

Remote Learning @ UCI

No need to stress!

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AGENDA

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- ❖ Why it's Not So Bad
- ❖ UCI's VPN
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Workshop Survey!

Get to
Know
Each
Other



Head into Breakout Rooms!

Your task will be to complete a
Google Form Survey.

Everyone does their own
submission!

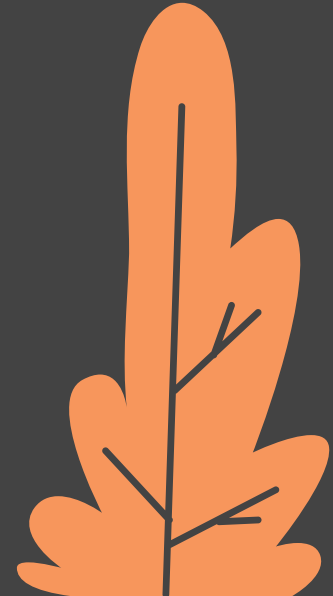
Let me know what kind of
events, workshops, or topics you
want to see me cover in the
future!

Please feel free to get to know
each other and discuss what
you're looking for in these
workshops!

Click [HERE](#) for the Link!

It's Not So Bad

- It's not ideal, but it's actually pretty manageable!
- You'll find a lot of convenience & flexibility
- Professors are often understanding & will make it as accessible as possible
- Just **stay vigilant** for updates and keep track of your responsibilities and you'll be fine!



Cisco AnyConnect



1. **Head to** <https://www.oit.uci.edu/help/vpn/>
2. **Scroll** down and select the operating system
3. **Sign-in** using your UCInetID and password.
(Ex. UCInetID ~ the “**petera**” in “**petera**@uci.edu”)
4. **Download Anyconnect** & follow the remaining instructions.

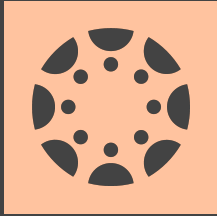
[VPN CHECKER HERE](#)

How to Access the UCI VPN

A Virtual Private Network (VPN) helps encrypt your data online and provide a safe and private connection.

→ Only way to access some UCI resources online!

COMMON APPS AND SERVICES USED



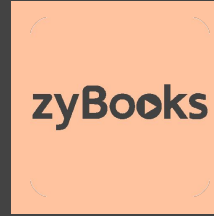
CANVAS

Usually the main homepage of your online classes. Home to assignments, discussions, grades, files, etc . .



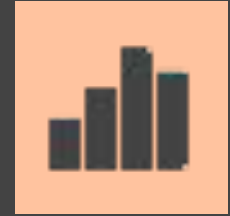
PIAZZA

A class-wide message board where students can ask and answer each others' questions.



ZYBOOK

Home to interactive online textbooks. You can do Participation and Challenge Activities.



GRADESCOPE

Online grading software. A place where you can upload your assignments and receive your grade and feedback.

Additional Resources



Books

The Hill, Class Site or Amazon

<https://uci.bncollege.com/shop/uci/page/find-textbooks>

UCI Library

Library Database (VPN only)

<https://www.libuci.edu/>

ZotChat

For light and/or quick advising

<https://undergraduateenquci.edu/zotchat>

ASUCI

Associated Students of UCI

<https://www.asuci.uci.edu/>

Housing

Look into living on campus

<https://housinguci.edu/>

Additional, Additional Resources



Google Calendar (And most Google Apps)

VERY helpful for keeping track of dates & deadlines.

SlidesGo

Free Themes for Google Slides & PowerPoint Slides

Notepad++

Enhanced Notepad for Programmers (CS/CSE)

ZotFinder

Accurate Google-Maps type App for UCI Specifically

RocketBook Wave

Save Money & Paper on Notebooks (Amazon)

The Power of Discord

- It's basically **better Skype**
- Has massive **server** capacity and customization
- Basically everyone uses it for communication
- Available for **Computer** and **Mobile**
- It's **FREE**



My Personal Experience with RL @ UCI

- Almost identical to normal classes.
- Just a matter of waking up and getting work done on time and trying to not lose track.
- Pajamas and bagels
- Recorded Lectures & Convenience





Now, It's Your Turn



- Feel free to stick around and ask questions!.
- Or share any concerns if you have any
- You're also free to hangout around these parts too!

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Otherwise, you're free to go!

Thank you for tuning in!