



TOYOTA KATA @ UNIVERSITY

An approach for using the *Introduction to Toyota Kata Video* in your teaching

Educators utilize Toyota Kata and its practice routines in a variety of courses. Approaches include:

- A semester-long Toyota Kata student-project course.
- Introducing Toyota Kata as one topic within a course.
- Using Toyota Kata to give students a way of working within a course.
- Toyota Kata in executive education.

The **40-minute "Introduction to Toyota Kata" video** can be used to provide background content for 'pre-review' online, prior to classroom or practice activities. Here's one useful way to do it:

1. Have your Learners watch the video on their own time before a classroom or practice activity. Tell the Learners to write down what they think are the key points of the video. Advise the Learners that there will be a quiz and that they may be called upon.
2. Before the classroom/practice activity, you (teacher/Coach) should also watch the video and write down what you think are the key points.
3. Begin the class/practice session by asking Learners what they got out of the video. Write their responses on a flipchart or whiteboard. This helps you see how the Learners are currently thinking. Key points that Learners miss are things you can emphasize in your teaching / coaching.