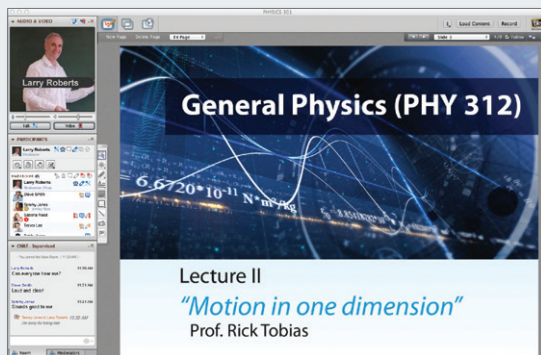


# Building a 21st Century Teaching, Learning, and Collaboration Environment

Blackboard Collaborate is designed for 21st-century education, an environment in which educators require a solution to help them squarely meet the multitude of academic, technical, and financial demands they face. An environment that must enable real-time online teaching, learning, and collaboration in ways that are engaging, personal, and meaningful to today's technologically-savvy, mobile-enabled learners—a generation of learners determined to participate actively in their education.



## Blackboard Collaborate Web Conferencing

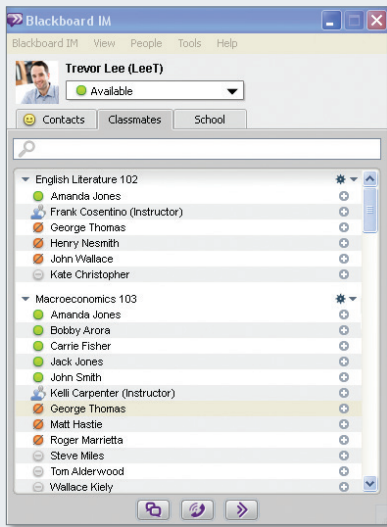
Blackboard Collaborate goes well beyond traditional web conferencing and instant messaging to meet the expansive collaboration needs of today's educators and learners. Our highly-accessible web conferencing capabilities enable your institution to support virtual classroom teaching, meetings, webinars, professional development, and more with robust features, such as interactive whiteboard, multipoint video, breakout rooms, surveys, polling, and application and desktop sharing.

## Blackboard Collaborate Mobile Collaboration

Today's active learners expect access to education opportunities whenever they want from wherever they are on their iOS and Android devices. Blackboard Collaborate mobile web conferencing enables educational institutions to respond to this student-centric priority by providing access for anyone, anywhere, and on any LMS, enabling students to collaborate and learn on the go.

With Blackboard Collaborate mobile capabilities, participants can easily join a live web conference to view session content, communicate via chat and audio, and interact in many ways—answering poll questions, raising their hands, joining a breakout session—to replicate the classroom experience. Plus, participants can access session recordings in audio and video formats on any mobile device.





## Blackboard Collaborate Enterprise Instant Messaging

With enterprise instant messaging, your institution can create an education network to support office hours, informal ad hoc meetings, and collaboration sessions—all initiated through online presence and instant messaging. Give students the ability to see who from their learning network is available to quickly work together and solve problems using audio, video, chat, application sharing, or whiteboard.



## Blackboard Collaborate Voice Authoring

Make the learning process more interesting and engaging by adding a human, personal touch, even when interaction is not live. With voice authoring, instructors can add voice instructions, annotation, and commentary to

course pages as well as personalized coaching, feedback, and assessments to online courses delivered through your LMS.

## Integrating Blackboard Collaborate with your LMS

Blackboard Collaborate integrates with leading learning management systems and provides APIs for custom applications. So you can improve online learning outcomes while reducing the overhead and inconvenience of working with disparate systems.

## Maximizing Benefits with Professional Services

To achieve the full benefits of a collaboration solution, you must think strategically about deployment, adoption, and uses. Our on-staff professional services consultants will work closely with you to determine academic and administrative goals and build the pathways to meet them.

## For more information

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## Blackboard Collaborate: Platform, Services, Proven Practices

- Designed for education, optimized for learning
- Wide spectrum of collaboration choices for everyone
- Highly accessible to support individual needs and learning styles
- Active learning experience on pc, tablet, or mobile device
- Open standards for greater interoperability
- Reliable and dependable, with high ROI

## Why Blackboard Collaborate?

- Greater learner engagement for better outcomes
- More learner-to-learner, class-to-class collaboration
- Efficient and effective professional development
- Greatest access and reach for increased enrollments
- Savings on travel and related expenses