Defy the Physical Classroom

Already used by hundreds of higher education institutions and K-12 districts around the world, the Wimba Collaboration Suite replicates and enriches the highly personal and dynamic elements of traditional classroom instruction in the online learning environment to enhance learning, improve outcomes, and increase student retention. Building on this foundation of robust collaborative technology, the new 6.0 capabilities continue to expand learning beyond the constraints of a physical classroom with advanced MP4, whiteboarding, and assessment functionality.

WimbaCOLLABORATION SUITE™ 6.0
Extend learning beyond the boundaries of the physical classroom.

WimbaCLASSROOM™ 6.0  A robust, virtual learning environment that includes audio, video, application sharing and content display – now with advanced MP4 functionality.

WimbaPRONTO™ 3.0  An academic-centric instant messaging system designed for both formal and informal learning – now with a state-of-the-art whiteboard.

WimbaVOICE™ 6.0  A web-based voice solution that facilitates and promotes anytime vocal instruction, collaboration, coaching, and assessment – now with an integrated gradebook.

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**WimbaCLASSROOM 6.0 - Do more with your MP4**

The new MP4 functionality of Wimba Classroom 6.0 gives instructors the power to distribute MP4 files, featuring digital audio and digital video streams of lectures and discussions, to course management systems (CMS), YouTube, iTunes University, Facebook, or other content management. Students gain tremendous flexibility in accessing content online or offline, from not only their computers but from their iPod, iPhone, or other MP4 players.

Providing content for review anytime, anywhere, irrespective of a student's location, is no longer an option but required to effectively engage and retain 21st century learners. These students have expectations of accessing classroom or lecture content with the same immediacy and flexibility that they listen to music and obtain information from the Internet.

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**WimbaPRONTO 3.0 - Let the Whiteboard out of the Classroom**

The ability to illustrate a concept visually is a powerful educational tool, which explains why whiteboard and smartboard technology is both effective and popular in today's classrooms. Imagine harnessing that same illustrative power during impromptu learning scenarios like group study sessions or informal conversations.

Wimba Pronto 3.0 enriches teaching and learning by making the whiteboard accessible outside of the physical classroom and allowing students and professors to illustrate learning concepts during impromptu group study sessions and informal conversations. The Pronto whiteboard now includes the Wimba Instructional Gallery (WIG), a collection of learning objects and background templates such as the periodic table, calendars, maps, and graph paper, improving the traditional whiteboard and taking collaborative learning to a new level.

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**WimbaVOICE 6.0 - Keep the Discussion Going...and Graded**

Working within the constraints of set class hours can sometimes impede learning - artificially ending a lively discussion or curtailing instruction. It follows that if students and instructors have the flexibility to continue a discussion, beyond an allotted segment of time, that learning is enriched and outcomes improved.

The new 6.0 release of Wimba Voice allows instructors to not only grade a voice discussion board from within Wimba Voice but to automatically add these evaluations to the CMS gradebook. Assessment and timely grades enrich the learning process and the efficiency of this workflow means instructors can focus on teaching rather than cumbersome administration.

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**IMPACT TEACHING AND LEARNING**

How can you utilize the new capabilities of the Wimba Collaboration Suite 6.0 within your learning community?

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