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Magazine Ranks Online Graduate Programs in Top 25
Two online engineering programs at Texas Tech were ranked in the top 25 graduate programs in the United States by U.S. News and World Report. The online engineering program ranked No. 20, while computer information technology ranked No. 14. Read more about it in this story on Texas Tech Today.

A Note From Justin Louder About the SACSCOC Visit
Texas Tech recently hosted members of a SACSCOC On-Site review team. We were found to be compliant with all standards directly related to online programs. Visit our Tumblr blog for a note from Justin Louder about the visit and how it related to online and regional site courses.

New Worldwide eLearning Website
Worldwide eLearning’s new website is live! Many thanks to David Johnson and Melissa Morrow for working to get our website on the new Texas Tech design templates. Check it out now at eLearning.ttu.edu.

The Origins of Distance Education at Texas Tech
Texas Tech’s distance education program dates back as far as 1966 when a group of “flying professors” began delivering a Masters of Engineering program by aircraft to Borger, Midland, and Pampa. The Daily Toreador caught up with one of the original flying professors recently. Read the interview in this DT Article.

Blackboard Training Sessions at the TLPDC
Join us at the TLPDC for two upcoming Blackboard training sessions.

- **Tuesday, March 17, 2-2:30 p.m.** – Blackboard Learn 9.1 Training: Using the Date Management Tool
- **Thursday, March 26, 10-11 p.m.** – Best Practices for Integrating Blackboard Communication Tools for Online Courses

Additional training sessions are planned throughout the rest of the semester. All can be registered for on the TLPDC’s website at http://events.tlpd.ttu.edu.