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Harness the power of emotion in class




- Passion
- Likability/presence
- Public speaking skills
- Emotional contagion
- Knowledge emotions: curiosity, interest, flow
- Think ahead




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What students bring to class

- Anxiety
- Stress
- Aversion to group projects



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