Presentation to the New York State Board of Regents

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The Online Learning Environment
Online Courses in the LMS

- **Chapter 1: Introduction**
  - Introduction to Digital Storytelling; Icebreaker; Wordle and Blog Assignments

- **Chapter 2: The Digital Story**
  - Digital Narratives; Animoto Story Project

- **Chapter 3: Story Design**
  - Web 2.0 Storytelling; Artifacts

- **Chapter 4: Storytelling and Social Media**
  - Digital Storytelling Collections and Collaboratives; Microblogging

- **Chapter 5: Interactive Storytelling**
  - Interactive Narratives; Virtual Worlds Story Project; VoiceThread Story Project

- **Chapter 6: Conclusion**
  - Miller; Final Reflections; Blogging Your Stories.

**Ask a Question**
Learning environment design: Ellen Murphy and Kathleen Stone
Every learning activity in Moodle can be exported to Mahara ePortfolio

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-Ellen Murphy
Director of Online Curriculum
https://voicethread.com/?#q.b409.i848804
Best Practices in the Online Learning Environment
Best Practices

• Teaching Presence
• Student-centered
• Critical thinking, self-reflection and independent learning
• Teamwork through collaborative projects
• Interactivity and community building
• Readings and virtual field trips
• Open resources and social media
• ePortfolios
Emerging Trends: Massive Open Online Courses (MOOCs)
“Bottom line: There is still huge value in the residential college experience and the teacher-student and student-student interactions it facilitates. But to thrive, universities will have to nurture even more of those unique experiences while blending in technology to improve education outcomes in measurable ways at lower costs.”

Thomas Friedman
The New York Times

http://www.nytimes.com/2013/03/06/opinion/friedman-the-professors-big-stage.html?smid=pl-share
CMC11 Session 4: Transliteracy and Metaliteracy

Wikipedia, 2011, Rob Matthews

“London-based designer and Matthews explores the translation of objects, images, and ideas from one medium to another. His works display the playful and sometimes precarious or unwieldy results of his investigations into the authenticity of contemporary media.”

http://youtu.be/Stnfj9HFbzw
Welcome to VizMath: a cMOOC

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The development of this connectivist MOOC is still a "work in progress" with additions and edits occurring as we complete the build. It is open for registration and your perusal. The first "live" session is scheduled for 18 October 2012 at NOON New York time. Thank for your patience and understanding. Looking forward to seeing/reading you online.

http://math.cdlprojects.com/

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