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Dr. Nadya Shalamova is a professor, program director and expert in user experience (UX).

Biography

Dr. Nadya Shalamova is a professor in the Humanities, Social Sciences and Communication Department at MSOE and the program director of user experience. She earned her M.A. in teaching English and German as a foreign language from Tomsk State Pedagogical University, and her M.Phil in descriptive linguistics from Mari State University. She worked for several years in the Laboratory of Siberian Indigenous Language at Tomsk Polytechnic University where she conducted linguistic and anthropological research on one of the endangered (now extinct) native Siberian dialects. At the same time, she taught linguistics and ESL to engineering students. In 2001, she received a Carnegie Fellowship that brought her to the United States. That's when she first learned about technical communication. She decided to pursue her Ph.D. from New Mexico State University where she was heavily involved in the Freshman Integrated Learning Community Project at the College of Engineering. Shalamova joined MSOE in 2008. She teaches UX and humanities courses including Social Science, UX Practicum, Freshman Studies, Linguistics: Study of Language, and Foundations of UX. She is an advisor to MSOE's University Innovation Fellows and is a CREATE Faculty Fellow.

Areas of Expertise

Applied Learning, Design, User Experience, Technology, Technical Communication

Affiliations

American Society for Engineering Education (ASEE) : Member, Association of Computing Machinery: Member, User Experience Professional Association: Member, University Innovation Fellows: Faculty Champion

Event and Speaking Appearances

Blending Engineering Content with Design Thinking and UX to Maximize Student Engagement in a Technical Communication Class

2016 IEEE International Professional Communication Conference

Five Simple Tips for Communicating Technical Information

Wisconsin Society of Professional Engineers Discovery Conference

Five Simple Tips for Communicating Technical Information

Milwaukee Chapter of ASM 58th Bergman Seminar

Controlled Language for Content Optimization and Translation
Society for Technical Communication, Wisconsin Chapter Meeting

Working with Engineering Students: Lessons for a TC Program
Council for Programs in Technical and Scientific Communication

Education, Licensure and Certification

Certificate in Basics of Flare
MadCap Software Company

Certificate in Structured Authoring
Society for Technical Communication

Ph.D.
Rhetoric & Professional Communication New Mexico State University

M.Phil.
Descriptive Linguistics Mari State University

Certificate, Methods and Techniques for Teachers of English as a Second Language
University of CA: Riverside

M.A.
Teaching English and German as a Foreign Language Tomsk State Pedagogical University

Accomplishments

New Mexico State University Graduate School Award
2006-2007

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