



**Textbook Transformation Grants, Round Five  
Kickoff Training Event: February 8, 2016, 9am-4pm  
Middle Georgia State University**

**Objectives:**

- Ensure that all Textbook Transformation grantees have the information they will need to be successful, including information about the grant process and basic understanding of key subject areas
- Bring the cohort together for sharing and community-building
- Uncover and address any issues or concerns

**Organizers and instructors:**

- Lauren Fancher: Director, ALG & GALILEO Support Services, USG
- Jeff Gallant: ALG Visiting Program Officer for Open Educational Resources, USG
- Marie Lasseter: Director, Academic Technologies, USG Office of Faculty Development
- Nicole Finkbeiner: Associate Director of Institutional Relations, Rice University's OpenStax College
- Norah Sinclair: Customer Support and E-Text Accessibility Specialist, AMAC Accessibility Solutions

**9:00am-9:50am: Welcome and Introductions**

**Room 212, Professional Sciences Center**

- 9:00-9:10: Organizer and Grantee Introductions
- 9:10-9:30: Overview of Day, About ALG, and About Grants
- 9:30-9:50: Marie Lasseter: Introduction to Open Education

**9:50am-9:55am: Quick Break**

**9:55am-10:55am:**

- Lauren Fancher: Grant Processes Discussion

**10:55am-11:00am: Quick Break**

**11:00am-11:50am:**

- 11:00-11:25: Nicole Finkbeiner: Introduction to OpenStax College
- 11:25-11:50: Norah Sinclair: Creating and Using Accessible Resources

**11:50am-12:00pm: Get Lunch from Outside 212, Return to 212**

**12:00pm-1:00pm: Working Lunch**

**Room 212**

This session allows project teams to share their initial plans with each other in a group setting, discuss any issues that may arise during implementation and instruction, and share past lessons learned and experiences. Lauren Fancher and Jeff Gallant will be visiting with individual teams to discuss their projects during these discussions.

**1:00pm-1:05pm: Quick Break, return to 212**

**1:05pm-1:55pm:**

- Jeff Gallant: Copyright and Creative Commons
- Jeff Gallant: Creation Platforms and Open-Access Hosting

**1:55pm-2:00pm: Quick Break, move to breakout rooms**

**2:00pm-2:50pm: Breakout Sessions by Discipline**

Groups will identify the top issues that teams either anticipate or have already encountered within the transformation project. Groups will use this list of identified top issues to discuss possible solutions, tools, and methods to address them.

**Humanities, Fine Arts, Social Sciences****Project Teams: 196, 204, 218, 221, 225****Room 238A****Jeff Gallant and Marie Lasseter****Life and Physical Sciences, Mathematics, Computer Science****Project Teams: 193, 206, 210, 213, 219, 229****Room 238B****Lauren Fancher****2:45pm-2:50pm: Quick Break, move to Room 212****2:50pm-3:00pm: Groups Share Breakout Results****3:00pm-4:00pm: Wrap-up and Q&A**

Breakout session facilitators will discuss the group's notes with all grantees, followed by a Q&A session.

**Note to all participants:** Please bring your laptop or tablet, a copy of your proposal and any relevant attachments, and a list with links to any materials you are planning to use in your transformation.