

Technology, Pedagogy, or Both?:

Enhancing the Student Experience through Optimal
Engagement and Immersion Pedagogy (OEIP)

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Session Objectives



Development of OEIP




Demonstration



Lessons Learned



Understanding the Context



The background image shows a desk setup. On the left, a white smartphone is partially visible. In the center, a pen lies diagonally across a tablet. The tablet displays a calendar on the left and a spreadsheet on the right. The calendar lists days from Saturday to Thursday. The spreadsheet has columns with numerical values like 8.00 and 1.00. The overall scene is softly lit, suggesting a professional or academic environment.

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Context of the Problem

Intersecting Challenges



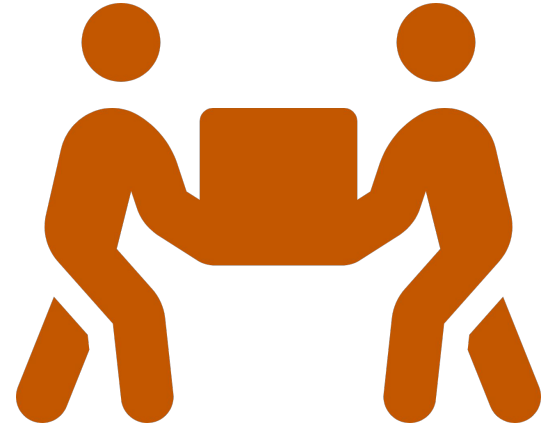
The COVID-19 pandemic forced many colleges and universities to transition to fully online or hybrid instruction.

Travel restrictions, health and safety requirements, and personal and professional changes disrupted traditional schedules.

Calls for social justice and equity rang throughout the United States and beyond.

Context of the Problem

Nevertheless, students still
expected high-quality
educational experiences.



Context of the Problem

Our own survey of student preferences revealed:

22.42%

Preferred fully
F2F Instruction

46.75%

Preferred no F2F
instruction fearing
personal safety

25.45%

Preferred some
F2F instruction

Statement of the Problem

Most IHEs sought advanced technology solutions to deliver content using lecture capture software and text-based LMS approaches.

While arguably effective at delivering content, these solutions are insufficient to provide authentic online and F2F student engagement through meaningful learning experiences.

An equitable, cost-effective, easy-to-use, and adaptable solution that centered student experience was needed to reach in-person and remote students simultaneously.

Solution

Optimal Engagement & Immersion
Pedagogy (OEIP)

Saturday
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Total
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What is OEIP?



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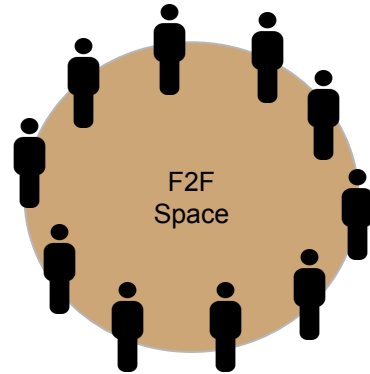
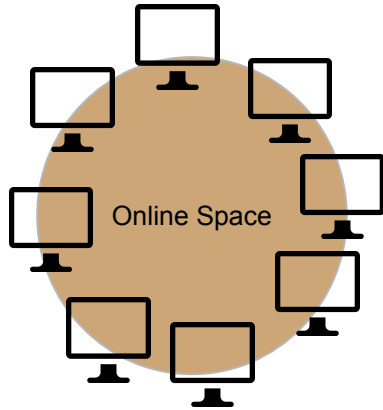
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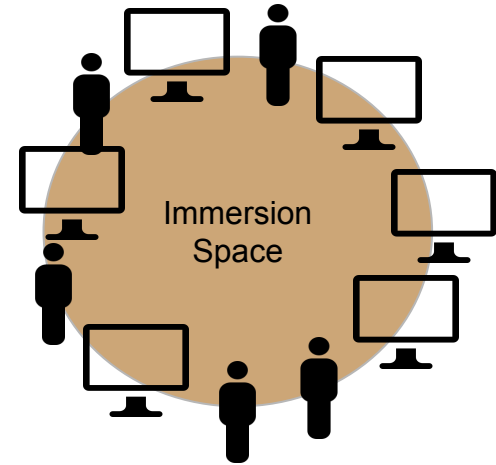
OPTIMAL ENGAGEMENT & IMMERSION PEDAGOGY

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OEIP Classroom Design

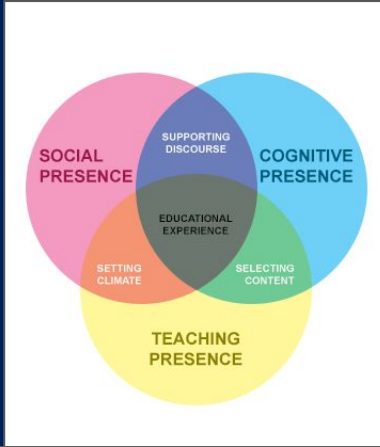


Traditional Models



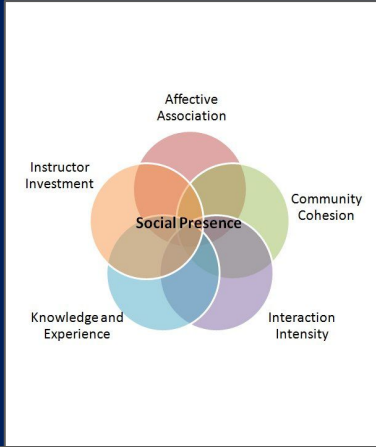
OEIP Model

Guiding Frameworks



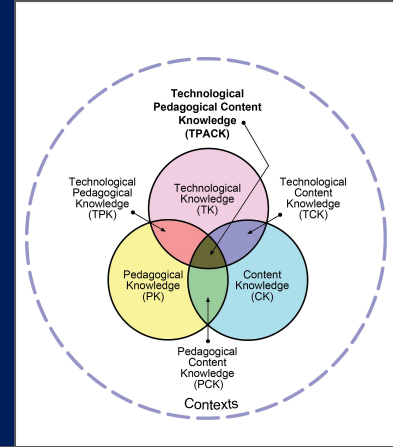
Community of Inquiry Framework (CoI)

(Garrison, Anderson, & Archer, 2010)



Social Presence Model

(Whiteside, 2015)



TPACK Framework

(Koehler & Mishra, 2009)

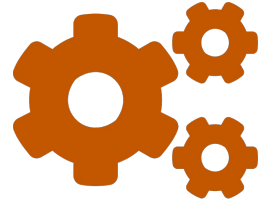
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2	1	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Full-time	Mac	Macbook Pro 2017?	WLA	
3	2	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Full-time	PC	PC - 2015	WLA	
4	3	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Full-time			WLA	
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6	5	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Full-time	PC	personally owned Vaio; about 2019; with Windows 10 Pro OR iPad Pro (2020) that I might try to use for ppt presentations.	WLA	Sharing office with [REDACTED] There is a Pepperdine laptop in the cupboard that I have previously used for classes—I don't recall the details but you can look at it directly)
7	6	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Full-time	PC	HP Spectre 360, 3 years old, may be replaced with same model	WLA	
8	7	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Full-time			WLA	
9	8	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Full-time	PC	At least 10 years old	WLA, IGC	she will use her personal computer; Pepperdine computer is defunct
10	9	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Full-time	Mac	Macbook Pro Retina- 13 in Mid 2014 w/ 3GHz Intel Core i7, 16GB 1600MHz DDR3, Intel Iris 1536MB, 500GB storage	WLA, IGC	
11	10	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Full-time	PC	ASUS VivoBook, purchased in 2020	WLA	
12	11	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Full-time			WLA	
13	12	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Full-time			WLA	
14	13	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Full-time	Mac	16 inch 2020 model admin pro	WLA	
15	14	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Full-time	Mac	MacBook Pro 2017	WLA, IGC	Does not support Zoom functionality (backgrounds, etc.)
16	15	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Adjunct				
17	16	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Adjunct				
18	17	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Adjunct	Mac	ProBook around 2018	WLA	
19	18	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Adjunct	Mac	Pro 2016	WLA	
20	19	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Adjunct	PC	ASUS 2020	WLA	
21	20	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Adjunct	PC	HP Pavilion, about 2 years old	WLA	

Design Thinking Approach

Empathize Define Ideate Prototype Test



Primary Considerations



**Student
Experience**

**Sound
Pedagogy**

**Faculty
Ease of
Use**

**Cost
Effective**

Classroom Packages



GOOSENECK
CAMERA



USB-C HUB



USB-A HUB



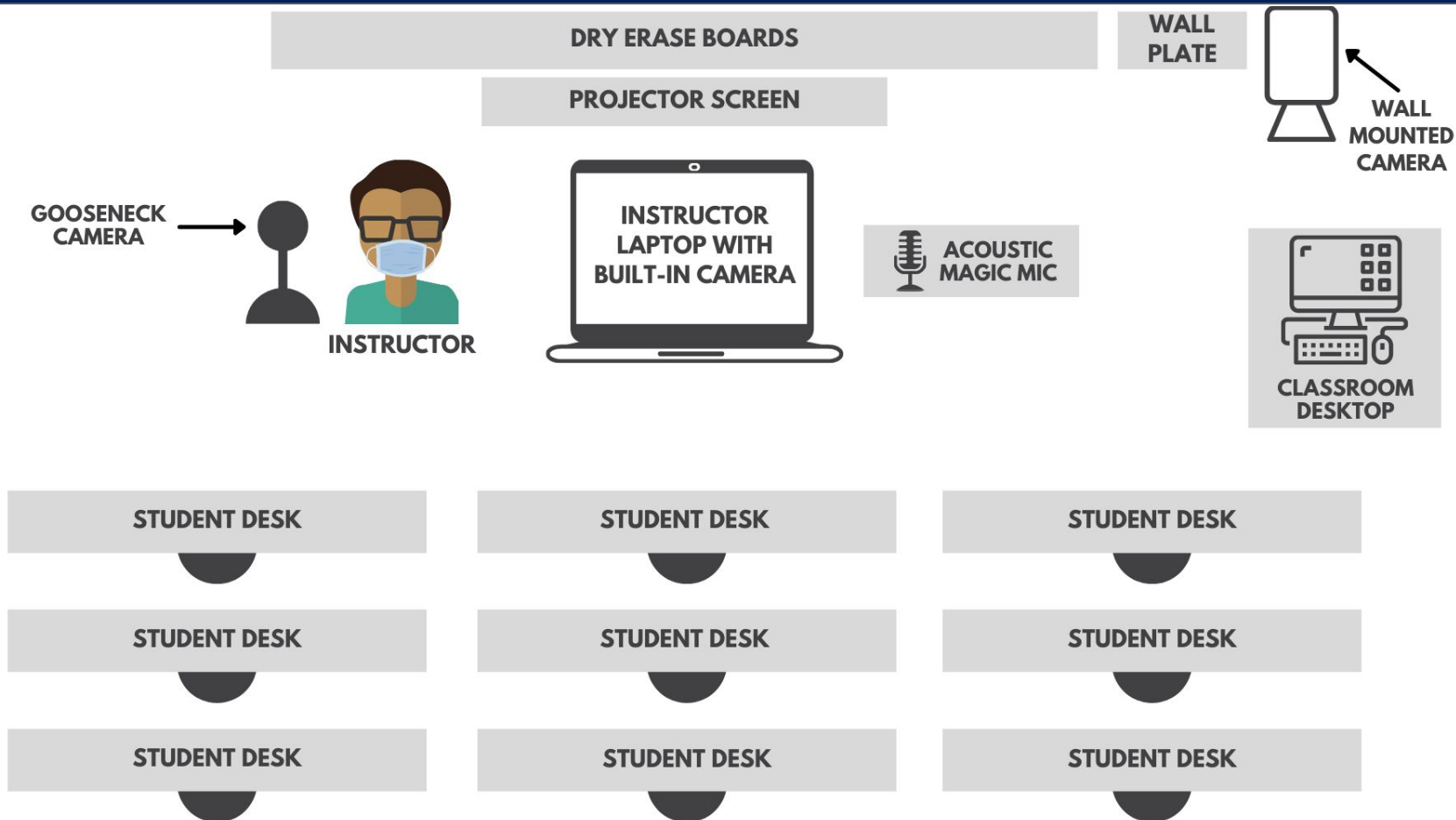
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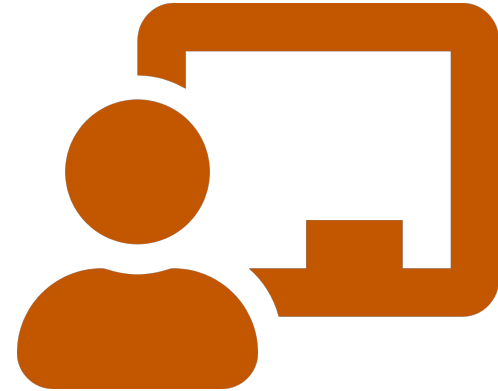
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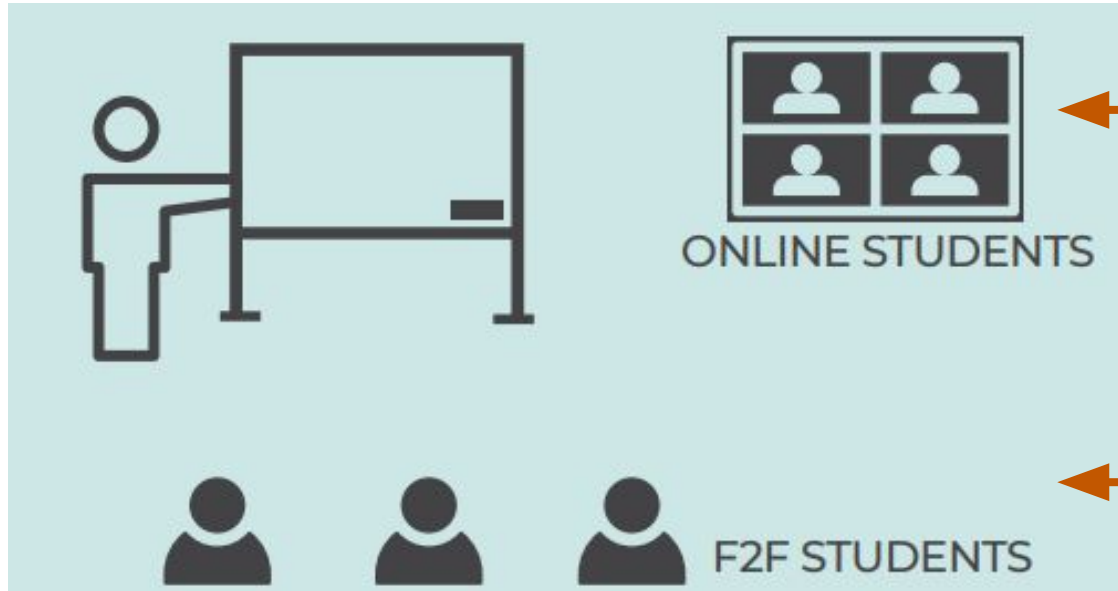
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Pedagogical Approaches



Student Groups



Online

Students attend class online (live) via Zoom.

Face-to-Face (F2F)

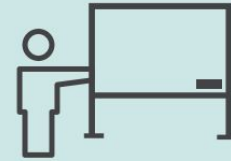
Students attend classroom in-person.

Pedagogy

Three pedagogical strategies to synchronously engage all learners.

Whole Class Discussion

Using cameras and microphone placed in the classroom, students online can join their F2F classes as they are occurring. Both F2F and online students can clearly see and hear each other.



ONLINE STUDENTS



F2F STUDENTS

Small Group Collaboration Option 1

For option 1, students attending classes in-person can form groups in the classroom, while online students are placed in their own breakout rooms for small group collaboration.



ONLINE GROUP



ONLINE GROUP

F2F GROUP

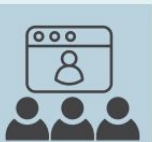
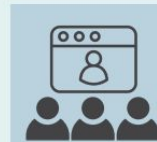


F2F GROUP



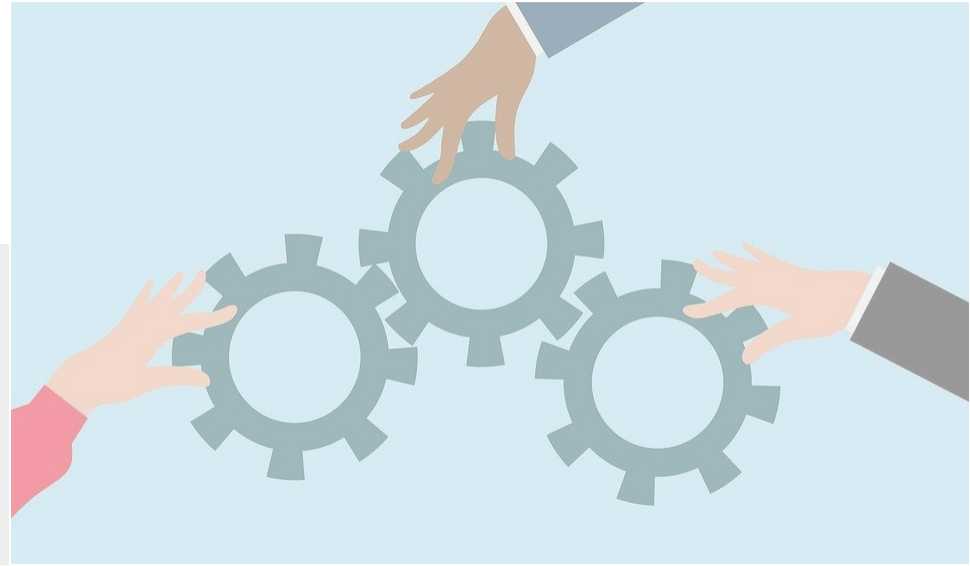
Small Group Collaboration Option 2

For option 2, students attending classes in-person can use their own devices to log into Zoom with their headphones on. This method allows for F2F and online students to collaborate in small groups together.



F2F & ONLINE GROUP

Faculty Technology Learning



OEIP Training Flyer

SUMMER 2021 OEIP TRAINING

TO PREPARE FOR SUMMER 2021 IMPLEMENTATION OF OPTIMAL ENGAGEMENT & IMMERSION PEDAGOGY (OEIP), PLEASE ATTEND ONE OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING TRAINING OPTIONS.

WHAT IS OEIP? Optimal Engagement and Immersion Pedagogy (OEIP) is an equitable and innovative approach that allows students to engage in either modality, F2F or online, simultaneously.

TRAINING OFFERED IN TWO FLEXIBLE OPTIONS

OPTION 1:

WLA IN-PERSON



BRING YOUR LAPTOP FOR THIS HANDS-ON WORKSHOP TO EXPERIENCE TEACHING USING OEIP TECHNOLOGY.

DROP-IN HOURS ►	03.31.21	5 PM - 7 PM
	04.01.21	8 AM - 12 PM
	04.02.21	8 AM - 3 PM
	04.13.21	8 AM - 3 PM

OPTION 2:

VIRTUAL Q&A



JOIN US FOR VIRTUAL Q&A SESSIONS TO ASK OUR TEAM SPECIFIC QUESTIONS ABOUT OEIP.

DROP-IN HOURS ►	03.31.21	6 PM - 7 PM
	04.01.21	9 AM - 10 AM
	04.13.21	12 PM - 1 PM

[CLICK HERE FOR THE ZOOM LINK](#)

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OEIP Resource Guide

OEIP RESOURCE GUIDE

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QUICK LINKS:



**OEIP Step-by-Step Guide
for WLA and Calabasas**



**OEIP Step-by-Step Guide
for Malibu Campus**



**OEIP Step-by-Step
Guide Video**



**OEIP
Components**



OEIP Pedagogy



FAQ

OEIP FAQs

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Frequently Asked Questions

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WILL I BE ABLE TO USE MY POWERPOINT/GOOGLE SLIDES?

Yes. Since faculty members are using their own laptops for OEIP, they are able to access their PowerPoint/Google Slides in the classroom.

WILL THE STUDENTS ON ZOOM BE ABLE TO HEAR THE FACULTY AND STUDENTS IN THE CLASSROOM?

Yes. The external microphone set up in the classroom allows students on Zoom to hear the faculty and students in the classroom synchronously.

WILL THE STUDENTS IN THE CLASSROOM BE ABLE TO HEAR THE STUDENTS ON ZOOM?

Yes. The gooseneck camera also acts as a speakerphone, so it allows the students in the classroom to hear the students on Zoom synchronously.

WILL THERE BE STAFF ON SITE FOR ADDITIONAL SUPPORT?

Yes. There will always be a trained staff member on site to assist faculty and students.

WILL THERE BE ON-GOING TRAINING AND SUPPORT?

Yes. We will provide virtual and in-person training before term begins so that faculty are prepared and ready for OEIP. Support and one-on-one consultations will be available by appointment throughout the term.

WHO DO I CONTACT TO SCHEDULE AN OEIP CONSULTATION?

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Classroom Guides

OEIP STEP-BY-STEP GUIDE

STEP 1



1. Turn on Wallplate by selecting the power button on the touchscreen.



2. Select "Wallplate" on the touchscreen.

STEP 2

SELECT USB HUB



If your laptop uses a rectangular USB-A, use the USB-A hub.



If your laptop uses a rounded USB-C, use the USB-C hub.

STEP 3

PLUG IN HDMI



1. Locate the HDMI cable plugged into the wall outlet.
2. Do NOT unplug this cable. You will connect the other end to your device.



1. Connect your device to the USB hub.
2. Connect the HDMI cable to the other end of the USB hub.

Note: If your device has a built-in HDMI port, plug HDMI cable directly into your device.

STEP 4

PLUG IN GOOSENECK CAMERA



GOOSENECK CAMERA



Connect the USB from gooseneck camera to the USB hub.



Plug in A/C adapter from gooseneck camera to power strip.

STEP 5

PLUG IN EXTERNAL MICROPHONE



EXTERNAL MICROPHONE
AUDIO ADAPTER
AUDIO JACK



1. Connect Audio Jack from external microphone to Audio Adapter.
2. Connect the other end of Audio Adapter to your device.



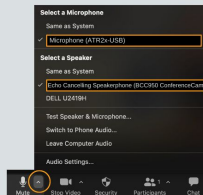
Plug in A/C adapter from external microphone to power strip.

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OEIP STEP-BY-STEP GUIDE

Speaker, Microphone and Video Settings for Zoom

PC



Speaker and Microphone Settings

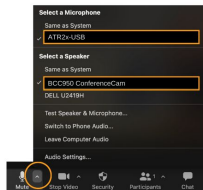
1. Click on the "UP" arrow next to Mute button to expand Microphone and Speaker options
2. Select "Microphone (ATR2x-USB)" under Select a Microphone
3. Select "Echo Cancelling Speakerphone (BCC 950 ConferenceCam)" under Select a Speaker



Video Setting

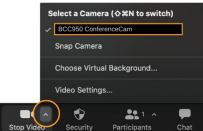
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2. Select "BCC ConferenceCam" under Select a Camera

MAC



Speaker and Microphone Settings

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OEIP Training Video



Planning for Sustainability



OEIP Support Schedule

W2			LL 8-5	LL 8-4 YL 2:30-10:30	DL 8-5 DR 12-8	ESE 4:30-9:30	
W3	10	11	12	13 YL 2:30-10:30	PHD 14 DL 8-5 BJ 1-9	PHD 15 MS ES 8-4 JMT ALL DAY	PHD 16 MS ES 8-4 JMT ALL DAY
W4	17	18	19	20 YL 2:30-10:30	21	22	23
W5	24	25	26	27 YL 2:30-10:30	28	29	30

JUNE

	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
W6	5/31 X	1 LL (TBD)	2 LL 1-9	3 ES 2:30-10:30	4 DR (TBD) BJ (TBD)	5	6
W7	7	8 LL TBD	9 YL TBD	10 YL 2:30-10:30	11 PHD EDD DL 8-5 DR 1-9	12 PHD EDD ES 7-3 YL 1:30-9:30	13 PHD EDD LL 8:30-4:30 ESE 4-9:30
W8	14	15 LL TBD	16 YL TBD	17 YL 2:30-10:30	18 PHD EDD DL 8-5 BJ 1-9	19 PHD EDD LL 7-3 YL 1:30-9:30	20 PHD EDD ESE 8:30-5:30
W9	21	22	23 LL 1-9	24 SEC YL 2:30-10:30	25 SEC DL 8-5 DR 12-8	26 SEC ESE 2-9	27
W10	28 YL 1:30-9:30	29	30	7/1 YL 2:30-10:30	7/2	7/3	7/4

JULY

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OEIP Demonstration

Lessons Learned

Framing Matters

Reimagining
Existing Strategies
for the OEIP Space

Establishing a
Coalition of
Support

Confronting Issues
of Equity and
Access

Intended Consequences: Integrity & Excellence

Uncompromised Access

To maximize flexibility for students and faculty, OEIP empowers all participants to choose their preferred modality of engagement (online or in-person), while maintaining the institution's ability to respond to local, state, national, and global conditions.

Commitment to Excellence

Regardless of modality, students receive a high quality educational experience.

Ongoing Support

Provide ongoing support for faculty, staff, and students to ensure the continued evolution of OEIP as an effective approach.

Unintended Consequences:

Learning & Collaboration

Increased Collaboration

Collaboration among faculty, staff, IT, and the instructional design team increased significantly.

Faculty Professional Learning

Professional development opportunities arose as faculty considered strategies to engage both online and in-person learners. Formal and informal learning around technology, pedagogy, assessment, and student experience continues.

Faculty Meeting Focus

Discussion of OEIP was included in faculty meetings to allow for brainstorming of ideas and strategies to operationalize our approach.

Key Considerations Moving Forward



01.

Collect data on student and faculty experiences



02.

Continuously reimagine pedagogical strategies



03.

Expand use of OEIP to different events



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