

**2022 VIRTUAL OCEA FALL SYMPOSIUM:
The Future Looks Bright!
November 14, 2022**



This year's focus was providing information and resources for new(er) Cooperative Education teachers. **THANK YOU / KUDOS TO ALL THE WORKSHOP PRESENTERS!** Without our amazing presenters there wouldn't be an event to plan.

Attendance at our **2022 Virtual OCEA Fall Symposium** exceeded the expectations of the planning committee and feedback from the completed survey forms were very positive. The feedback assists us in improving and planning for our future events! Overall, we had 236 delegates attending 21 workshops with over 28 presenters and 7 sponsors.

Robert Fleming (Director-at-Large: English) and **Roman Nowak (Director-at-Large: French)** were the symposium's master of ceremonies, and they kept everyone informed and entertained between workshops and throughout the event.

Most of the workshops were recorded and are now available to current OCEA members in the ***RESOURCES (Members Only)** area on our website.

A few PDF files were provided by a few presenters and those are available in the ***RESOURCES (Members Only)** area on our website.

[*NOTE: You must be signed into your OCEA account and must have a current OCEA membership to access RESOURCES \(Members Only\) files.](#)

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<https://oceacon.ca/events/fall-symposium/>



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SOME FEEDBACK FROM OUR DELEGATES

WHAT DID YOU LIKE MOST ABOUT THE SYMPOSIUM?

Question periods at the end of the sessions!

I really liked the information provided for it helped to inform my own practice. I thoroughly liked hearing other colleagues' situation, solution, and best practices.

It was the best online platform event I've attended.

It was very organized. There wasn't any confusion on how to access the various workshops. I also liked the flexibility in choice that participants had.

The variety of sessions offered and the valuable information I learned!

Well organized. I learnt something from each workshop that I could take back and immediately implement with teachers.

The presenters were very knowledgeable and engaging.

WHAT DID YOU LEAST LIKE ABOUT THE SYMPOSIUM?

The long lunch break! Because it was virtual, could it not be shortened?

There were some morning sessions I would like to attend but could not because it during another session I wanted to go

I would have preferred in-person learning.

Lack of francophone options.

Options were not repeated in multiple sessions - too many good options.

Not enough sessions for experienced teachers.

Workshop was too long given the online set-up.

Keep watching our [website](https://oceacon.ca/) and your inbox for details on our upcoming 2023 OCEA Spring Conference!! The planning has just begun!