

Blackboard Collaborate™ Integration for Sakai

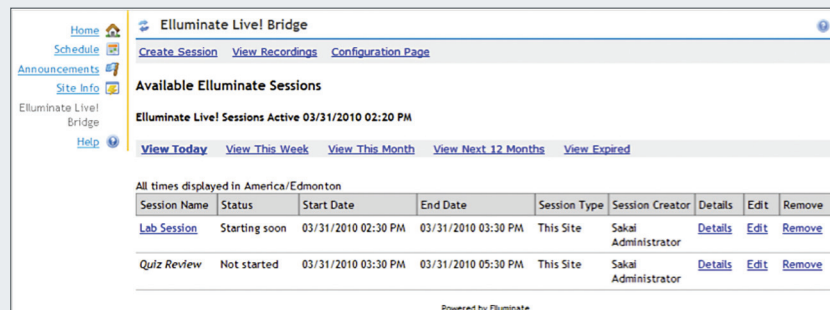
INTEGRATE REAL-TIME CONTENT AND COLLABORATION INTO EXISTING COURSEWORK

Blackboard Collaborate brings you a full-featured integration that effectively bridges the gap between asynchronous and synchronous distance learning. With the Blackboard Collaborate Integration for Sakai, you can combine open-source Sakai technology with Blackboard Collaborate's web conferencing capabilities to schedule, deliver, and record real-time, online classes from within your familiar Sakai Learning Environment.

For Instructors and Students

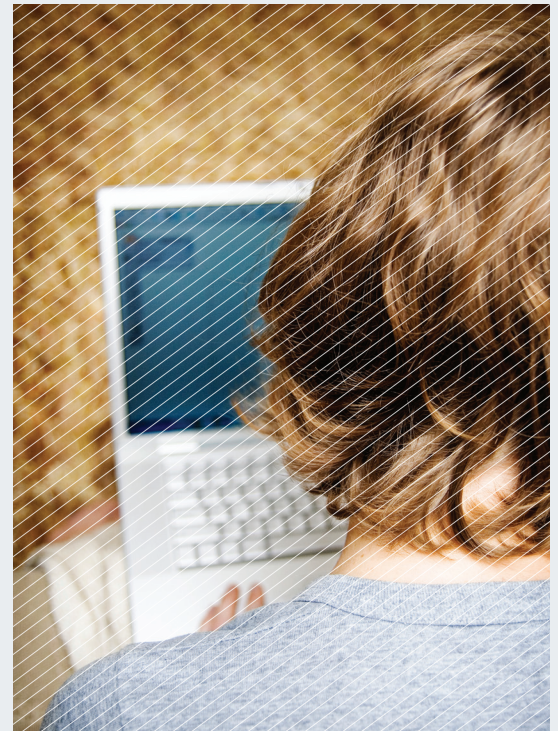
Now instructors can schedule and deliver classes using Blackboard Collaborate for real-time, multi-platform web conferencing that includes VoIP, integrated teleconferencing, multipoint video, interactive whiteboards, breakout rooms, application/desktop sharing, file transfer, Elluminate Live! recording, and much more.

Students can launch an interactive Blackboard Collaborate session or recording directly from Sakai with a single click.



The screenshot shows the 'Elluminate Live! Bridge' interface. It includes a navigation menu on the left with links for Home, Schedule, Announcements, Site Info, and Help. The main content area displays 'Available Elluminate Sessions' and 'Elluminate Live! Sessions Active 03/31/2010 02:20 PM'. Below this, there are filters for 'View Today', 'View This Week', 'View This Month', 'View Next 12 Months', and 'View Expired'. A table lists sessions with columns for Session Name, Status, Start Date, End Date, Session Type, Session Creator, Details, Edit, and Remove. Two sessions are listed: 'Lab Session' (Starting soon) and 'Quiz Review' (Not started). Both are created by the 'Sakai Administrator'. The interface is powered by Elluminate.

Session Name	Status	Start Date	End Date	Session Type	Session Creator	Details	Edit	Remove
Lab Session	Starting soon	03/31/2010 02:30 PM	03/31/2010 03:30 PM	This Site	Sakai Administrator	Details	Edit	Remove
Quiz Review	Not started	03/31/2010 03:30 PM	03/31/2010 05:30 PM	This Site	Sakai Administrator	Details	Edit	Remove



For IT and Technical Staff

Need deployment flexibility and simplicity? You have it with the Blackboard Collaborate Integration for Sakai. Install the integration quickly and securely into your existing Sakai environment. Then you can connect to the Blackboard Collaborate instance you already host on your own server or access as a hosted service with Blackboard Collaborate.

For CIOs, Provosts, and Other Administrators

You've made a significant investment in your Sakai deployment, training, and staff buy-in. At the same time, today's students expect more personalized, active learning. With the Blackboard Collaborate Integration for Sakai you can cost-effectively extend your online learning infrastructure to improve student outcomes.

Why Blackboard Collaborate Integration for Sakai?

- ▶ Add synchronous content to distance learning
- ▶ Schedule and deliver Blackboard Collaborate sessions
- ▶ Attend live sessions with a single click
- ▶ Create, archive, and share interactive session recordings
- ▶ Invite guest speakers to live sessions
- ▶ Designate moderator and participant roles
- ▶ Leverage your technology investment
- ▶ Use existing student and staff directory structures
- ▶ No additional user names or passwords are required

Blackboard Collaborate Web Conferencing and Blackboard Collaborate Integration for Sakai

- ▶ Used successfully enterprise-wide by academic institutions of all levels for direct instruction, professional development, collaborative meetings, remote guest lecturers, and more
- ▶ Fully supported by Blackboard Collaborate's 24x7 support staff
- ▶ Includes professional services, training, and implementation help from the experienced Blackboard Collaborate Team

The collaboration landscape is evolving. Don't wait. Integrate Blackboard Collaborate and Sakai today! Contact CollaborateSales@blackboard.com for more information.

