

Presentation to the New York State Board of Regents

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The Online Learning Environment

Online Courses in the LMS

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-  **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**

WELCOME TO ALGEBRA

Announcements

Course Schedule

Course Information

Pre-term Setup

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Algebra Course Information

We have an exciting course ahead of us in which we will learn about linear and quadratic equations, polynomials, rational equations and functions. Even more importantly, we will learn about when, why and how will we ever use these equations in real world settings! Through our interactive course software, we will explore, practice and develop our skills in Algebra. We have a busy term ahead of us. So let's begin!

Course Overview

Course Readings and Materials

Learning Activities

How You Will Be Evaluated

How to Participate in a Mathematical Discussion

Pre-term Setup ▶

Latest news

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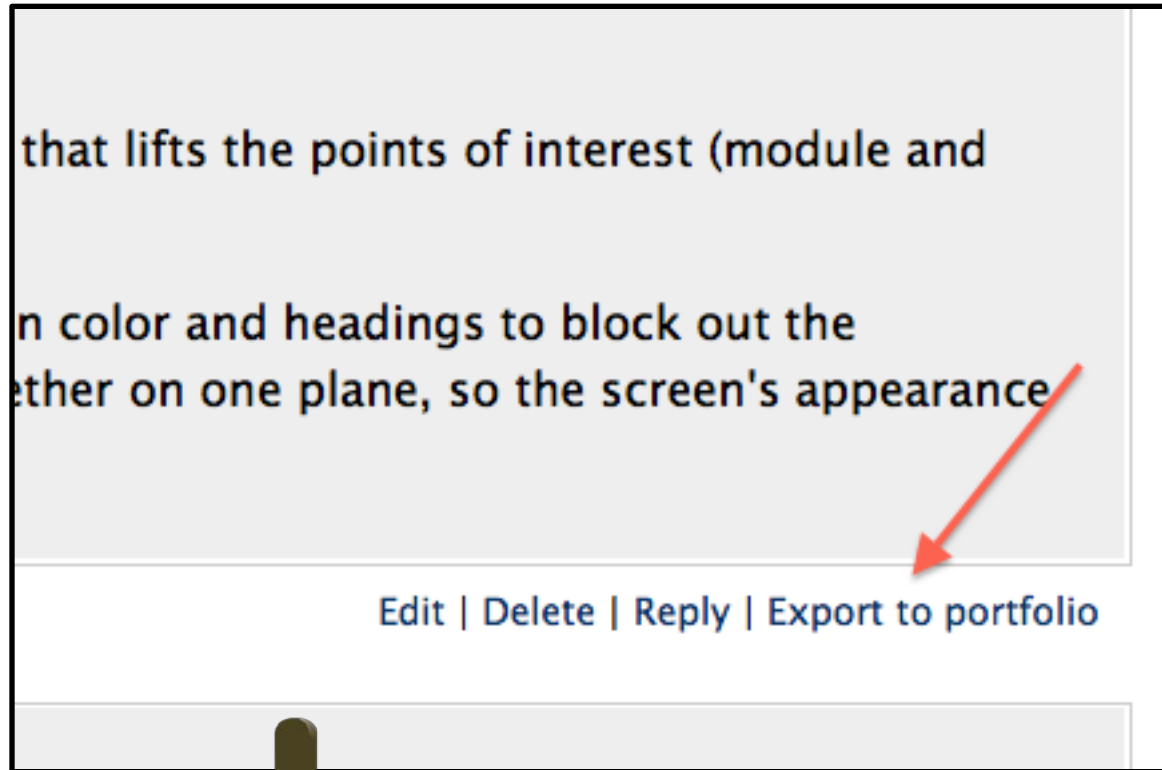
Activities

- Assignments
- Forums
- Resources

People

Participants

Every learning activity in Moodle can be exported to Mahara ePortfolio



-Ellen Murphy
Director of Online Curriculum



My Father the King



I think this is a good look for him, kinda grungy facial hair, but a crazy 15th century Prada suit that says loud and clear, "I certainly could shave if I wanted!"

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Best Practices in the Online Learning Environment

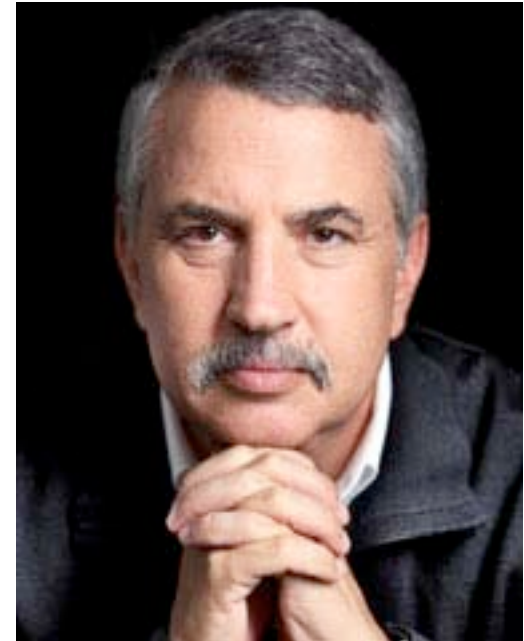
Best Practices

- 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)

“The professor's big stage”

“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>

The screenshot shows a Moodle course page with a colorful header. The main title is 'Creativity & Multicultural Communication'. Below the header is a navigation menu with items: Home, Uncategorized, Home: CMC 11, Course facilitators, Your privacy, Contact us, Week 1: Orientation, Week 2: Connectivism, and Week 3: PLE. A search bar is located in the top right corner. The main content area is titled 'Home: CMC 11' and contains a welcome message. On the left side, there are two sidebar menus: 'This Course' and 'Your Account'.

Creativity & Multicultural Communication

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Home: CMC 11

Welcome To Creativity and Multicultural Communication

CMC11 is an open online course that over 13 weeks explores the domain of Creativity and global communication in multidisciplinary venues . Participation is open to everyone and there are no fees or subscriptions required.

Register Here ([link to follow](#))

Increasingly, the challenges we face are complex and open-ended and knowledge alone is not enough to reach innovative and effective approaches to these challenges. In addition, our networked world can provide us with a rich environment for creative problem solving. In

<http://www.cdlprojects.com/cmc11blog/>

**Empire State
College
MOOC**

CMC11 Session4: Transliteracy and Metaliteracy

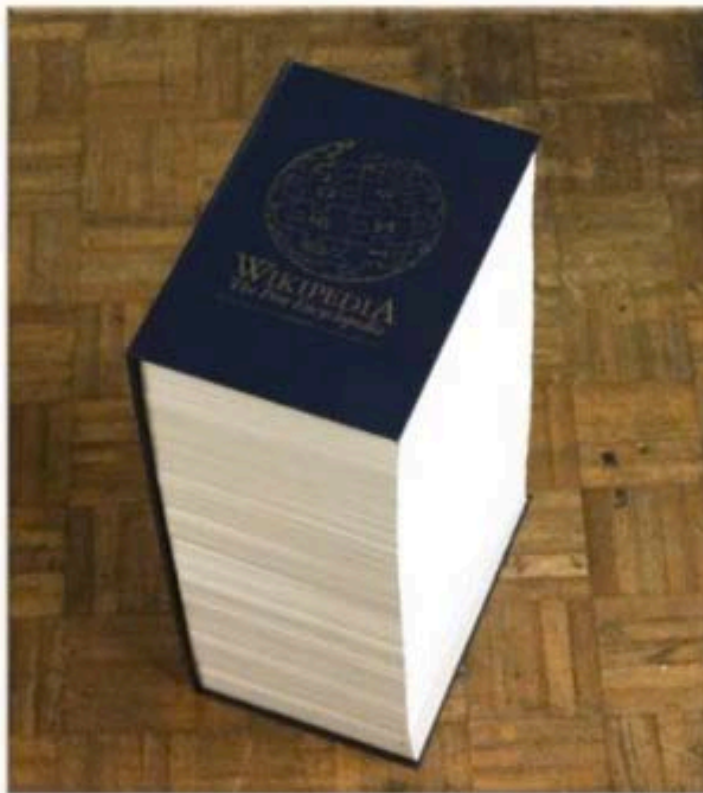
Jeff Lebow



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Wikipedia, 2011, Rob M




“London-based designer and Rob 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.”

AUDIO & VIDEO

Tom Mackey

Talk Video



A place where the beauty of math is celebrated.

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Welcome to **VizMath: a cMOOC**

About This Course

The course name is **VizMath**. The course creators are Betty Hurley-Dasgupta and Carol Yeager. Logo design and tech support by Retsam Zhang of Guangdong Province, China. The publisher is SUNY/Empire State College. The time zone is EST. And the license is Creative Commons by-nc-sa.

[Register Here](#)

Welcome to **VizMath**, a place where the beauty of math is celebrated. Here you will engage with mathematicians whose enthusiasm for math will be contagious. You will be encouraged to reflect on and share your own views of mathematics. And, we will join together to spread the word through our connected networks.

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.

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38 participants currently registered



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- **Orientation:** *Teaching Online at ESC*
- **Online resources:** Great Gateway, online newsletter, open Blog Commons, and Wednesday Webinars
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Student and Academic Support Online

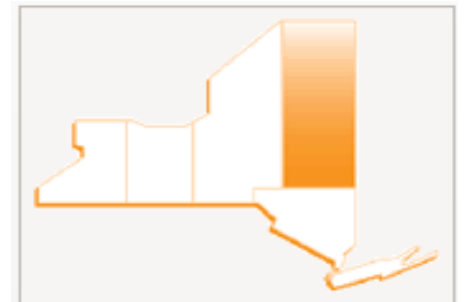
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- Writing, Reading and Math
 - Criterion
 - Compass
 - SmarterMeasure
- Online Readiness
 - SmarterMeasure
- Skill remediation
 - MyFoundationsLab
- General Academic Skills



Online Tutoring Services

- Peer Tutoring and Course Assistants
 - Tutoring coverage for over 200+ CDL courses
- Smarthinking.com
 - Content tutoring
 - Writing assistance and paper submission options
- Regional Center Tutoring
 - Face-to-face tutoring at ESC locations across the state, when possible



Additional Academic Support Programs/Services

- Academic coaching
- Remedial/developmental writing coaching
- Online skills workshops
- Online study groups
- Soft academic skills development
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- Academic and textbook reading strategies
- Academic term planning
- General academic counseling

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