

Challenges and Opportunities of Online Assessment: How a Network of Research Universities Collaborated to Improve Practice

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This presentation describes a network of research universities focused on student learning called the Bay View Alliance. More can be read about the BVA's **purpose, structure, and member campuses** on its website: <https://bayviewalliance.org/network/about/>



This presentation also describes a specific set of design principles the BVA authored during the summer of 2020 in response to the wholesale shift of brick-and-mortar classrooms into fully online environments. These design principles highlighted best practices in remote and online assessment of student learning. A **description of the principles, together with examples** of their implementation drawn from several of the BVA's member campuses can be found here:

<https://bayviewalliance.org/projects/resources-for-assessing-student-learning-online/>



During the fall of 2020 and spring of 2021, the design principles then served as the foundation of **faculty development programs** on several of the BVA's member campuses. One such program was the Student Learning Symposium at the University of Kansas. Examples of course-level design drawing on each of these principles can be found at the Symposium's website: <https://assessment.ku.edu/award-winners>