

# Blackboard Newsletter

October 2018

## HIGHLIGHTS

- ◆ Remote DDA training complete—several campuses took part in 4-3 hr. sessions, lead by Blackboard
- ◆ New Non-Sis account creation process has been established and in production
- ◆ Grades Integration pilot testing is complete (LRSC, MaSU and UND) participated



## PROJECT UPDATES

- ◆ MiSU currently moving their Non-Sis accounts and Courses to SaaS
- ◆ MaSU continues to convert spring and summer courses to SaaS
- ◆ DSU continues to build out their courses in SaaS
- ◆ NDSU and CTS have a scheduled kick off call in preparation to move to SaaS
- ◆ Course Activity and Active Course reports are complete and available to run on SaaS

## ON THE HORIZON

**Purchase of Ally:** Cost covered by NDUS for a shared instance of Blackboard - no plan to bill back to campuses

- ◆ An accessibility tool used with Blackboard
- ◆ Three phased deployment:
  - ◆ Phase 1: Stand up site & scan LMS
  - ◆ Phase 2: Develop campus level reporting
  - ◆ Phase 3: Pilot deployment to campuses (campuses define their deployment)
    - ◆ Early adopter campuses include: DSU, NDSCS, UND, VCSU, and WSC

# High-Level Status Tracking by Campus

## PROJECT TIMELINE/STATUS: North Dakota University System



School	Current LMS	Targeted Go Live Date*	% Complete (Overall)	eCollege 1-day planning onsite	Kick off	ATP	System Gov/ Decisions	Course Conversion	TPD Intro Meeting	SIS Integration	SaaS Migration	Learn Training (Admin)	Learn Training (End User)	Collab Training	Grades Integration with SIS	Help Desk Services	B2 Custom Work**	DDA Training**	Collab Link Report**	Reporting Framework**
System		See below	100%	N/A	Oct '16	Nov '16			Oct '16	May '17	May '17					N/A	Aug '17	Jun '18	Feb '18	
BSC	eCollege	UVE	100%	Oct '16	Oct '16	Nov '16	N/A	June '17	Oct '16	Mar '17	May '17	Feb '17	Feb '17		N/A	Apr '17	N/A	N/A	Feb '18	N/A
LRSC	eCollege	UVE	100%	Oct '16	Oct '16	Dec '16	N/A	June '17	Oct '16	Mar '17	May '17		Feb '17	Feb '18	N/A	Apr '17	N/A	N/A	Feb '18	N/A
NDSCS	eCollege	UVE	100%	Oct '16	Oct '16	Nov '16	N/A	June '17	Oct '16	Mar '17	May '17	Mar '18	Feb '17	Mar '18	N/A	Apr '17	N/A	N/A	Feb '18	N/A
VCSU	Learn	UVE	100%	N/A	Nov '16	Feb '17	N/A	N/A	Mar '17	July '17	Aug '17				N/A	N/A	July '17	N/A	Nov '17	N/A
MISU	Learn	Jan 2019	80%	N/A	Nov '16	Mar '17	N/A	N/A						Nov '17	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A
UND	Learn	UVE	100%	N/A	Nov '16	Feb '17	N/A	N/A	Apr '17	July '17	Aug '17			Aug '17	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Nov '17	N/A
NDSU	Learn	May 2019	20%	N/A	Nov '16	Mar '17	N/A	N/A	Apr '17						N/A	N/A	Jan '18	N/A		N/A
WSC	Moodle	UVE	100%	N/A	Nov '16	Jan '17	N/A	July '17	Feb '17	July '17	Aug '17	Mar '18	Apr '17	Mar '18	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Feb '18	N/A
DCB	Moodle	UVE	100%	N/A	Nov '16	May '17	N/A	May '18		Nov '17	May '18	Feb '18			N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A
DSU	Moodle	UVE	99%	N/A	Nov '16	Apr '17	N/A		Dec '17	Dec '17	Jan '18				N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A
MaSU	Moodle	May 2018~	80%	N/A	Nov '16	Apr '17	N/A		May '17	Feb '18	May '18	Mar '18			N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A

Note: The NDUS system office currently uses Moodle, but for internal courses only, vs for student facing courses.

\*Go live date is defined as when students is accessing the course and the instructor is teaching from it.

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~ Soft launch with full go live May 2019