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Subject: [Faculty] Important Updates to Canvas Course Sections and iGrade

Dear UCR Faculty Member,

To ensure academic continuity and to streamline course management, The Office of the Registrar and Information Technology Solutions are performing an update to Banner beginning at **7:00 PM tonight, March 9, 2026**. This update will impact your Canvas courses and iGrade dashboard view.

What to Expect

We will sync updated information for secondary activities (such as discussion sections, labs, etc.). Once completed, you will begin to see these sections in Canvas, specifically in your Dashboard and in the All Courses menu.

You may see additional course sections on your Canvas Dashboard if your courses have discussion or lab sections. The Canvas Dashboard displays up to 20 courses. All of your courses in Canvas can be accessed by going to “Courses” in the global navigation, then selecting “All Courses.”

This change will also impact your dashboard view in iGrade, as you will now have access to all the discussion sections. However, you can filter your view using the “Section” drop-down in the iGrade dashboard, located to the right of the “Term” drop-down, to only see gradable sections.

Resources for Managing Your Sections

We understand that managing multiple subsections requires a bit of navigation. To help you organize your Canvas Dashboard and filter the Gradebook by section, you may refer to the knowledge articles below.

[How to Organize your Canvas Dashboard](#)

[How do I view the history of all grading changes in the Gradebook?](#)

Support

If you notice any significant discrepancies in your rosters after the update is completed, or if you have questions about managing the new sections, please don't hesitate to request support. You may contact the XCITE Center for Teaching and Learning at xcite-help@ucr.edu for concerns related to Canvas. You may also email

The Office of the Registrar's Student Records Assistant, Halim Alvarez (<mailto:halim.alvarez@ucr.edu>), for concerns related to iGrade.

Sincerely,

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