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**Subject:** Monday Matters: AI Update  
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Dear Colleagues:

David Courson, Dean's Fellow for AI Integration, is continuing to hold office hours to help faculty understand and work with AI systems. Drop-in sessions are held in Chem 1000J, Wednesday 4-5pm and Friday 1-2pm. Meetings at other times can be requested via email: ([dcourson@odu.edu](mailto:dcourson@odu.edu)).

In the attached document, David includes information on:

- Upcoming seminars for students
- Updates to model capabilities including voice modes, reasoning improvements, local models, and more.
- Suggested syllabus language for instructors
- Potential responses for challenging questions from students about AI usage

This information is not only about using AI in teaching. The summary of new AI models and capabilities may be helpful to you in research as well.

Finally, please note additions to the Upcoming Events, namely the **General Education Reform Discussion** on Tuesday Oct. 1 (see attached) and the Office of Student Accountability & **Academic Integrity (OSAAI) Q&A sessions** on Oct. 2 and 3.

I hope to see you all at the **ice cream social** on Friday in the PSB lobby at 2 pm.

Best Regards,

Gail

**Upcoming Events and Deadlines:**

**Oct. 1, 12:30 – 1:30:** General Education Reform Initiative (lunchtime discussion, North Cafeteria) – see attached flyer

**Oct. 2, 12:30:** OSAAI Academic Integrity Procedures Q&A (Chesapeake Room, Webb Center)

**Oct. 3, noon:** OSAAI Academic Integrity Procedures Q&A (Williamsburg Room, Webb Center)

**Oct. 4, 2 pm:** **Ice cream social from academic affairs (PSB lobby)** – [Please RSVP](#)

**October 15:** Visit by NSF program director, Leslie J. Rissler ([Evolutionary Processes Cluster](#); [Mid-Career Advancement](#), and [Opportunities for Promoting Understanding through Synthesis](#))

**Oct. 18, 4 pm:** Science Friday – Speakers Ray Cheng and Jennifer Poutsma (PSB 1100)

**Nov. 15, 4 pm:** Science Friday – Speakers Dan Barshis and Balša Terzić (PSB 1100)

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