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Associate hon Professor Sophie Karanicolas is an academic in the Adelaide Dental School and the Academic Lead for the University of Adelaide's Continuing Professional Development Program. She is also Education Consultant at PLUS 2 Consulting and the Hon. Vice President of Learning Innovations and International Relations of the Communication Institute of Greece. Sophie has been the lead investigator for several learning and teaching grants in flipped learning and facilitates a successful Flipped Classroom Community of Practice consisting of cross-disciplinary academics, students and professional staff at the University of Adelaide. Sophie was the co-lead of a 2014-2015 OLT funded national project grant encompassing students, academics and learning designers from over 15 universities across Australia and New Zealand, helping colleagues to translate the flipped classroom concept into effective classroom practice. Associate Professor Karanicolas has been awarded several teaching awards, to include a 2018 *International Flipped Learning Award* from the Academy of Active Learning Arts and Sciences, a 2017 Stephen Cole the Elder Award for Excellence in providing *Leadership, Support and Enhancement of Teaching Practice* and Citation for Outstanding Contribution to Student Learning. In 2013 she was awarded an OLT National Teaching Award for Sustained Excellence in Teaching and the University of Adelaide's Vice Chancellors and Presidents Award for Excellence in Teaching (2010), Stephen Cole the Elder Award for Excellence in Teaching (2010.)



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