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Jamie Edwards

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Dr. Jamie Edwards, director of distance learning, helped faculty quickly transition to remote delivery methods when the coronavirus forced the university to modify its operations.

USC Aiken's [Office of Distance Learning](#) is the primary support resource for Blackboard and faculty training for pedagogy and technology for learning. It has created USC Aiken's [Academic Continuity Plan for Remote Teaching](#).

Edwards' quick response and continued support to faculty throughout the semester enabled learning and teaching to continue as seamlessly as possible.

"We are more than tech support. We are learning support. We want to make sure you are ready to continue teaching your students using Blackboard for grading, video conferencing, providing video content, and creating assignments and activities so you can still connect with your students."

—Dr. Jamie Edwards, director of USC Aiken Distance Learning
