

FACULTY RESOURCE NETWORK TRANSITION MEMO

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The past few years have brought new challenges and opportunities for the Faculty Resource Network (FRN), its member institutions, and participating faculty. Over these years, we have shifted some of the network's programs to meet these challenges. This year, we are seizing an opportunity to begin transitioning the structure of the FRN to enable greater levels of institutional research collaboration and faculty development support, increase the potential for student and faculty exchanges, and more.

Here are some of the near-term implications of the FRN's initiated transition:

- x We will not collect dues for Academic Year 2025 (September 2024 through August 2025).
- x The FRN Scholar-in-Residence (SIR) Program will conclude at the end of the

- x Our remote fellowships and teaching consultations, Immersive Technology Lab Consultations, and University Associates Program will continue with modifications and participation limits.

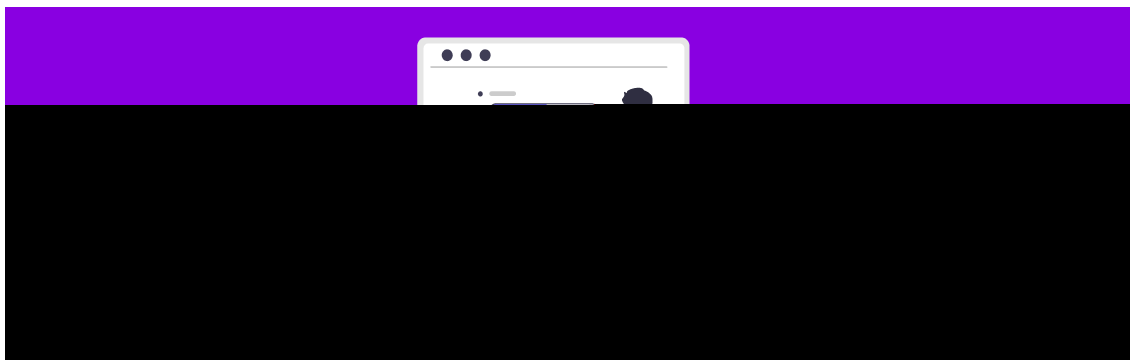
x The FRN Leadership Initiative and Digital Leadership Community of Practice will continue.

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Upcoming FRN Events

- x [FRN Leadership Initiative Program](#)
 - x [FRN Visiting Scholar Programs](#)
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In the Spotlight



2024 FRN Network Summer Program Recap

The [2024 FRN Network Summer Program](#) (June 10–14, 2024) garnered exceptional feedback and demonstrated a significant impact on our faculty's professional growth. We offered eight concurrent seminars intended to enhance teaching skills, foster research collaboration, and promote innovative pedagogical practices.

We extend our gratitude to all who contributed to the program's success: our dedicated organizing committee, esteemed speakers, and enthusiastic participants. Your commitment and passion made this program a memorable and impactful experience.

A huge thank you to our seminar conveners, [Michelle Boissiere](#) (Xavier University of

American Culture Association conference held in Chicago, Illinois, March 27–30, 2024.

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