**DE COMMITTEE FACULTY REP – KATIE BERRYHILL**

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Hi, Paula.

I just got Laurie’s message from yesterday…I was teaching all morning, so just got to email.

Here’s my short statement for the DE committee.

I have been teaching online since 2005. That includes 12 years during which I was a full-time faculty member at American Public University System, which is an entirely online university. I taught astronomy, physics, math, and a variety of other space-related courses there, plus their Foundations of Online Learning course. While there, I used two different learning management systems: Educator and Sakai. I started teaching online courses on Canvas in 2015 and have taught in Canvas continuously since then for multiple colleges: Solano Community College, Los Medanos College, Las Positas College, Chabot College, Southwestern Community College (North Carolina), and Arizona State University. On the strength of the online astronomy course that I redesigned over the pandemic, I was awarded Distinguished Adjunct Faculty of the Year at Solano Community College. The breadth and depth of my online teaching experience is of value to the LMC Distance Education Committee.

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If you wish to make an apple pie from scratch, you must first invent the universe.

— Carl Sagan\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

