

Adaptive MOOC

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MOOCs and Adaptive Learning Technologies

Nielson, B. (2014)

- Computer-based training(CBT) has been around in some for roughly 50 years
- Two of the biggest promises of CBT
 1. Universal access to education
 2. Adaptive learning

Now, with **MOOCs** continuing to proliferate and new **adaptive learning** technologies popping up, it looks like 2014 might be the year **these two promises are finally realized, together.**

MOOCs and Adaptive Learning Technologies

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- **Adaptive learning**

- “an educational method which uses computers as interactive teaching devices. Computers adapt the presentation of educational material according to students’ learning needs, as indicated by their responses to questions and tasks” (Wikipedia)
- “... The platform monitors how the student interacts with the system and learns... It assesses not only what a student knows now, but also determines what activities and interactions... delivered in what sequence and medium, most greatly increase the possibility of that student’s academic success.” (Knewton)

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- **Why should companies care about adaptive learning?**
 1. Companies are investing billions of dollars every year in computer-based and online training—adaptive technology can help them ensure they are getting their money's worth in terms of **employees actually learning essential knowledge and applicable skills.**
 2. **Can improve compliance training** by allowing learners to move quickly through information they already know, which **can cut training time** by 50 to 80 percent. ([Jan Sramek, 2013](#))

MOOCs and Adaptive Learning Technologies

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- **What do MOOCs have to do with adaptive learning?**
 - MOOC on molecular biology (Sonwalkar, 2013)
 - Khan Academy
 - Spanish MOOC by Instreamia

Spanish MOOC

www.spanishmooc.com

- Utilizes Instreamia's patent-pending adaptive learning technology
- Instreamia will periodically probe your comprehension with simple knowledge checks, such as a fill-in-the-blank listening problem.
- The accuracy of your response in combination with other information in your learning profile helps Instreamia gauge your overall level, the types of problems you need to work on most, and which vocabulary you need more practice with.

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Video player: Spanish Introduction - Scott

Subtitles:

Welcome to the course!	¡Bienvenidos al curso!
It's my pleasure to have you here.	Es mi placer tenerles aquí.
I'm Scott Rapp, and I'm the main teacher for this course.	Yo soy Scott Rapp, y soy el maestro principal para este curso.
I speak English, Spanish, and a	Hablo inglés, español, y un poco de

Right sidebar:

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Exercises

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et **placer** Singular Masculine Common Noun Frequency score: 5.1

pleasure

Live Listening

Live Reading

detail in a minute, but for now, go ahead and click Play Video. As you watch, don't worry about understanding everything. Feel free to read the translations as I speak, and just watch the video through once and try out the interactive subtitles. We'll work on learning what I'm saying afterward.

Spanish Introduction - Scott



Personal best:



Assessment Points: 10 of 10

[Play video](#) [View details](#)

Okay, I hope you enjoyed hearing my introduction in Spanish. [\(If you can't access the video for any reason, let me know\)](#). Hopefully the subtitles and translations helped for you to understand some of my phrases. If you didn't understand everything, don't worry! We'll work on getting you to

Module 2

Now that you've seen a little of how Instreamia facilitates understanding Spanish, let's let it teach you. The next task is to watch the same video, and this time use it as a listening exercise. Instreamia will have you fill in the blank for words, so you can practice listening and identifying words. Listen to the video and participate in the listening exercise.

Spanish Introduction - Scott



Incomplete

Assessment Points: 0 of 10

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Time of subtitles



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Yo soy Scott Rapp, y soy el maestro principal para este curso.

Click on the word that fits in the blank

que

les

virtualmente

bienvenidos

mido

Search for words

que

Exercises - Current problem

Oops! "que" wasn't the right answer. Try again.

Current exercise progress:

[Return to exercise settings.](#)

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6



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que

Word forms

que, que, Que, que

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Back Translations Hover sound

Search for words

	virtualmente	
	delgado	
	In ft:6	

Exercises - Current problem

Correct!
"virtualmente" was the right answer!
[Return to exercise settings.](#)

View score summary

Jump to question

Current exercise progress: 6

Spanish Introduction - Scott

Add star Learning

Time of subtitles

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virtualmente

Word forms

virtualmente

Translations

Results of Live Listening for Spanish Introduction - Scott

Time	Accuracy	Tested form	Base form	Presented choices				
8 minutes ago	Incorrect	les	le	que	les	virtualmente	demerolida	modo
3 minutes ago	Correct	programador	programador	español	modo	programador	principio	
less than a minute ago	Correct	seis pies	14 8.8	seis pies	hablo	les	demerolida	
less than a minute ago	Correct	delgado	delgado	solo	delgado	principal	español	placer
less than a minute ago	Correct	virtualmente	virtualmente	tambien	virtualmente	delgado	no	
Just now	Correct	aun	aun	virtualmente	hermanos	muy	gusto	aun

Restart exercise

I'm very tall - I'm 1.98 meters or six foot four inches.

Soy muy alto - mido 1.98 metros que son seis pies con cuatro pulgadas.

aun
 What form?
 aun aun, aún aun

Click on the word that fits in the blank.

virtualmente hermanos **muy** gusto aun



- ✓
- ✓
- ✓
- ✓

It's my pleasure to have you here.

I'm Scott Rapp, and I'm the main teacher for this course.

I speak English, Spanish, and a little Italian.

I'm a Spanish teacher.

Es mi placer tener les aquí.

Yo soy Scott Rapp, y soy el ____?____ principal para este curso.

____?____ inglés, español, y un poco de italiano.

Soy ____?____ de español.

Click on the word that fills in the blank

- 1 hijos
- 2 amigos
- 3 candidatos
- 4 hermanos
- 5 pasado

Search for words

🔍	🔊	aun	🔄	🗑️
🔍	🔊	virtualmente	🔄	🗑️
🔍	🔊	delgado	🔄	🗑️

Exercises

- 🔍 View only
- 🔍 Live Recommended
- 🔍 Flashcard Listening

Live Listening

Current exercise progress:



- 🔄 Jump to question
- 🔄 Start exercise
- 📄 View score summary

Live Reading

MOOCulus

Briggs, L. L. (2014). Enhancing a MOOC With Adaptive Learning.

- Calculus MOOC (launched January 2013)
 - practice doing math problems that matched skill level
- The number and sort of questions depending on the students' performance
- Coursera: the same number of questions to every student
- Hybrid: Coursera MOOC platform + adapting learning tool
 - The student's answer- whether right or wrong → determine which question to display next
 - Collects participation data in the background → the level of understanding of the current concept is displayed to the student on a color-coded progress bar
- <https://mooculus.osu.edu/>

Calculus One

Calculus is about the very large, the very small, and how things change—the surprise is that something seemingly so abstract ends up explaining the real world.

This course is a first and friendly introduction to calculus, suitable for someone who has never seen the subject before, or for someone who has seen some calculus but wants to review the concepts and practice applying those concepts to solve problems. One learns calculus by doing calculus, and so this course is based around [doing practice problems](#).

Enroll in the course

Watch the lectures

Read the textbook

Do the problems

Explore mathematics

Lectures

You can access the course videos on [Coursera](#) or using the YouTube links below.

Week 1

Title

Who will help me?

Cat-years vs. human-years

What is a function?

The greatest integer function

Linear functions

Inverses of functions

When are two functions the same?

How can more functions be made?

What are some real-world examples of functions?

What is the domain of square root?

A motivating example for limits

What is the limit of $\frac{x^2-1}{x-1}$?

Four examples of limits

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$$g(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 & \text{if } x \geq 5 \\ 2x & \text{if } x < 5. \end{cases}$$

$g(1) = 2 \cdot 1 = 2$
 $g(4) = 2 \cdot 4 = 8$
 $g(5) = 5^2 = 25$

What is a function? - Week 1 - Lecture 1 - Mooculus

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자동재생



Maths : What is a Function : y=f(x)
 Adam Beatty
 조회수 134,594회



Mooculus 1: Functions and limits
 Jim Fowler



Calculus 1 Lecture 0.2: Introduction to Functions.
 Professor Leonard
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When are two functions the same? - Week 1 - Lecture 2 - Mooculus
 Jim Fowler
 조회수 5,192회



What is a function?
 Dr. Patricia Edmiston
 조회수 37,239회



Mathematics Gives You Wings
 Stanford
 조회수 888,210회



What is a Function?
 Study.com
 조회수 14,225회

the mooculus textbook

Reading a math textbook is not quite the same as reading a novel—math is even more fun! To read mathematics, you need to bring a bit more than just the textbook to the table: you should also bring

a pen,
plenty of blank paper, and
courage to write everything down.

As you read mathematics, you must work along side of the text itself. You must **write** down each expression, **sketch** each graph, and **think**—always think!—about just what you are doing. You should work examples and fill in the details. Like all great things, this is no easy task.

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1 Limits

1.1 The Basic Ideas of Limits

Consider the function:

$$f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 3x + 2}{x - 2}$$

While $f(x)$ is undefined at $x = 2$, we can still plot $f(x)$ at other values, see Figure 1.1. Examining Table 1.1, we see that as x approaches 2, $f(x)$ approaches 1. We write this:

$$\text{As } x \rightarrow 2, f(x) \rightarrow 1 \quad \text{or} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x) = 1.$$

Intuitively, $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = L$ when the value of $f(x)$ can be made arbitrarily close to L by making x sufficiently close, but not equal to, a . This leads us to the formal definition of a limit.

Definition The limit of $f(x)$ as x goes to a is L .

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = L,$$

if for every $\epsilon > 0$ there is a $\delta > 0$ so that whenever

$$0 < |x - a| < \delta, \quad \text{we have} \quad |f(x) - L| < \epsilon.$$

If no such value of L can be found, then we say that $f(x)$ does not exist at a .

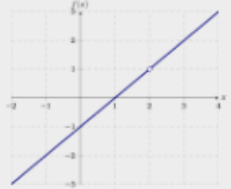


Figure 1.1: A plot of $f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 3x + 2}{x - 2}$.

x	$f(x)$	x	$f(x)$
1.7	0.7	2	undefined
1.9	0.9	2.001	1.001
1.99	0.99	2.01	1.01
1.999	0.999	2.1	1.1
2	undefined	2.3	1.3

Table 1.1: Values of $f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 3x + 2}{x - 2}$.

Approximate: As $x \rightarrow 2$, $f(x) \rightarrow 1$. More precisely: For every $\epsilon > 0$, there exists a $\delta > 0$ such that if $0 < |x - 2| < \delta$, we have $|f(x) - 1| < \epsilon$.

Complete

The complete Calculus One book is now available.

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The first Adaptive MOOC: A Case Study on Pedagogy Framework and Scalable Cloud Architecture—Part 1

Sonwalkar, N. (2013)

• Introduction

AMOL(Adaptive Mobile Learning) system

- five distinct learning strategies
- differentiated learning strategies and dynamic rendering of the content delivery on a massive scale

large numbers of concurrent users

→ conventionally hosted adaptive learning systems?

AWS(Amazon Web Services) Cloud Architecture with AMOL

- Auto-scaling → throughput and response time remains within acceptable limits for the adaptive learning platform

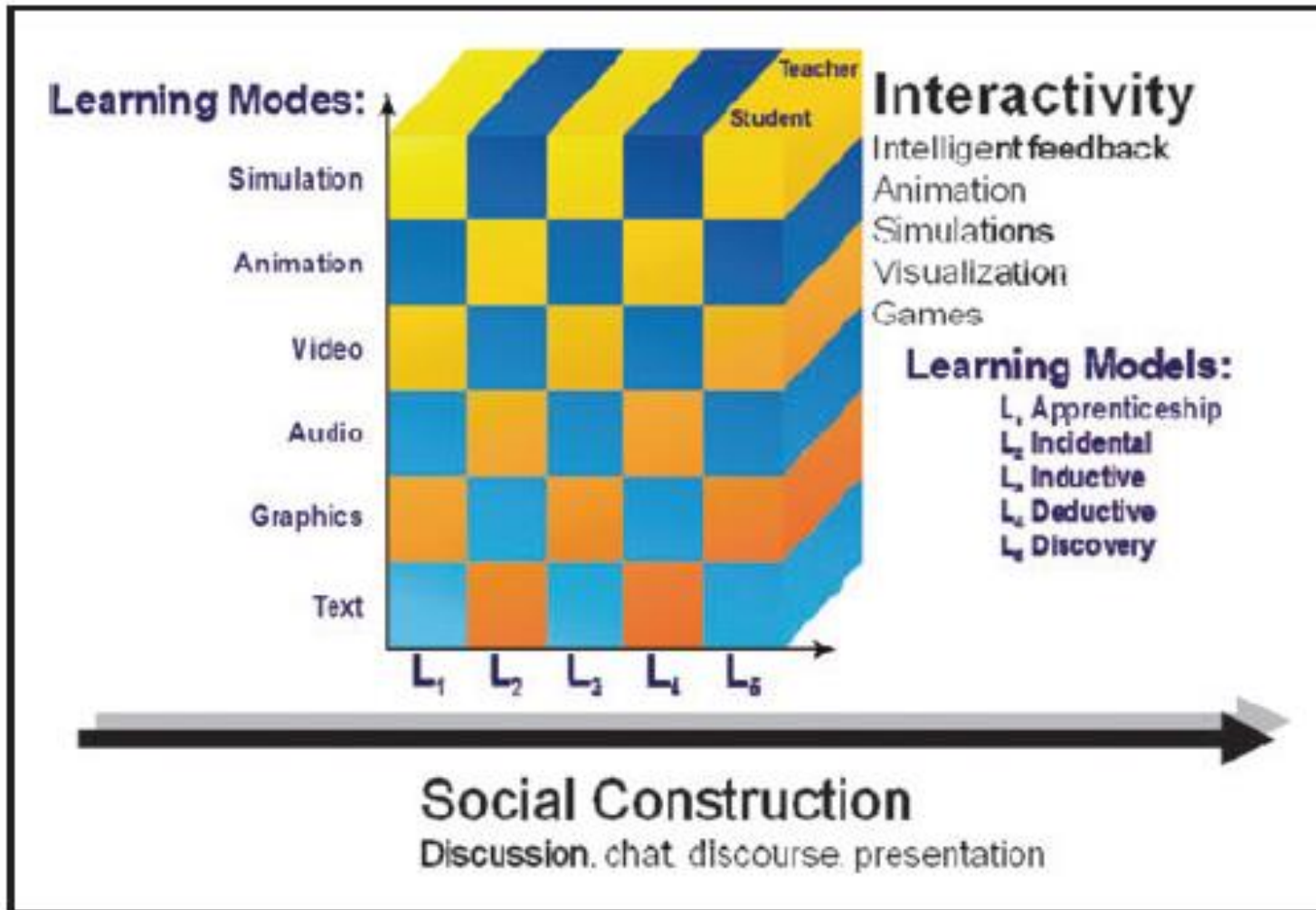


Fig. 2. The four-dimensional learning (4DL) framework for adaptive MOOCs.

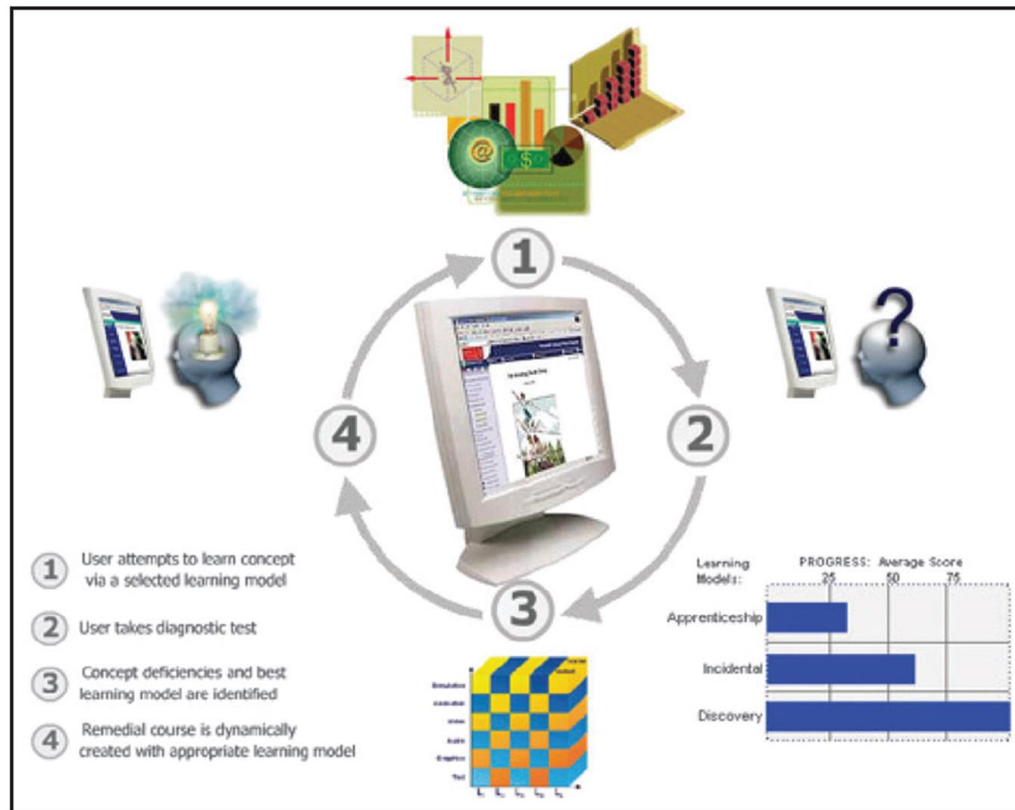
Through interaction with an [inference engine](#)

- (1) Organize learning objects developed in [text, graphics, audio, video, animation, and simulations](#).
- (2) in the five learning pathways conforming to the pedagogy of [apprentice, incidental, inductive, deductive, and discovery](#) learning models.
- (3) The third axis of the cube indicates increased [interactivity between student and teachers](#)
- (4) And the fourth axis is for [social learning](#) via blog, wiki, podcasting, and YouTube.

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- **Adaptive Learning Methodology for MOOCs**



- ① User attempts to learn concept via selected learning model
- ② User takes diagnostic test
- ③ Concept deficiencies and best learning model are identified
- ④ Remedial course is dynamically created with appropriate learning model

The learning cycles for self-improvement in the adaptive learning system.

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• Conclusions

1. The pedagogical instructional design was modeled to accommodate **five learning strategies**.
2. The **AMOL tools** were effective and adequate **for the rapid production of the adaptive MOOC course** in a very difficult subject matter.
3. **The cloud architecture** was necessary to accommodate expected **large loads** for a MOOC
4. The pedagogy and technology developed for **the adaptive MOOC shows great promises** for the future creation and conversion of **the one-size-fits-all MOOC into effective adaptive MOOC**

Design Framework for an Adaptive MOOC Enhanced by Blended Learning: Supplementary Training and Personalized Learning for Teacher Professional Development

Gynther, K. (2016)

- **Introduction**

- In 2020, it will be a requirement that Danish primary school teachers need bachelor degree in the subjects they teach.
- More than 10,000 teachers need professional development.
- Therefore municipalities ask for new concepts for in-service training.
- A number of municipalities (the customers) and University College Zealand (the provider)
- Design Based Research (DBR)

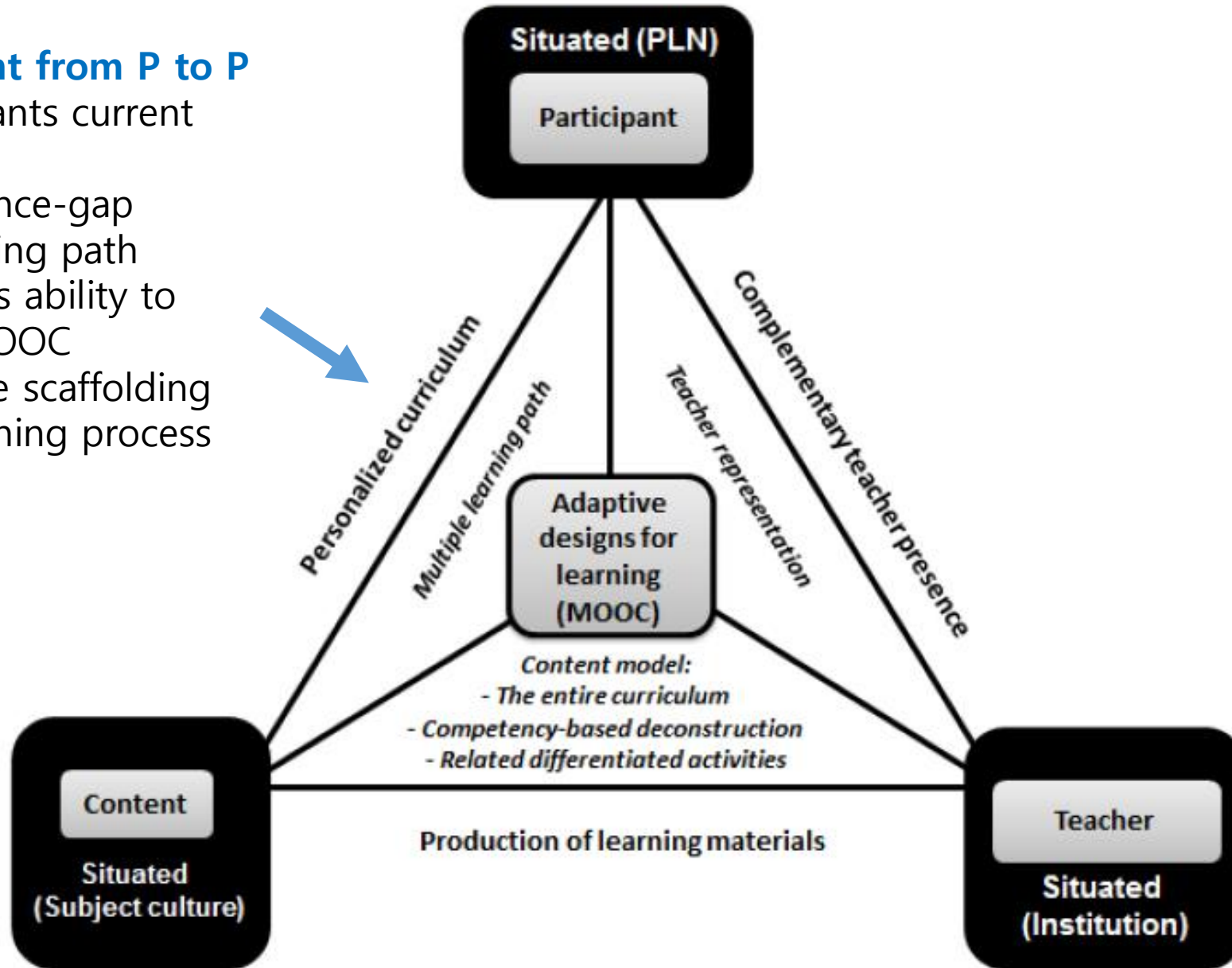
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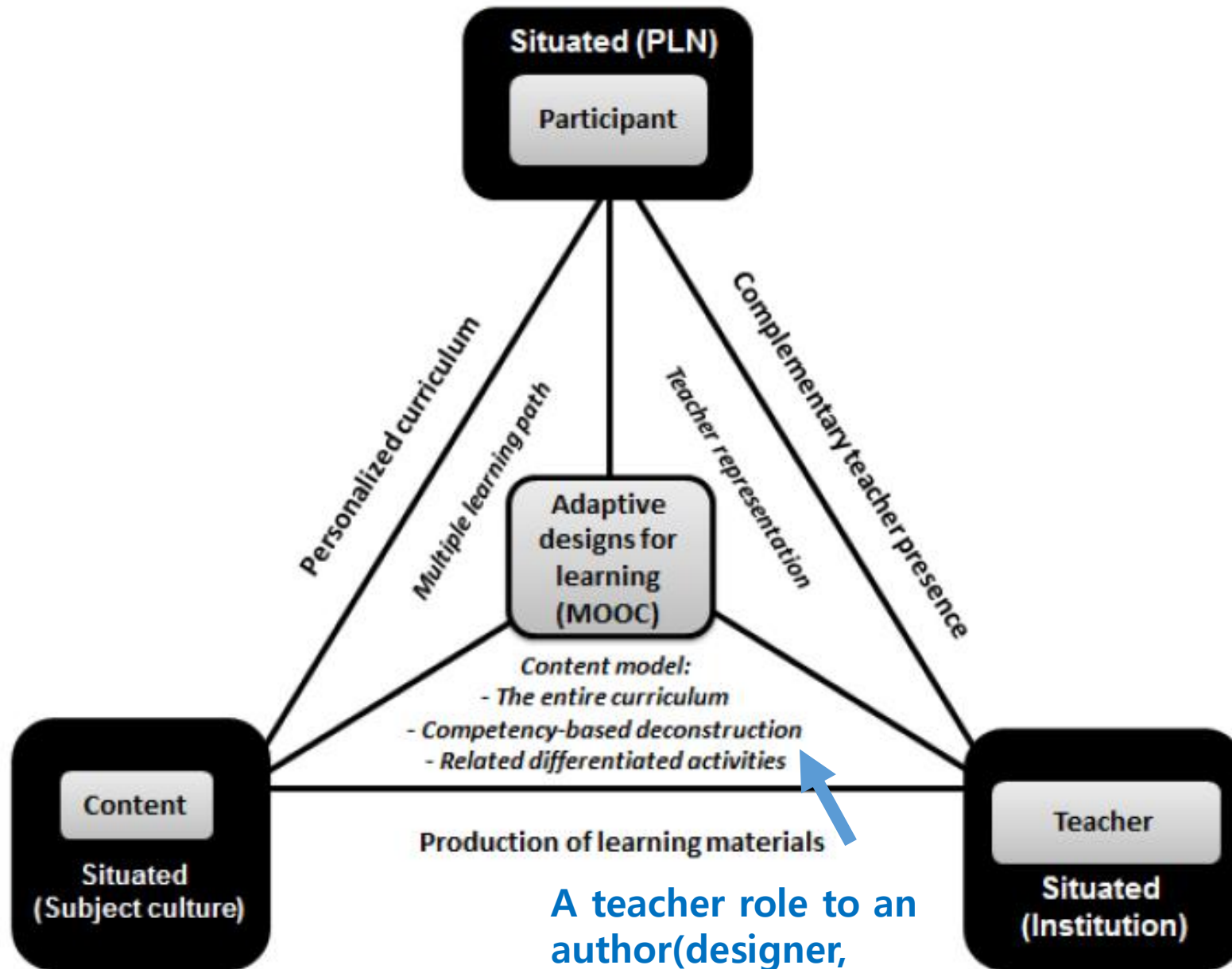
• Introduction

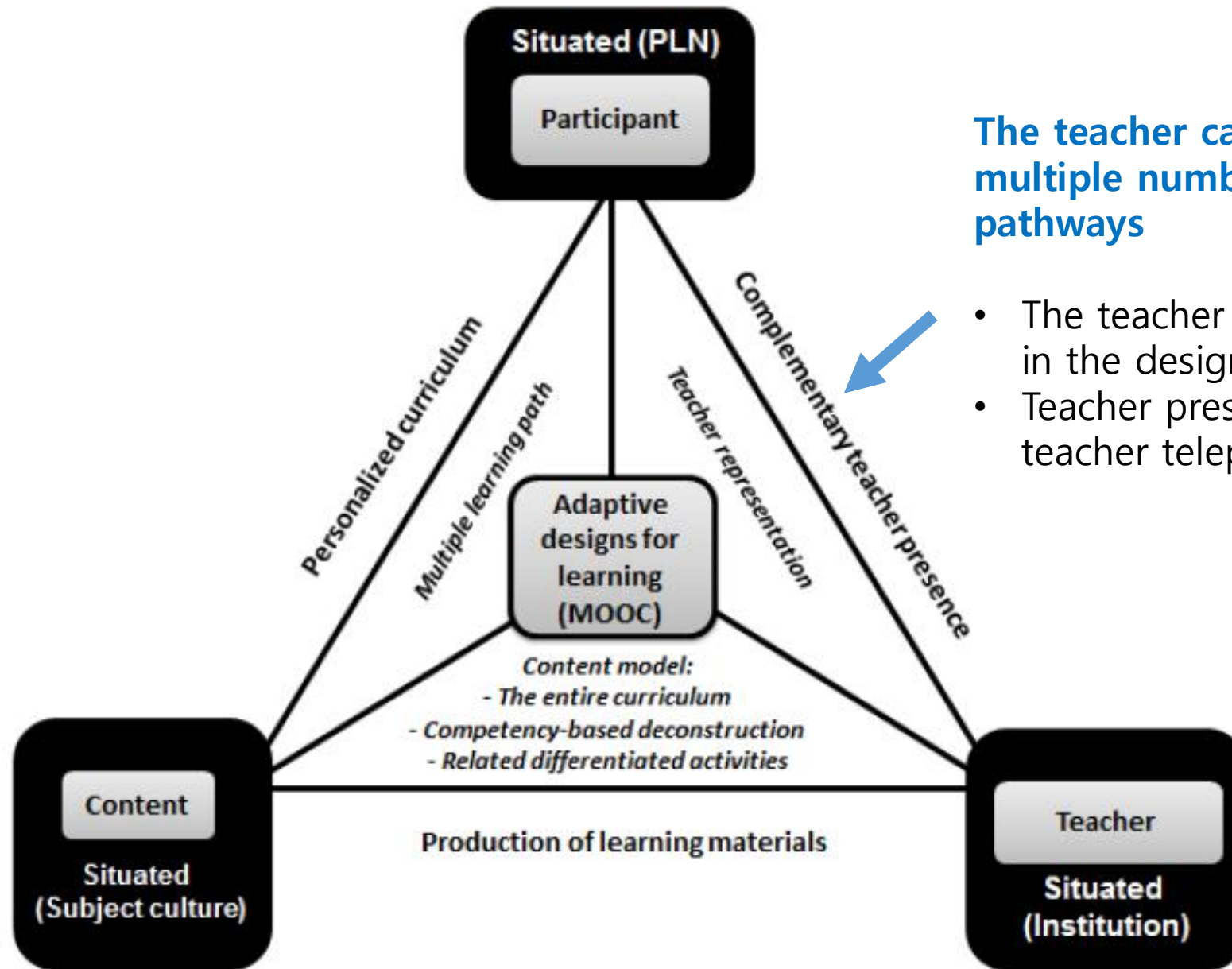
- ① Flexible in relation to teachers' work situation
- ② Based on the fact that the teachers already have a number of professional skills → personalized curriculum
- ③ Resource-efficient compared to the price and the time teachers must use to be formally qualified
- ④ The concept has to be scalable because it is uncertain how many teachers need training within each subject area.

Skills are very different from P to P

- Identify the participants current skills
- Visualize a competence-gap
- Recommend a learning path
- Identify the student's ability to learn in and with MOOC
- Establish an adaptive scaffolding of the student's learning process in the MOOC







The teacher cannot be present in a multiple number of learning pathways

- The teacher must be represented in the design
- Teacher presence → Asynchronous teacher telepresence

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- **MOOCs and blended learning**

- In our project, we work primarily with small MOOCs similar to a SPOC.
- Which are only open to students whose municipality has purchased access
- Use face-to-face interaction to support the asynchronous and mediated teacher presence in the MOOC (ex. teaching on the content that is difficult for all students, individualized and differentiated feedback on individual performance in the MOOC...)
- Scaffold learning in and with MOOC

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Discussion