## TWO HANDS-ON OPPORTUNITIES FOR SCIENCE & ENGINEERING STAFF

During September and October the **Learning & Teaching Centre** is offering Science and Engineering staff an opportunity to participate in two hands-on activities in media production and presentation.

## 1. Painless Media Preparation



Come along to LTC's *Studio 322* and learn how presenting to camera can actually be a lot of fun! Matt Oxley's workshops are conducted in small groups (maximum 4) and you'll learn:

- how to prepare for a video shoot, using *relaxation* and voice preparation techniques
- how to deliver a presentation using a script and an autocue – it's easier than you think!
- how to direct others when producing short videos

"The workshop was a really great opportunity to experience what it was like to be in front of the camera and get advice on relaxation, presence, presentation, and communication. It was quick and painless and very informative ... it was very helpful to not only experience being in front of the camera (you learn more by doing) but also thinking about how to help people be themselves, be comfortable and relaxed."

Series 1 workshop participant

The **1-hour workshop sessions** are aimed at staff who are thinking about producing and delivering short videos such as an introduction to their *iLearn* unit but need some experience and support in how to get things started. These sessions are a perfect preparation for our second offering, below.

## 2. Pop-Up Studio (PUPS) Sessions in Studio 322

**PUPS** media sessions are designed to make the process of scripting, shooting and delivering a short *welcome* or *introductory* video to your iLearn unit as quick and painless as possible. An experienced studio team will support you as you script and deliver a short introduction to yourself and the unit you convene. The Pop-Up team will then edit the footage, transforming it into a polished educational video.



All videos are shot by the LTC team in *Studio 322*, with high definition cameras and excellent audio quality and lighting. With green-screen technology you get to choose the background and images that will support your presentation. Speak from the Champs-Elysées in Paris, a mountaintop in Nepal or deep within the Amazon jungle! It's your choice.

Studio sessions take around half an hour for a welcome video shoot, and your finished production will be edited and ready for embedding in your unit within 48 hours, complete with all unit titles, English subtitles and approved Macquarie badging.

If you are interested in either of these activities, please contact:

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