

SoTL Newsletter

February 2025

Graham Centre for SoTL Upcoming Events for Faculty and Students

- March 3, 4-5:00p.m: [SoTL Burst - SoTL for Graduate and Post-Doctoral Students](#)
- April 10, 4-5:00p.m: [SoTL Burst - How to Develop a SoTL Project](#)
- May 6-7, 2025, 2024: [SoTL Shine Summit 2025](#)

Register at: education.usask.ca/grahamcentresotl

2025-2026 SoTL Research Grants

The Jane and Ron Graham Centre for the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning (SoTL) is committed to providing the development of capacity for SoTL research among faculty and students. The Graham Centre for SoTL recognizes the importance of providing support to University of Saskatchewan faculty, masters and doctoral students to enable them to develop and prepare high quality SoTL research projects. To this end, the Centre has established three grants to support this commitment:

- SoTL Flicker Grant (for graduate students)
- SoTL Spark Grant (for tenure track faculty new to SoTL)
- SoTL Ignite Grant (for tenure track faculty experienced in SoTL)
- SoTL Flare Grant (for SoTL research within a College or School, lead by tenure track faculty)

The complete SoTL Research Grants Handbook is available at:
education.usask.ca/grahamcentresotl/sotl-grant.php



The Jane and Ron Graham Centre for the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning is pleased to announce the 2025-27 SoTL Faculty Fellows call for applications through the STAR (Scholarly Teaching and Research) Connect initiative.

The STAR Connect aims to seamlessly integrate the University's Signature Areas of Research (Health, Planet, Society) with excellence in teaching and learning. Specifically, the goal is to establish a supportive and innovative environment where faculty and students engage in scholarship of teaching and learning (SoTL) research on innovative classroom strategies over a two-year period.

Application Deadline: Interested faculty should review the program description and call for applications on the [Jane and Ron Graham Centre for the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning website](#). Application materials are due by May 1/2025 @ 11:59pm.

- **Funding:** Selected faculty will receive funding of \$10,000 for two years.
- **Benefits:** Fellows will work on developing robust SoTL research proposals, securing ethics approval, conducting research, and formulating comprehensive dissemination plans.
- **Community:** The Graham Centre for SoTL provides a supportive space for interdisciplinary research and communities of practice (CoP) on teaching and learning across disciplines.





SoTL Shine Summit 2025
Exploring Endless Possibilities in SoTL
May 6-7, 2025

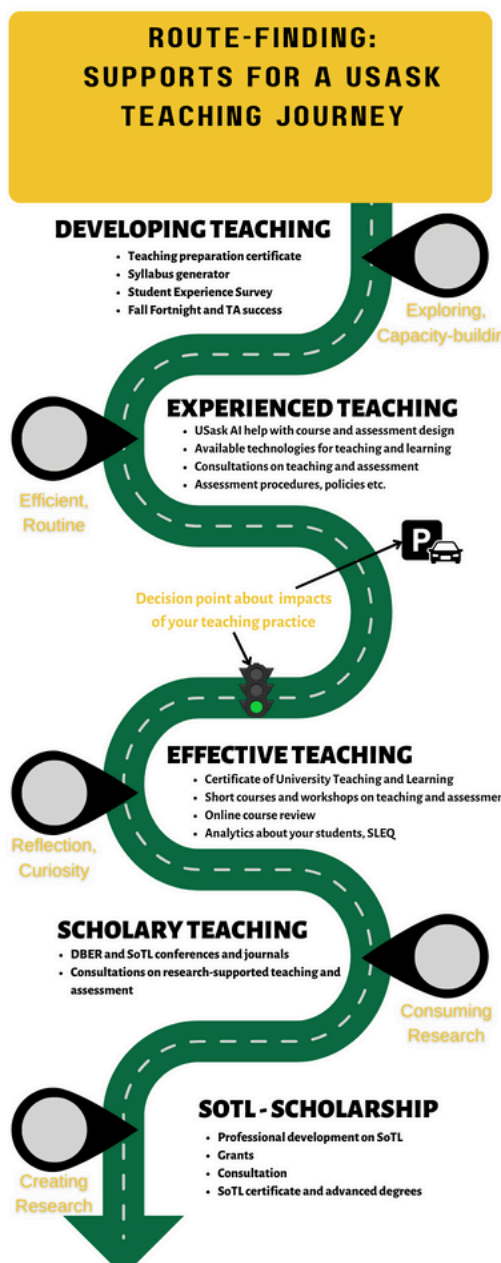
Join us at the Graham Centre for SoTL for an innovative and dynamic workshop where Scholarship of Teaching and Learning (SoTL) scholars, both new and experienced, come together in a hack-a-thon style event. This two-day workshop is designed to foster collaboration, creativity, and the development of impactful SoTL projects. Participants will engage in hands-on activities, brainstorming sessions, and collaborative project building, all aimed at exploring the endless possibilities within SoTL.

Date : May 6 & 7, 2025

Location: Graham Centre for SoTL, Education room 1019

More information and registration:

education.usask.ca/grahamcentresotl/sotl-shine-summit-2024.php



The Graham Centre for the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning and the Gwenna Moss Centre for Teaching and Learning are pleased to share our collaborative support for a USask Teaching Journey. If you have any questions about teaching and research supports, please contact Melanie Hamilton (melanie.hamilton@usask.ca) or Wendy James (wendy.james@usask.ca)

