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LIBRARY ALL-STAFF MEETING
22 APRIL 2021



The College of Engineering

17 Departments: 10,209 students & 917 faculty

–4 librarians & **319** reference interactions July 2020–March 2021



What we learned

- students **ask** more questions on chat
- students **answer** more questions on chat
- student groups **more likely** to attend virtually
- reference interactions **increased**
- broad adoption** of Canvas library modules





BME_LibraryVideo1_IntroToUMLibrary

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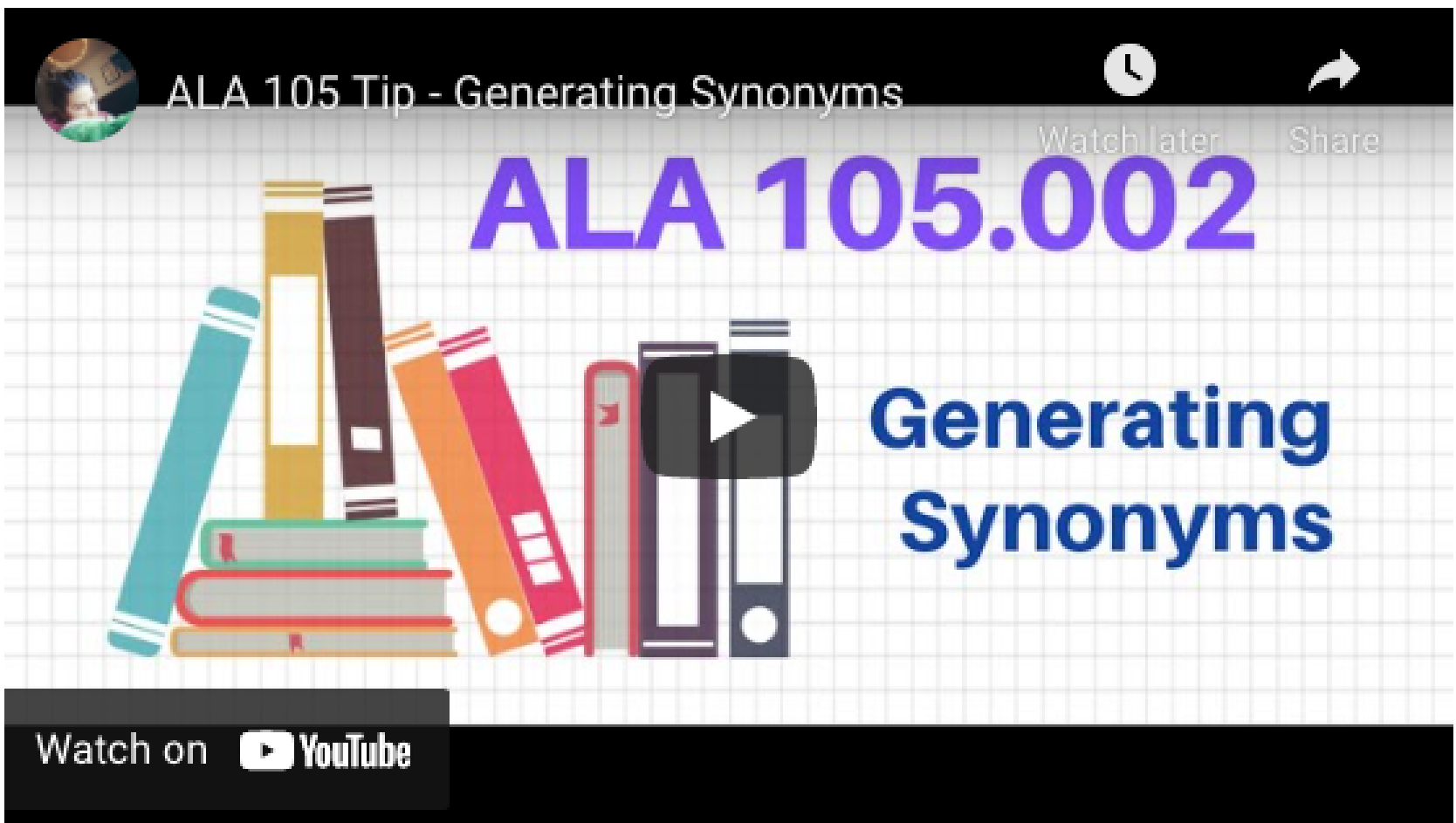
Video Integration

- ME 450 (284 students)
- BME 450 (127 students)
- 5 videos + 1 LibGuide

-ALA 105 Generating Synonyms



-TC 380 Developing Keywords



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-ENGR 260: Engineering Across Cultures

-team taught w/Gabriel Duque

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Engineering 260 Library Resources Session

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