

Utilizing Technology for Adult Instruction

A Practical Approach

Objectives for Today

- Participants will gain an increased understanding of various technologies to reach adult learners.
 - Social marketing web-sites
 - Distance learning
 - Video conferencing best practices

Social Marketing?

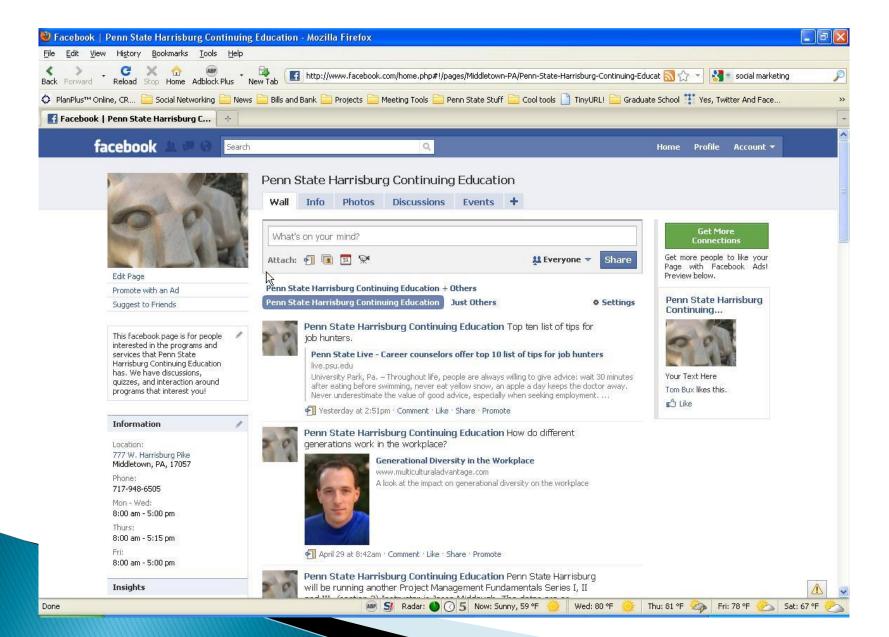


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Facebook

- Founded in 2004
- Initially only available to college students
- Largest Social Networking site: 131 million unique visitors a month
- Allows pictures, notes, articles, and links.
- Users's average age is 33

Facebook



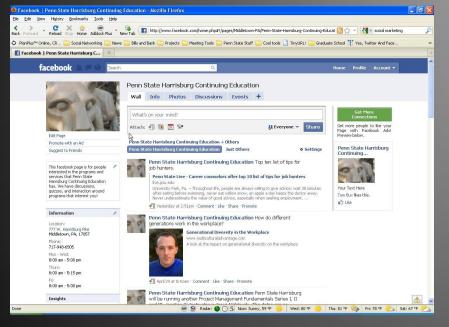
Twitter

- Founded in 2006
- Limited to 140 characters as "Status Updates"
- Third most popular with 6 million unique visitors
- Fastest growing with a 1,382% growth
- User's average age is 31

Twitter



Comparison

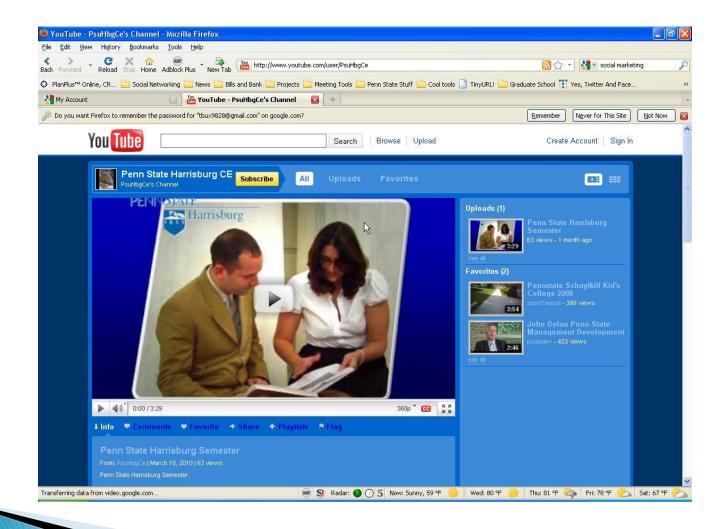




YouTube

- Good for showcasing your videos.
- Testimonials
- Marketing Pieces

YouTube



Utilizing Social Networks

- http://www.hbg.psu.edu/ce/
- http://www.youtube.com/user/PsuHbgCe

Obstacles To Social Marketing

- Sites are often blocked by firewalls
- Seen as poor use of time
- Spam
- Fear of viruses

Issues Facing Training?



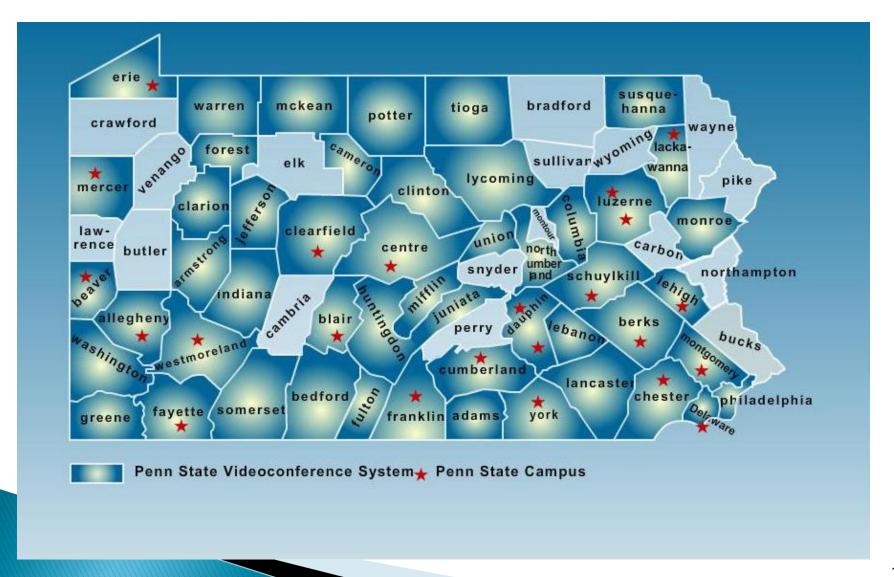




Video Conferencing Benefits

- Cuts Down on Travel Costs
- Can Reach Geographical Disparate Population Instantly
- Most Campuses Have Access to Advanced Technology
- Non-Campus sites like Cooperative Extensions also have technology

Rooms Across the Commonwealth



Sample Room E306 Olmstead, Harrisburg



The Facilities





How it Works

- Two or more rooms connect through the Video Bridge
- HD Quality
- Can be streamed and archived-Via WPSU
- Two Data Streams
 - Video and Voice
 - Presentation

General Principles

- Do not ignore the fact that you are on camera
- Wear dark, solid colors. No stripes, bright colors.
- Speak clearly and slowly. Be aware of where the microphones are.
- Know who you are connected to. Call them by name.
- Change up presentation methods.

Best Practices

- For Presenters
 - Materials
 - Logistics
 - Presenting
 - Working the room= "eye contact"

Best Practices

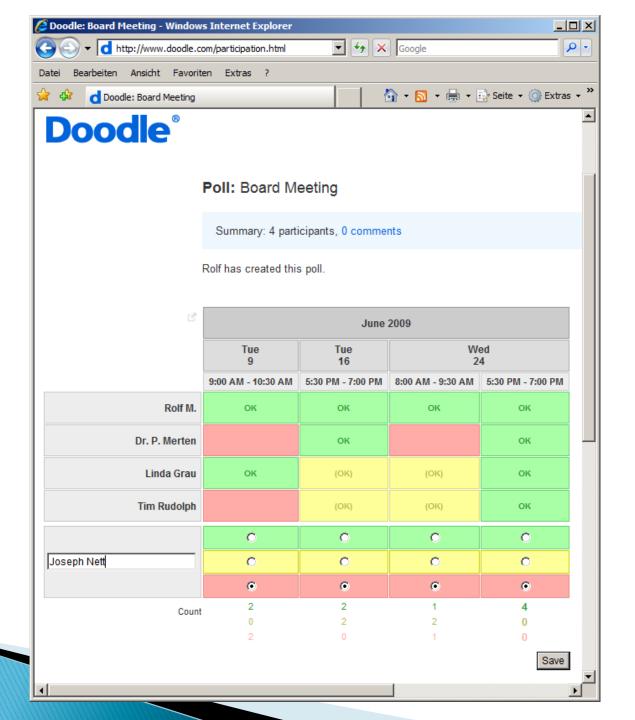
- For Room Proctors
- Do not ignore the fact that you are on camera

Cool Stuff Web Tools to make your life

easier

Doodle

- Free online scheduling tool
- Invite users to event where they specify available times
- Also used to make decisions, such as menu, etc.



Tiny URI

- Tinyurl.com
- Used to make long URLS (web site addresses) manageable
- Copy and paste into website
- Use new URL in emails, Twitter, Facebook, etc.



TinyURL.com

Making long URLs usable! More than 24 million of them. Over 2 billion hits/month.

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Home

Example

Make Toolbar Button

Redirection

Hide URLS

Preview Feature^{tree}

Link to Us!

Terms of use

Contact Us!



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Xobni

- INBOX-XOBNI-Get it?
- A add-on for Microsoft Outlook.
- Searches emails, indexes shared documents, files, links, etc.
- www.xobni.com



--Photo of person with contact information

--Links to their memberships in Facebook, Twitter, Hoovers, etc

--Networks: Connections you share

--List of conversations: Emails you sent back and forth

--Files exchanged

Google

- Docs-on-line fine sharing and viewing of documents
- Sites-Free web-sites YOU can customize
- Wave-Real-time e-mail
- Gmail-Google's webmail program
- Voice-Have all your phones ring at the same time, text voice mail, and more!
- www.google.com