## Comp 915 2024 Assignment 02

Assigned 26 January, 2024 Due 2 February, 2024

## **Study:**

- 1. Svinicki: Chapter 2 ("Count-Down")
- 2. Bloom's Taxonomy: <a href="https://tilthighered.com/assets/pdffiles/Bloom.pdf">https://tilthighered.com/assets/pdffiles/Bloom.pdf</a>

## **Prepare:**

1. Write a set of **course objectives** for your selected course from the previous assignment. An *objective* is an observable behavior that you would like the students to be able to do by the end of the course. List the objectives in order of importance and justify the ordering.

Then select one unit of your course (a piece that would take 2-3 weeks to cover) and prepare a set of objectives for that unit.

2. Imagine you are stuck in a long elevator ride with some NSF program managers, who have some research funding burning a hole in their pockets. Without assuming prior knowledge about the personality or learning preferences of these program managers, draft a 2-3 paragraph "elevator pitch" (a.k.a. a verbal abstract) for what your current research project is and why it would be a good candidate for funding.

In preparing this, consider the personality and learning models we saw in class, and do your best to make your pitch as broadly appealing as possible.