

On the VERGE:



Debating the Future of University Teaching

Seventh Annual Conference on Teaching and Learning University of Windsor, Windsor, ON May 1-2, 2013

Lightning Panel 4

The Threatening Future of Where



Welcome to the Lightning Round...

Each panel features *competing* visions of the future of higher education.

- Morning Panels: Pessimistic visions
- Afternoon Panels: Optimistic visions







During the Lightning Panels...

- Each presenters will speak for five minutes
- Audience members break into seatmate conversations (five minutes)
- Moderator facilitates questions and answers
- Audience members choose one presentation to move on to the Forum Commons





You Decide: The Audience Vote

Consider:

- its thought-provoking nature
- its potential significance
- illustration of important trends
- implications for teaching practice
- the presenter's clarity, verve, and communicative impact





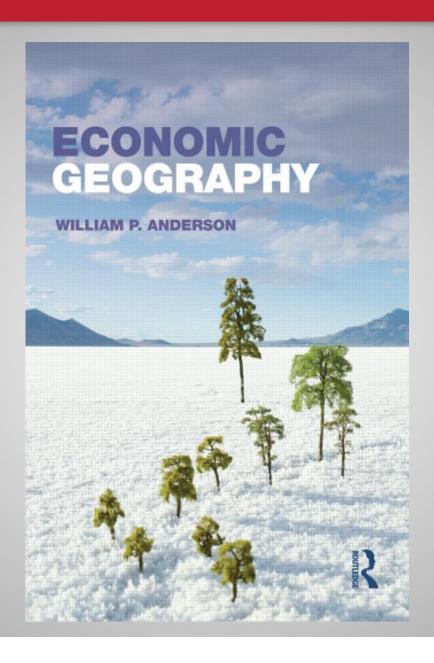
The Panelists

- Bill Anderson, Professor and Ontario Research Chair in Cross-Border Transportation Policy, Department of Political Science, University of Windsor
- Bill Muirhead, Associate Provost, Academic,
 University of Ontario Institute of Technology
- Mehrdad Saif, Dean, Faculty of Engineering, University of Windsor
- Betsy Keating, Doctoral Candidate and Sessional Instructor, University of Windsor

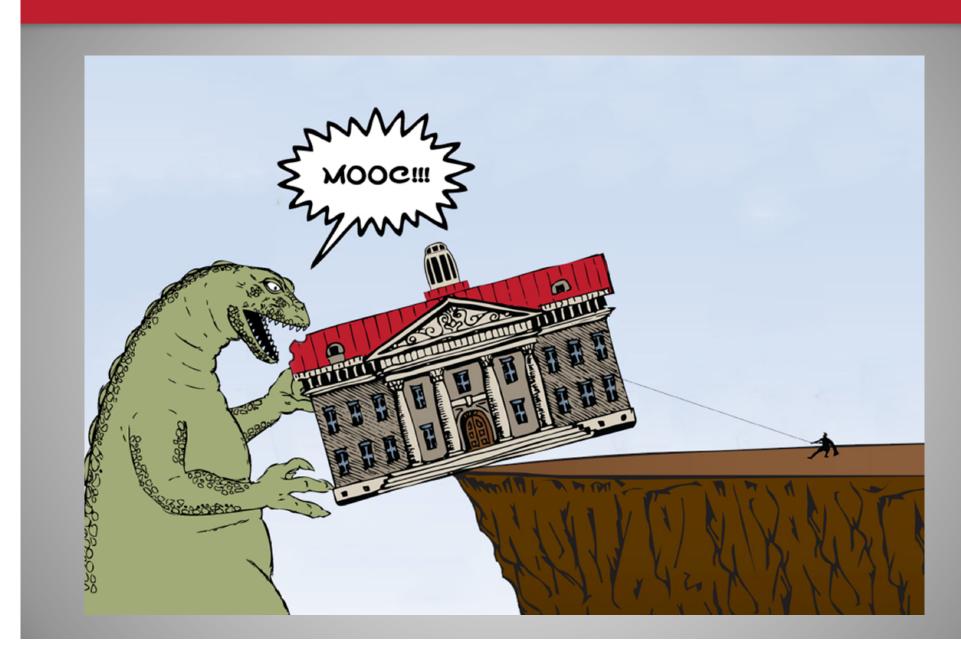




Bill Anderson



Bill Muirhead



Mehrdad Saif

Where will future higher education take place?

Access—Cost—Quality



STARRING: George SIEMENS - David WILEY - Dave CORMIER - Stephen DOWNES

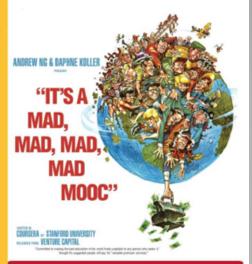
NYTimes September 2012--The caliber of Coursera's partners — Princeton, Stanford and the University of Pennsylvania were among the original partners — has given it credibility and cachet in higher education circles, so much so that some university presidents have begun to fret that it will reflect badly on them if they fail to sign

"You're known by your partners, and this is the College of Cardinals," said E. Gordon Gee, the president of Ohio State, one of the new partners. "It's some of the best universities in the country."

Mr. Gee, whose university will offer two courses from its College of Pharmacy, said he had some concerns about giving away content with no revenue stream in sight.

"That does keep me up at night," he said.
"We're doing this in the hope and
expectation that we'll be able to build a
financial model, but I don't know what it
is. But we can't be too far behind in an
area that's growing and changing as fast
as this one."

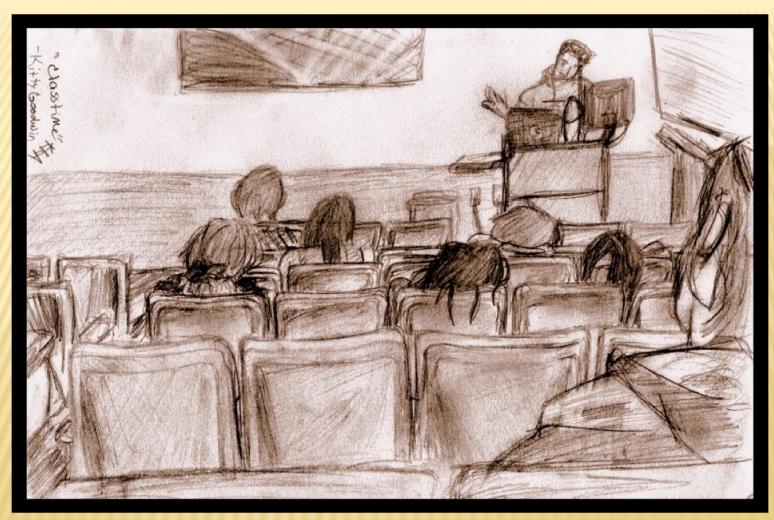
the biggest course ever rocks higher education with anxiety!







Betsy Keating



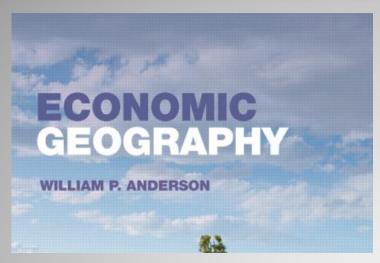
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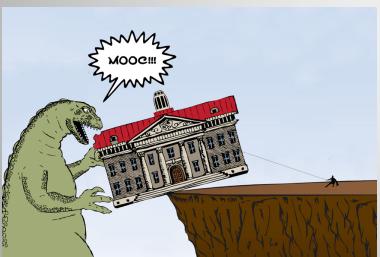
Paired Discussion (c. 5 mins)

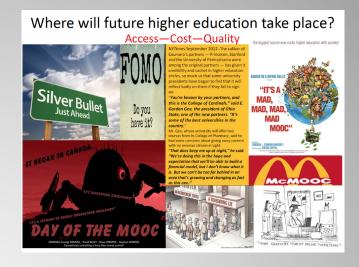
- Introduce yourself to your neighbour
- Review each presentation
- Identify key points and questions



Question and Answer Period















Cast Your Vote!

Vote for the presentation you feel should be further explored at the Forum Commons.

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