

Spring 2006 Wizard Academic Computing Track Agenda

Wednesday, March 1			
Time	Title	Description	Presenters / Panelists
8:00 – 8:30	TLT / Course Management System Overview and Framework Discussion	Provide overview of the day's agenda and provide a backdrop of the relationship between Teaching and Learning, Course Management Systems and Open Source	Jennie Dautermann – TLT Program Manager
8:30 – 10:00	Keynote Presentation: Future Directions in Course Management Systems	This session will focus on the “teach to learn” concept as it relates to distance education and more broadly upon some of the issues associated with faculty adoption of e-learning technologies and the need for more thematic pedagogical rationales within Course Management Systems.	Keynote Speaker Van Weigel – Professor of Ethics and Economic Development, Eastern University
10:00 – 10:15	Break		
10:15 – 12:00	Future Directions in CMS, Part 2: Panel Discussion	Building on the presentation of Van Weigel, panelist will discuss how technology developments will support new models in online learning, particularly “The Capabilities Approach” and the “Teach to Learn” concept.	Moderator – Van Weigel, Eastern University Panelists: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ken Udas – SUNY Learning Environments – Open Poly • Jim Farmer – Georgetown University – uPortal • Michael Feldstein – SUNY Learning Network • Chris Vento – WebCT • Carol Bell, Binghamton University – Blackboard • Craig Lending, SUNY College at Brockport – Angel
12:00 – 1:00	Lunch		

1:00 – 3:00	<i>E-Learning & Open Source: Panel Discussion</i>	With a perspective gained from the morning's presentation and discussions, panelists will discuss the role of Open Source in support of campus online learning and integration with ERP.	<i>Moderator</i> – Jim Farmer, Georgetown University <i>Panelists:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pat Carey – IBM • Stuart Sim – SUN • Mike Zackrison – Unicon • Deborah Elias-Smith –SCT Banner Solutions • Jeffrey Watkins – Moodle • Chris Vento – WebCT • Carol Bell – Blackboard • Craig Lending – Angel
3:00 – 3:15	<i>Break</i>		
3:15 – 5:00	<i>Learning Management Systems: Table Sessions</i>	Individual, small group demonstrations of various LMS are in a table session/booth format. This will provide attendees to see first hand the administrative tools and functionality of current applications and learn more about the future direction of these LMS's in light of earlier discussions.	<i>Participants:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • David Rosenbaum – WebCT • Craig Lending – Angel • Jeffrey Watkins – Moodle • Chuck Severance – Sakai • Carol Bell – Blackboard • Mike Zackrison – Unicon
5:00 – 6:00	<i>Networking</i>		
6:00 – 7:00	<i>Dinner</i>		

Thursday, March 2

<i>Time</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Presenters / Panelists</i>
8:00 – 9:00	<i>Library Systems Update</i>	Update on initiatives within the SUNY Library system	Carey Hatch, Library and Information Services, State University of New York (SUNY)
9:00 – 9:45	<i>An SLN Perspective on CMS</i>	In this session SLN staff will offer their view on the prior day's presentations including factors campuses should consider when selecting a CMS to enhance online learning.	Patrick Masson & Michael Feldstein, SUNY Learning Environments
9:45 – 10:00	<i>Break</i>		
10:00 – 11:30	<i>CMS Future Functionality: A Technical Discussion</i>	Workshop on campuses needs / requirements for additional / other services from System Wide organizations	ITEC, SICAS, SUNY TC, Security