

2-8-2008 Conference Call

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Agenda Items

Since Janet, Eddie and Josh will not be present at this phone conference, we should probably focus on the following items:

1. Teaching with Sakai Innovative Award Rubrics (Maggie)

- Maggie was sick most of the week.

2. Judges

We should try to build a short list to submit to the Sakai Board. Here is the list of potential judges that were identified so far:

Name	Affiliation	Submitter	Additional info
Dave Brown	WFU	Janet	Retired, past editor of a column in Syllabus Magazine and frequent presenter and author on effective use of technology for teaching. http://www.wfu.edu/~brown/
Karen Swan	Kent	Janet	Researcher into Instructional technology at Kent State. http://www.rcet.org/about/vita/kswan_vita_0108.pdf
Richard E. Mayer	UC Santa Barbara	Janet	Professor of Psychology at the University of California, Santa Barbara, who has done research into multimedia learning. http://www.psych.ucsb.edu/people/faculty/mayer/index.php
Steve Gilbert	Teaching, Learning, and Technology Group	Janet	http://www.tltgroup.org/about/stevegilbert/gilbert.html
Peter Doolittle	Virginia Tech	Eddie	Faculty, School of Education http://search.vt.edu/people/detail.jsp?person=1146127
Barbara Lockee	Virginia Tech	Eddie	Faculty, School of Education http://www.soe.vt.edu/idt/faculty.html
Steve Ehrmann	Teaching, Learning, and Technology Group	Eddie	http://www.tltgroup.org/about/StephenEhrmann/ehrmann.html
William Horton	Consultant, e-learning and usability	Mathieu	http://www.horton.com
Fred Hofstetter	U of Delaware	Mathieu	http://www.udel.edu/fth/
Diana Oblinger	EDUCAUSE ELI	Josh	http://www.educause.edu/PeerDirectory/750?ID=28818
Greg Kearsley	Consultant, previously Professor, multi-published author on elearning	Maggie	http://home.sprynet.com/~gkearsley/gpkbio.htm
Badrul Khan	Professor, George Washington Univ, multi-published author on elearning	Maggie	http://badrulkhan.com/khan/
Ken Bain	Professor, Montclair State Univ, multi-published author on learning, wrote "What the Best College Teachers Do"	Maggie	http://www.montclair.edu/center/bain.html
Gilly Salmon	Professor, Univ of Leicester, previously with Open University, multi-published author on elearning	Maggie	http://www.atimod.com/
John Seely Brown	Prior Chief Scientist at Xerox and Director of their research center at Palo Alto (where the GUI interface and the mouse was invented)	Josh	http://www.johnseelybrown.com/
Paul Elsner	Paul A. Elsner served as Chancellor of the Maricopa Community College District in Arizona from 1977 until 1999 and has been an international leader in the use of technology in higher education.	Josh	http://www.mc.maricopa.edu/library/elsnerbio.html

			WE ALSO NEED SOMEONE FROM EUROPE, IDEALLY FROM FRANCE.
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- Do we want judges to stick every year?
 - We should roll them.
 - Someone from the conference (sponsoring institution).
 - Ping the conference chair.
- No expectation that they will attend the conference.
- Follow up on people who submitted
- IBM has committed for next years.

3. Debriefing from ELI (Matt)

I met with Stacy Morrone and John Gosney from IUPUI.

1. **Repository:** They are building OnCourse Minutes (YouTube style overviews of practices/tools)
 - If we use tags, confluence could become a place to define and negotiate them, in order to develop a common vocabulary.
2. **Templates:**
 - John suggested to have an outside tool that would prompt the professor in order to help them build a syllabus. The professor would then copy and paste the HTML page in Resources. Could become a unique external and internal resource (instead of having multiple instances of the same syllabus in different systems).
 - The Calendar tool could be the first screen. Would need to show the month instead of the week as a default.
3. #* We all agreed that we would need a WYSIWYG HTML editing tool that could easily link to other tools in Sakai (Resources, Assignments, Learning modules in Melete, Announcements, etc.)
4. My blog entry about [Twitter and job aids](#).
 - Tiny bits must be indexed to be searchable.

4. Other topics

- Finding a time to meet Michael: everybody agrees
- Paris: Robin can work on the Paris agenda

5. Repository

- Nate: status - interested in joining with OSP community.
 - Systematic revamp of OSP library has made it broader. Already in place to capture practices
 - AACU has already joined forces
 - Carnegie Foundation - already had a repository. Carnegie Commons. Showcase-like.
 - Merlot - referatory: reference to examples. Add a "Add to Merlot" button to our database.
 - Everybody should have a new look at it.
 - Must rebrand the repository to make it more general, beyond Sakai.
 - Contact with Alison Bloodworth from Fluid. Cross project repositories at JA-SIG.
 - Try to migrate what is in Confluence in the OSP repository.
 - Building a task force to rebrand (OSP/AACU/TLgroup)
 - Resource at Marist could be the project manager.
 - Use the repository as a posting process.