Beyond the Talking Head: Active Instruction in Online Instruction

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What are the strategies for working effectively with students in online learning environments? What can educators do to stimulate meaningful student discussion? This presentation will provide examples of both written responses and online chat environments that reflect creativity, quality questioning strategies and online options that will increase the ability for the faculty to interact with students on a timely basis. Cartoons, case examples, and a collaborative response strategy will be used to illustrate the active concept.