodle for enhanced usability at CIT - Amy Pont and Liz Finlay, Canberra Institute of Technology (CIT) | Transforming the Moodle Assessment Experience: How can a structured template reimagine the way students engage with assessment in Moodle? - Chris Starbuck, Monash University |
| 2:00 - 2:30 PM | Introducing the Shadow Link activity: How can we improve assessment visibility in Moodle while reducing duplication for educators? - Heath Graham, Monash University | From vision to reality: Inventorium's student-centred journey - Eddie Blass, Inventorium and Michelle Lomman, mylearningspace |
| **SHORT BREAK** | | |

**Discussion Panel: Panel Discussion: Alistair Spark (UCL), Ryan Elwell (ACT), Brendan Heywood (Catalyst IT ), Diana Adorno (Moodle) - 2:50 - 4:00 PM Grand Lodge**

**Wrap up | Catalyst IT Close | Survey | 4:00 - 4:15 PM Grand Lodge**

The event program may be subject to change at any time.

For questions related to the program or to submit an abstract please email marketing@catalyst-au.net

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