



LMS Migration Panel

Spring 2007 Wizard

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Campus Information 2006 - 2007

Students

- Undergraduate - 9,314
- Graduate - 1,906
- Total enrollment - 11,220

Faculty

- Full-time 415
- Part-time 354
- Total number of faculty is 769



Campus Information 2006 - 2007

- M.S. Adult Education offered online
- Two graduate certificate programs online
- Average 25 online courses per semester
- Average 45 hybrid courses per semester
- Continuing to develop new course offerings
- Around 80% of student commute to campus

History of LMS on Campus

Blackboard Basic - Spring 2000

- o Offered first hybrid course - Summer 2000
- o Offered first online course – Fall 2000

Joined SLN – Spring 2001

- o Offered first online course – Fall 2001
- o Continued to offer about 4 courses per year

About the Migration

- In 2003 we were told that version of Blackboard v.5.5 would no longer be supported
- Perfect time to explore other products
- Surveyed faculty Spring 2004
 - o Identify top features currently used
 - o Identify top three features required of a new product
- Formed CMS Task Force to review products

CMS Task Force

- 35 faculty members
- 7 staff members
- Members asked to review products based on selection criteria from Spring 2004 faculty survey
- Only met once - communication via e-mail
- Arranged for visits from SLN, ANGEL, and Blackboard
- Offered webinars for those unable to attend campus visits
- Voting used traditional paper ballots

Task Force Members voted 25 – 1 for ANGEL

The Migration Plan

- Blackboard contract ending December 31, 2005
- Signed small hosted contract with ANGEL March 2005
- Took online Instructor training with ANGEL April 2005
- Began training faculty involved in pilot late April 2005
- Decision made to require training to use ANGEL
- Pilot Fall 2005 with 6 faculty and 11 online courses
- Began training campus faculty September 2005

Campus Training and Migration

- Training offered to 10 faculty at a time
- Had to register to attend
- Faculty migrated own content
- Faculty provided with flash drives to archive Blackboard content and import it into ANGEL
- Faculty moved one course during training, migrated the others on their own
- Trained over 240 faculty Sept. 2005 – Jan. 2006
- To date - 532 faculty using ANGEL

Success of ANGEL Migration

- People want to use it!
 - Fall 2005 courses on Blackboard – 263
 - Fall 2006 courses on ANGEL - 502
- Faculty continue to request training for access to course site throughout semester
- Participation at ANGEL Networking Hour and ANGEL Faculty Breakfast Series high
- Availability of student groups driving student use, in turn driving more faculty to use ANGEL

Faculty like ANGEL because...

- Customization
- Learning Object Repositories
- Interlink within own course
- Internal e-mail
- More robust gradebook