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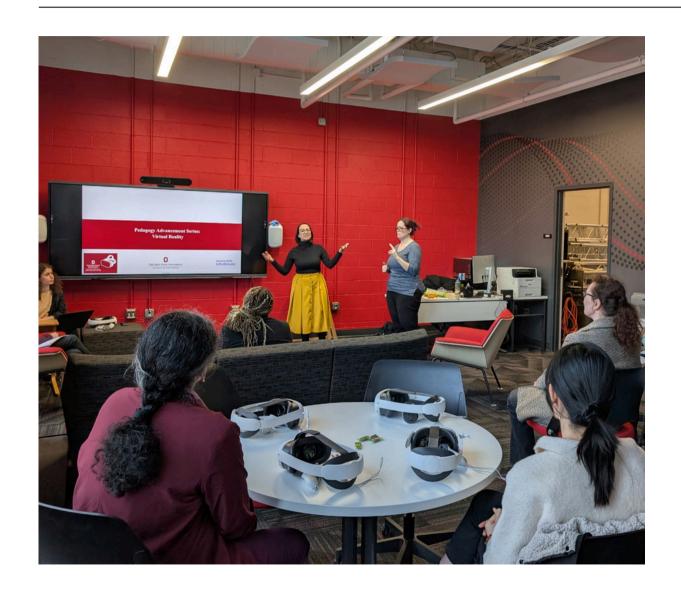COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Trapped in the Metaverse:
a workshop on the inclusion of VR in the world language classrooms

On March 4th, 2025, Samanta Buffa led a hands-on workshop in the CLLC Pedagogy Advancement Series exploring innovative technologies in language instruction. At the Emerging Technology Studio, participants experienced the immersive power of Virtual Reality (VR) through Meta Quest 3 headsets, navigating gamified activities like language-based escape rooms. Attendees discovered how VR can transform traditional teaching into dynamic, interactive learning.

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