



# IT Matters

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## Top 10 Apps of 2015 for Faculty & Staff



With the holidays approaching, the chance to download and enjoy the newest apps has come. Whether you are looking to stay on top of your work, simply stay organized, or spice up your classroom, these apps are the best of 2015. Click this link to read about them!

[Apps of 2015 »](#)

## Tech Gifts for the Holidays

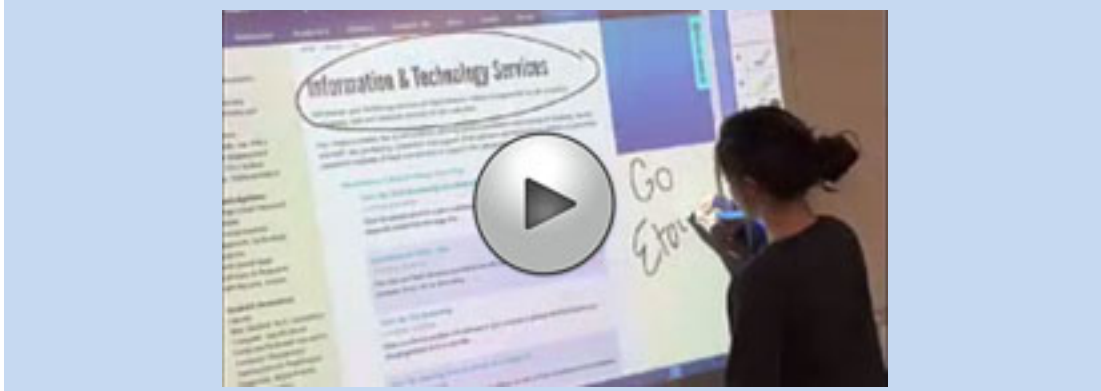


Wondering what to get your tech-savvy friends and family for the holidays? Or perhaps you are looking for new tech to add to your own holiday wish-list. To learn about the hottest tech gifts this holiday season, check out this article on Top Tech Gifts for the Holidays!

[Top Tech »](#)

## Rockin' Around Nicarry

Pre-service teachers in ED161 taught by Dr. Linda Macaulay were asked to create a digital story as one of their technology integration projects this semester. This project allows students to apply many of the technical skills that were introduced during the course. Students were tasked with creating a video that would showcase the new Nicarry classrooms and the benefits that the new technology and flexible furniture provides. Here is a short clip of one of the videos created by Allie Vaccaro, Kelsea Davis, Abby Harvey and Rebecca Young, that is sure to get your toes tappin' and feeling in a festive mood!



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## Password Changes



It's that time of the year again. The time when the semester starts to wind down, when you pack up all your belongings for break, and for some, it's a great time to change your password!

[Password Help »](#)

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## Winter Technology Workshops



- Fri., 12/18, 2:00-3:00: [Friday Live! Webinar: E-Learning Accessibility: Principles, Strategies, and Resources to Help Faculty Improve Teaching/Learning Online](#) (Nicarry 114)
- Mon., 1/4, 1:30-2:30: [Creating Accessible PDFs with Adobe Acrobat Pro](#) (Nicarry 114)
- Tues., 1/5, 11:00-12:00: [Creating Accessible PDFs with Adobe Acrobat Pro](#) (Nicarry 114)
- Tues., 1/5, 1:00-2:00: [Canvas Instructor Training - Live Webinar](#) (Nicarry 114)
- Wed., 1/6, 2:00-3:00: [Creating Accessible PDFs with Adobe Acrobat Pro](#) (Nicarry 114)
- Fri., 1/8, 2:00-3:00, in CETL - [Friday Live! Webinar: January 8: Using Gamification for Resistant Learners](#) (Nicarry 114)
- Mon., 1/11, 8:30-9:30: [Creating Accessible PDFs with Adobe Acrobat Pro](#) (Nicarry 114)
- Wed., 1/20, 11:00-12:00: [Creating Accessible PDFs with Adobe Acrobat Pro](#) (Nicarry 114)
- Fri., 1/22, 2:00-3:00: [Friday Live! Webinar: Universal Design for Learning: Employing Multiple Means of Representation \(co-hosted by Linda Macaulay\)](#) (Nicarry 114)
- Mon., 1/25, 11:00-12:00: [Fostering Inclusion in Online Courses with Universal Design for Learning](#) (Nicarry 103)
- Wed., 1/27, 11:00-12:00: [Fostering Inclusion in Online Courses with Universal Design for Learning](#) (Nicarry 103)
- Fri., 1/29, 2:00-3:00: [Friday Live! Webinar: Apps and Accessibility in Online Learning](#) (Nicarry 114)
- Mon., 2/1, 11:00-12:00: [10 Tips for Designing Accessible Online Courses](#) (Nicarry 114)
- Wed., 2/3, 11:00-12:00: [10 Tips for Designing Accessible Online Courses](#) (Nicarry 114)
- Fri., 2/5, 2:00-3:00: [Friday Live! Webinar: Inclusive/Universal Design: Community, Publication, Website and Invisible Disabilities \(Online "Book" Discussion\)](#) (Nicarry 114)

View the [training workshop schedule](#) and register to attend.

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## Tech Tips from the ITS Blog



[Exporting PowerPoint to Video »](#)

[Canvas Tip of the Week: Using a Grading Scheme to Show Letter Grades for Total Grades »](#)

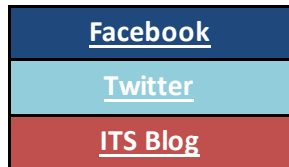
[Turning Off Read Mode in Word 2013 »](#)

[For Faculty: Student Feedback on a Course »](#)

[Canvas Tip of the Week: Crocodoc Annotations in Firefox »](#)

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**[Knowledgebase](#)**: Helpsheets and videos for 24/7 tech support  
**[Atomic Learning](#)**: On-demand video tutorials on common technology topics