The Modified Tutorial

An option for a pandemic, or any time
Traditional Oxford Tutorial

• Take a Deep Dive

• Students meet with professor in a small group setting
  • Address student work
  • Discuss instructional material
  • Help student pursue interests
Adaptations

- Very Large Lecture
- Small Group Sections
Further Modifications

- Structure
- Application
Structure

• Divide Class into groups
  • By interest
  • Random
  • Self-Select

• In a classroom with social distancing, or synchronous online meeting

• Less seat time, more focused time
Challenges

• Unfamiliar Terrain
• Feeling Put On the Spot
• Fear of Exposure
Solutions

• Acclimate students to the process
• Address the power imbalance
• Enroll the student as a teacher/learner
• Model the behavior you want to see
References
