

## Canvas / Slack Course Workspace Role Mapping

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Instructors and TAs teaching academic courses may create a Slack Course Workspace through their Canvas course site. Any user that is enrolled in the Canvas site's People Tool area with a role other than Designer or Observer will have the option to join the associated Slack Course Workspace. Please see the table below on how Canvas course roles map to Slack Course Workspace roles by default.\*

NOTE: If you need to add users to your Slack Course Workspace that are not enrolled in your Canvas site, please see our help article on [Adding Other Members to a Slack Course Workspace](#).

Canvas Course Role	Slack Course Workspace Role
Teacher	Workspace Admin
TA	Workspace Admin
Undergraduate TA	Member
Student	Member
Auditor	Member
Prospective Student	Member
Guest Student	Member
Designer	Not added to workspace
Observer	Not added to workspace
DLD Staff / Program Staff	Member

\* If necessary, Workspace Admins can adjust a user's role within the Slack Course Workspace to grant them different access to that specific workspace. (See [Change a member's Role documentation](#) - with Brown's license you will only have the option of upgrading a user from Member to Workspace Admin.)

NOTE: Once you escalate a user from Member to Workspace Admin, you will not be able to downgrade their access without contacting OIT Support.

For more information about the permissions each role has within the context of the Slack Course Workspace, please see our help article on [Slack Course Workspaces Permissions](#).

#### Resources

- [Slack Course Workspaces \(via Canvas\)](#)
- [How to create a Slack Course Workspace](#)
- [How to join a Slack Course Workspace](#)
- [Canvas / Slack Course Workspace Role Mapping](#)
- [Slack Course Workspace Permissions](#)
- [Adding Other Members to a Slack Course Workspace](#)
- [Slack Course Workspaces and FERPA](#)
- [Slack Course Workspace Recommendations, Tips & Tricks](#)
- [Slack Help Center](#)

#### Need Additional Help?

- For help with Canvas, please contact [dld@brown.edu](mailto:dld@brown.edu).
- For help with using Slack, please contact [Brown's OIT Service Center](#).

#### Related Content

- [Set Up a Slack Workspace](#)