Moodle LMS Upgrade

Full Faculty Meeting

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February 7, 2024

Why are we upgrading Moodle?

- Current Moodle Version 3.9 is EOL - **End of Life**
  - No Security Patches
  - Limited to No Developer Support
  - Limited to No Community Support

- Version 4.1 is the latest long term support (LTS) version
  - Security Patches
  - Developer Support
  - In line with, community support

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Partnerships for Success

- Faculty

- Students

- Faculty Center for Professional Excellence

- Information Technology

Topics to Explore Today

- Project Timeline
- Testing Plan
- What's New in Moodle 4.1
- Expectations
- Training Opportunities
- Support Channels
- Faculty Feedback
- Next Steps

Project Team

- **Avery Bourgeois** - Project Lead
- **Carol Ann Boyle** - Project Executive Sponsor
- **Courtney Scala** - User Experience
- **Erik Fox-Jackson** - Interactive Learning Designer, Adjunct, Training
- **Evan Watchmaker** - Faculty Liaison, Adjunct Faculty
- **James Harris** - Back Office Specialist
- **Fred Hicks** - Infrastructure, Adjunct Faculty

- **Aaron Chia Yuan Hung*** - Faculty
- **Jason Massimino** - Moodle Administrator
- **Karen Fassenfeld Kolb** - Project Co-Sponsor
- **Kevin Mobbs** - Instructional Design, Training, Testing, Communication
- **Michael Reinhart** - LMS Line Manager, Application Integration

Shout out to Liam Owens - Student Access Office

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Project Timeline

	2023			2024								
	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep
Planning		████	███▶									
Testing				████	███▶							
Pre-Upgrade Testing						████	██▶					
Post Upgrade Testing and Support									████████	██████	██████▶	

Testing Plan

- In-place upgrade
- Plugins
- Functionality
- Accessibility
- Device and browser compatibility
- Navigation and UI

Moodle 4.1 Tour & Comparison

Let's take a short tour of our development site version of Moodle 4.1 and some changes you may be interested in

We provide extensive library resources for our students, and librarians are available to answer your questions via chat.

Library Info

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🎨 My Courses Dashboard

COURSE SEARCH

Search courses [ ] **Go** ❓

COURSE OVERVIEW

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▼ All (except removed from view) ▾   ⬇ Last accessed ▾   ⊞ Card ▾

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⭐ **GEN 110-003 - Spring 2024: First Year Seminar: Tech of Today and Tomorrow** ⋯

Continuity of Instruction ⋯

Remote Learning Resource Guide ⋯

TIMELINE

NOTE: Only items that have due date in Moodle will appear in the Timeline block. Check each course to ensure you are not missing any activities.

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No upcoming activities due

FILTERED COURSES LIST

Spring 2024
Fall 2023
Summer 2023
Spring 2023
Fall 2022
Summer 2022

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GEN 110-049 - Fall 2021: First Year Seminar: Games and Society
Hidden from students

Classroom Experience Assistant Program
Hidden from students

Help Desk Student Worker Reference Materials
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Faculty Senate Enrollment Shell
Hidden from students

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| Next 7 days ˅ | Sort by dates ˅ |

Search by activity type or name

Wednesday, 7 February 2024

00:00   **TEST**
GEN 110-041 - Fall 2023: First Year Seminar: Tech of Today and Tomorrow · Assignment is due

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2 ▼ 📁 **Asynchronous Lessons - Toggle**   Topic 2

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CALENDAR

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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Import or export calendars

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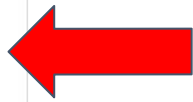PAGE
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| Participants |
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| Enrolment method |

☑Gradebook

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| User Report |
| Gradebook setup |

🎓Progress

| Manage badges |
| Edit course completion settings |
| Activity completion |
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⚙Course

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Grader report
All participants: 24/24

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Expectations and Opportunities

- Downtime
- Adelphi Branding Update
- Accessibility
- All course content from 2021 onwards will be available post upgrade
- 2020 courses and older will be archived with a new form to request access

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Moodle 4.1 Support

Our #1 Priority: We are always here to support you
- Leading up to / following we will provide:
  - Training
  - Documentation
  - Workshops

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Moodle 4.1 Workshops

- Leading up to
  - First-look Workshops
  - Quick-start Workshops
- Following Launch
  - How-to Workshops
  - FAQ Workshops

Not on Moodle?

- We are here to support you getting started with Moodle
  - Students appreciate a properly utilized LMS
  - Helps centralize/organize your content
    - Grades   ■ Feedback
    - Analytics   ■ Communication
  - Accessibility
- Email fcpe@adelphi.edu or attend our workshops

Moodle Review Group (MRG)

- **MRG** - Lead by FCPE and consists of members from IT and includes Faculty
  - Review enhancement requests
  - Overall planning and maintenance - timeframes

Next Steps and Resources:

- **Get Involved!**
  - Become an Early Adopter
  - Sign up for a Workshop

- **Moodle Upgrade Webpage**
  adelphi.edu/moodle4.1

- **FCPE Workshops**

- **Contact the Project Team**

- **Sign Up for Testing**

Questions?