

THE BOOK RESOURCE: Moodle's Best Kept Secret

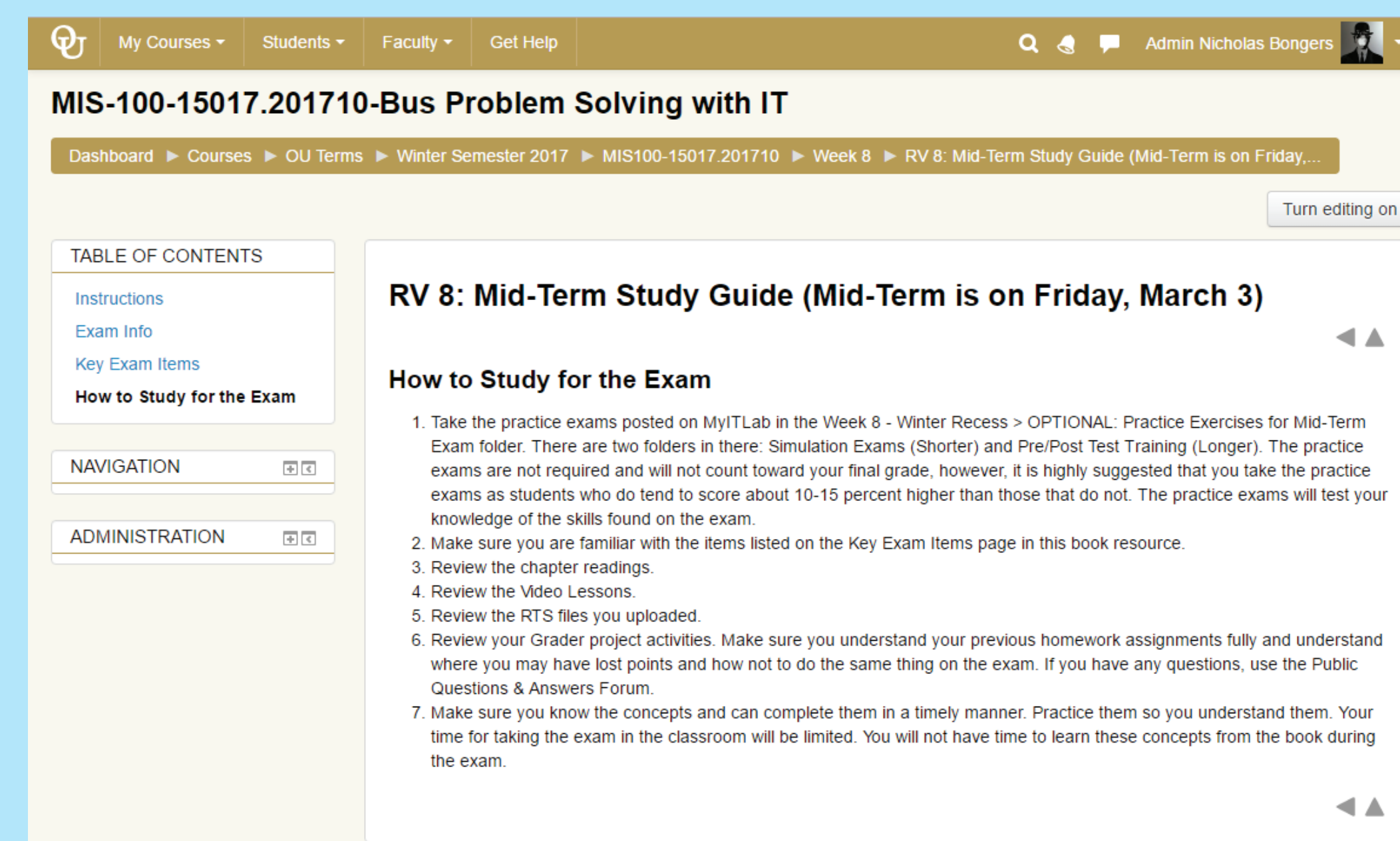
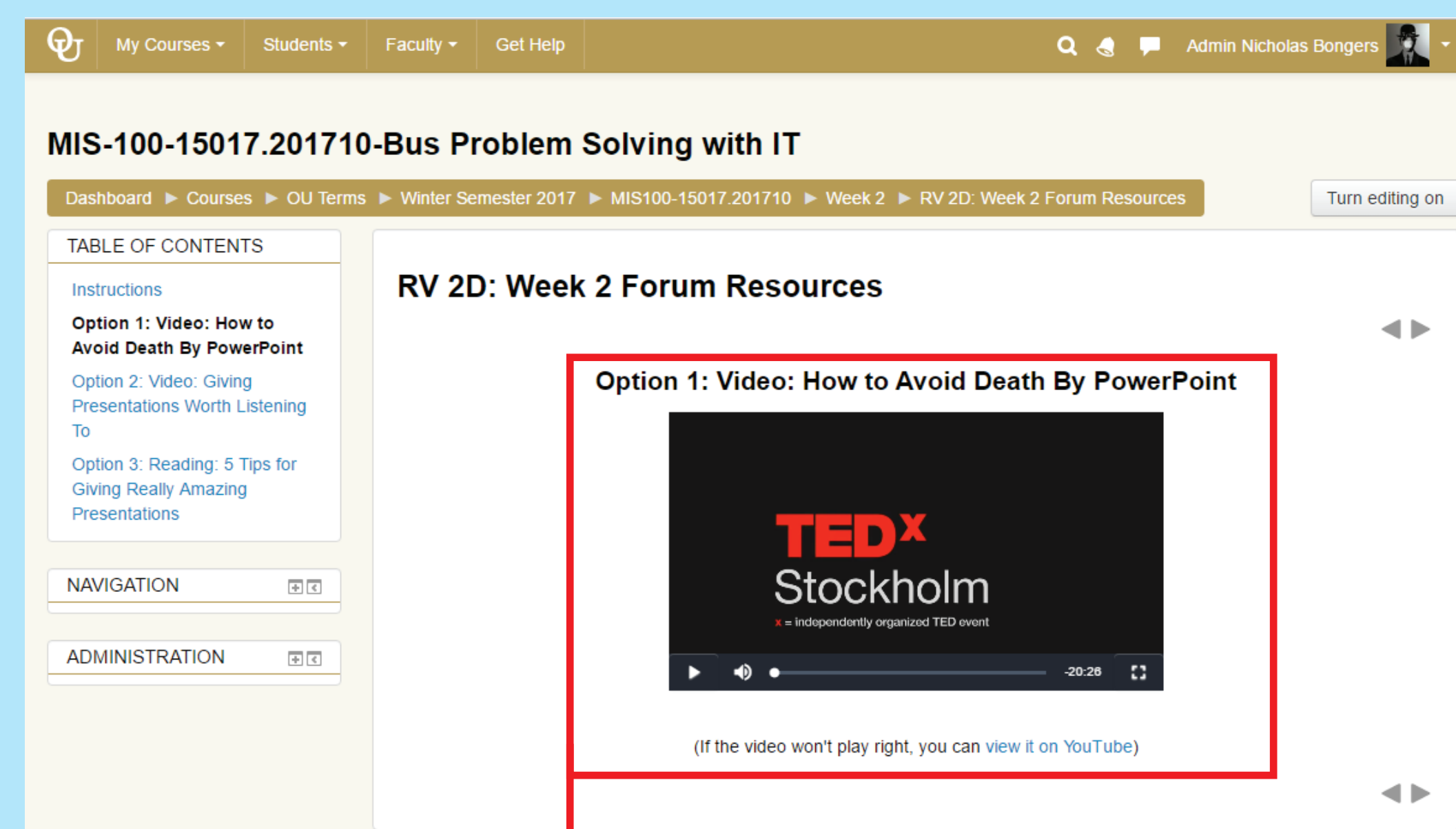
Teachers say...

What it looks like...

Why use it?

Shaun

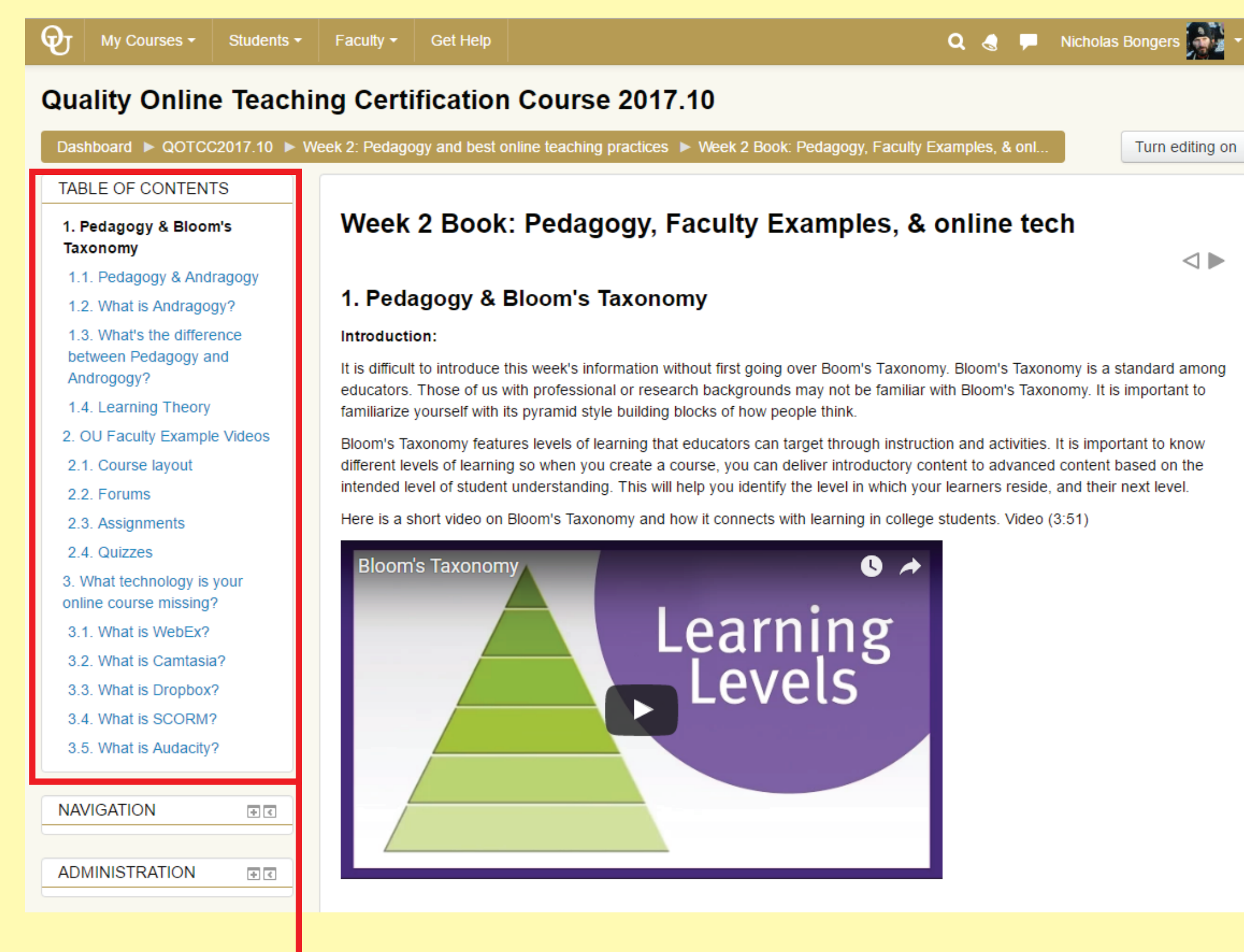
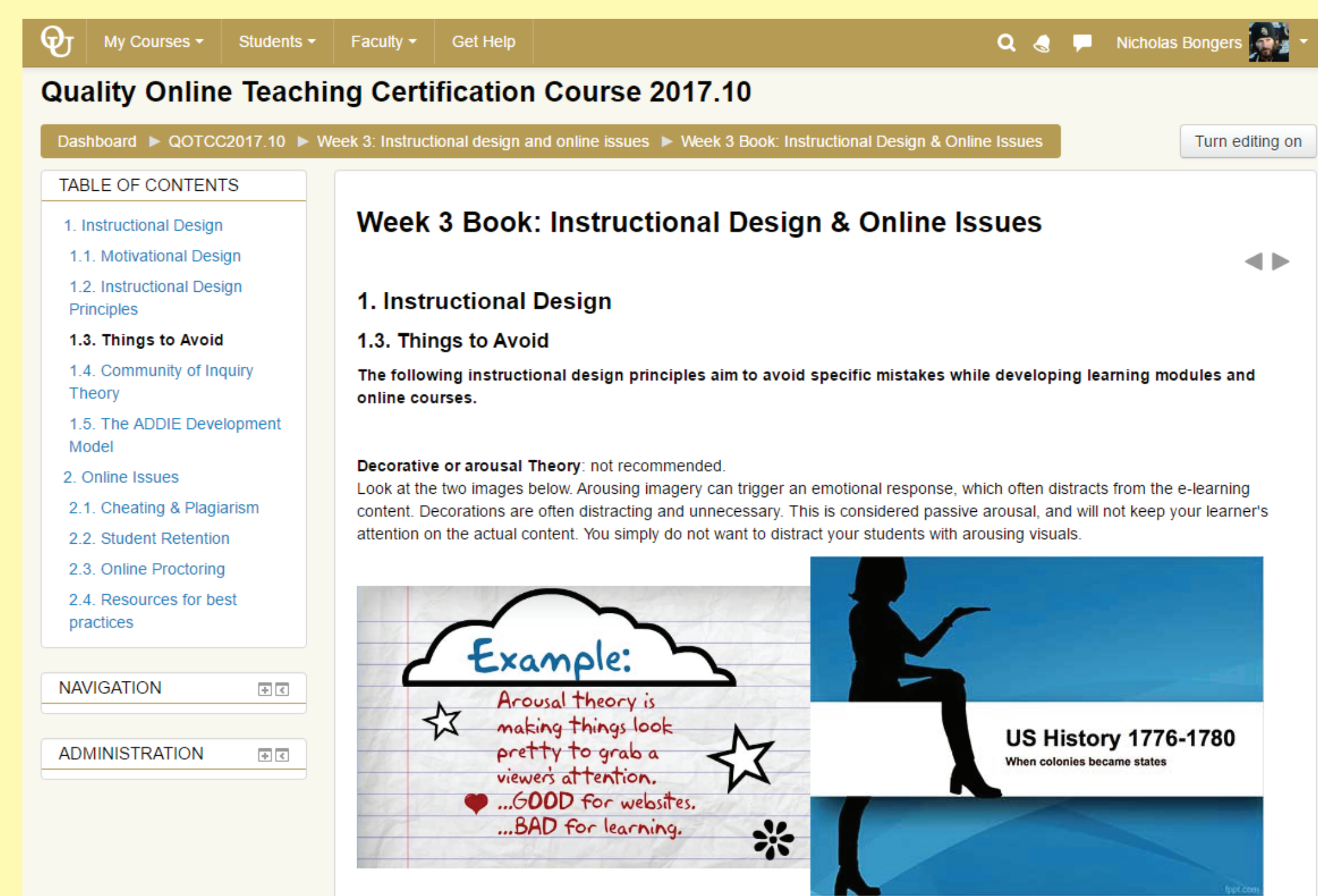
"I use the Book resource as a different way to give students material that they'll be discussing in a forum. As some weeks have lots of material for them to consider, things like videos or longer articles, they can view them as chapters of a book. I also use it for a nice study guide for upcoming exams, with chapters that give them general exam information, key study items, and tips for how to study for the exam."



Sending students to the YouTube website may be distracting for some of them. The embedded YouTube video in this Book keeps students inside the Moodle course.

Nic

"I use the Book resource to add images and videos to text in a more organized way. It also keeps my YouTube Videos in Moodle. I like to add summaries or provide links to information mentioned in the video. The result is custom made course content that is easy for my online students to absorb."



For easy navigation, a Table of Contents block lists all Book chapters.

FACULTY CAN...

- Create "chapters"
- Paste text (from Word, PDF, websites)
- Insert Images
- Embed Video (mp4, YouTube)
- Embed Audio (.mp3, .wav)
- Insert Links
- Add summaries under embedded videos
- Save space in your Moodle course
- Load content quicker than downloading files

STUDENTS CAN...

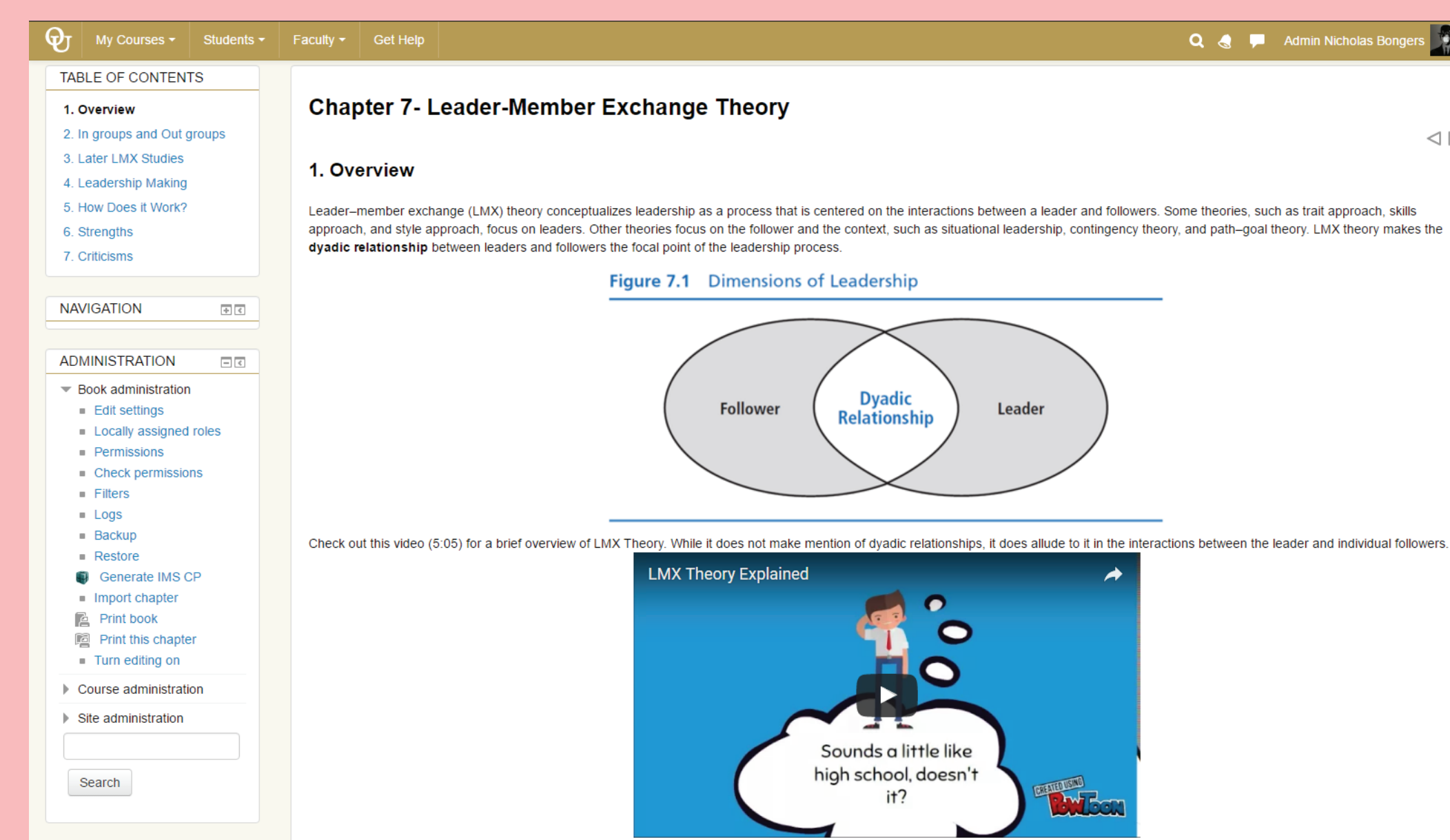
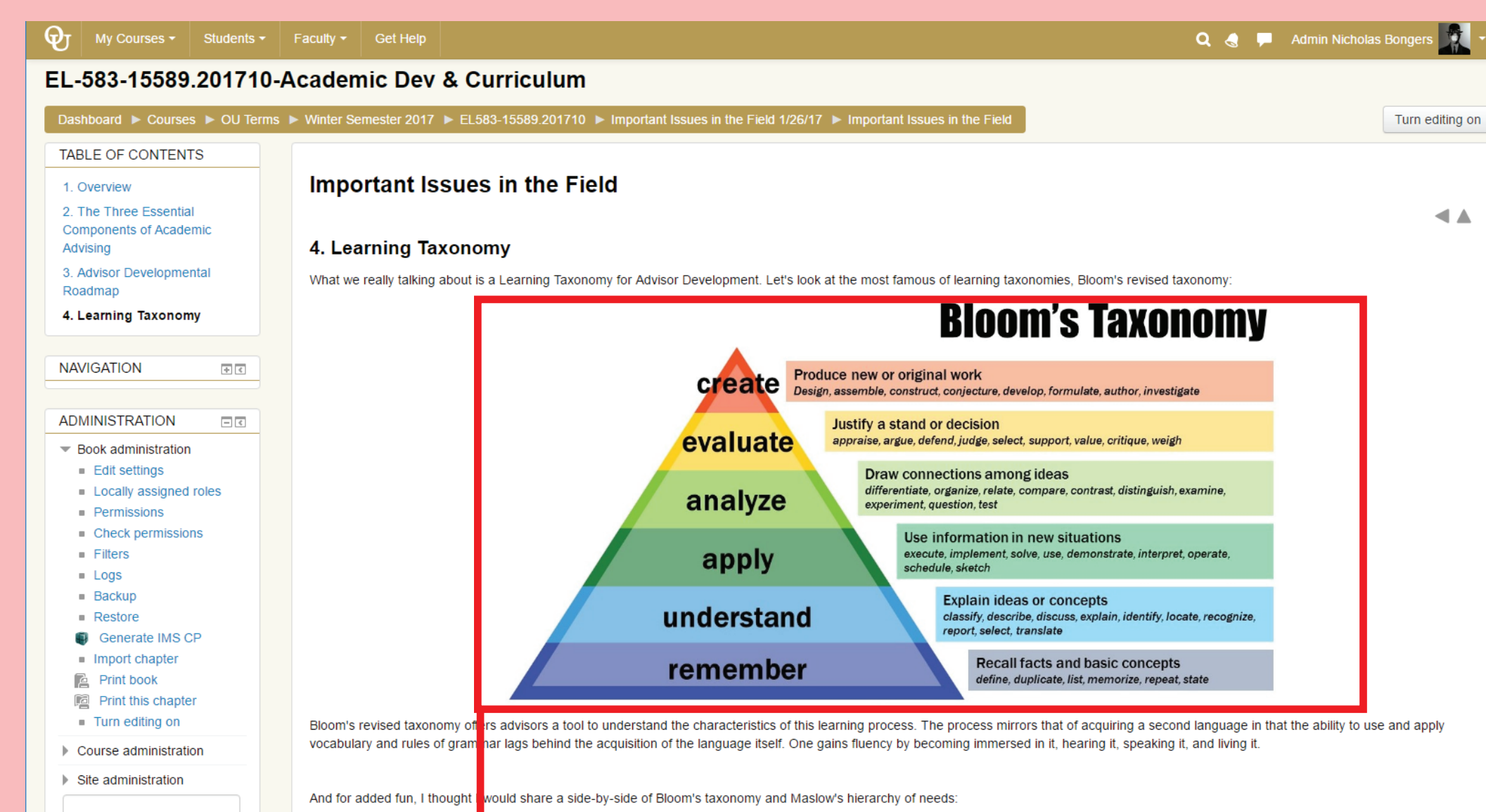
- Click through the chapters on the left side of the screen.
- Interact with all videos and links.
- Print a chapter or the entire book.

HELP DOC AVAILABLE!

You can learn how to make your own Book resources by clicking the Faculty Menu in Moodle and selecting Help Documents. It's only 2 pages!

Dan

"The Book resource can be used in many ways to impart knowledge effectively. In face-to-face courses, it was a great way to deliver engaging lecture materials. Students enjoyed the different approach to lecturing because it was more interactive. As an added bonus, they were able to revisit the material after class."



The Book resource is a great way to display an image and provide text that explains it to the student. The result is learning content that fits their needs.

