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### **DESIRE2LEARN | BRIGHTSPACE | ILEARN UPDATES**

#### **NEW NAV BAR & WIDGETS**

The Course Navigation bar will be updated to reflect the most commonly visited tools and make the bar more accessible for screen readers. We have added the Content Navigator widget for students and faculty to show student progress in modules and a Slim Announcement widget to view course announcements. Faculty will have an additional widget that provides an overview of information focused on course access, tool access, and class engagement.

#### THIRD-PARTY TOOLS

Do you currently use links to content publisher materials or assignments, YuJa videos, Pearson, or simulations? These are considered third-party tools in iLearn/D2L. If you are currently using these tools in your course, you will want to check the links before the start of the semester. The links may work at this time but will need to be rechecked in the future to ensure they are functioning properly. If the links are no longer working, they will need to be relinked using the new External Learning Tool link. The CITL is encouraging vendors to ensure that their third-party plug-ins are ready for the beginning of the semester.



## MEET OUR NEW DESIGNER Mallory Matthews

Mallory is our newest Instructional
Designer. She will be working with our
team to support faculty with their course
design and facilitating workshops.
Mallory received her M.A. in Curriculum
& Instruction from Tennessee Tech.

#### **AUGUST WORKSHOPS**

Bookings for Semester Prep August 15-19

Cognitive Load
August 23

Poll Everywhere
August 30