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CN ePortfolio at IUPUI:

How we promote student learning and success with ePortfolio

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Agenda

1. CyberLab and CourseNetworking
2. ePortfolio at IUPUI
3. Q&A



IUPUI CyberLab



- Educational Technology R&D (Research and Development) lab that innovates and commercializes educational technology software at Indiana University Purdue University, Indianapolis (IUPUI)
- Founded and directed by Professor Ali Jafari since 1996
- Focuses on prototype design, smart learning agent, mobile app development, pedagogy innovation

CyberLab Projects



OnCourse (Sakai)

1997-1999

Used by IU for 10+ years



ANGEL Learning

1999-2000

Used by schools around the U.S. Purchased by Blackboard Inc. for \$95 million in 2009.



Epsilen

2007-2010

Combined ePortfolio, global networking, & learning management within its web-hosted environment



CN (CourseNetworking)

2011-Now

Next-generation learning platform that offers innovative solutions to make teaching and learning global, social and engaging



CN Core Products



CN ePortfolio

Personal webpage that gives students a canvas to showcase their learning evidence, achievements, and work samples to help them land that dream job.



Full LMS

Complete with social discussion tools, learning engagement, and networking features to keep students actively engaged in their learning. In both Classic and Pathway course formats



CN Social (CN Post)

CN Social supports both informal and student-centered learning with a social media look and feel, badging, and gamification features.



Rumi

Intelligent software agent that recommends jobs, networking opportunities, skills, learning tips and more to students on thecn.com.

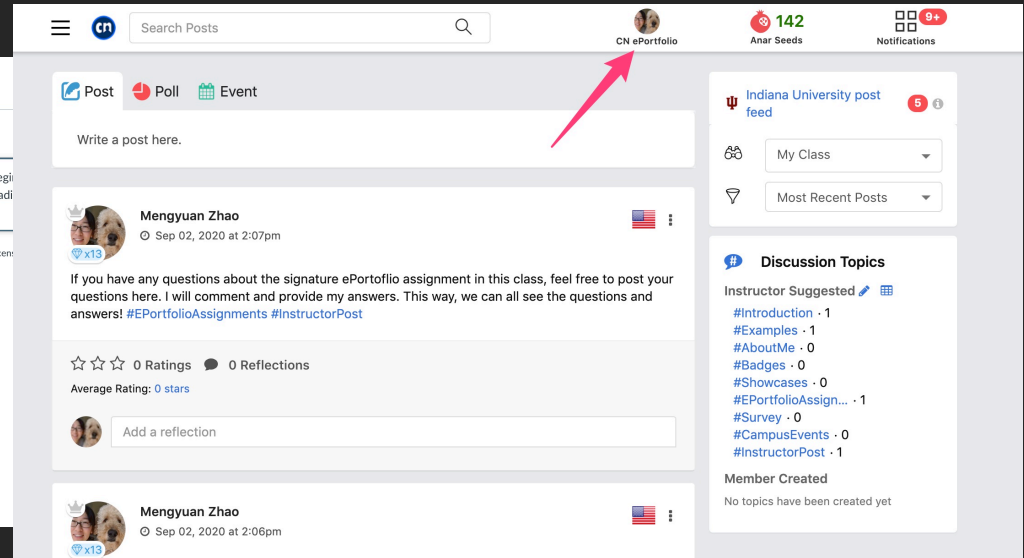
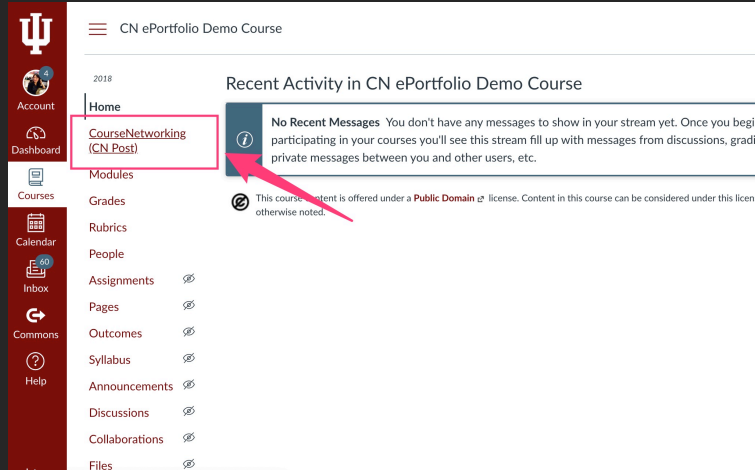


CN ePortfolio Strengths

- Lifelong, Academic, Social ePortfolio
- Easy to create and share
- Supports skill tagging, badges, and certification
- Various privacy settings to ensure security and privacy
- Mobile friendly
- Integrated with Canvas and other LMS (Moodle, Blackboard, Sakai, etc.) **the integration requires an institution license, however, individual students can create a free CN account from thecn.com.*



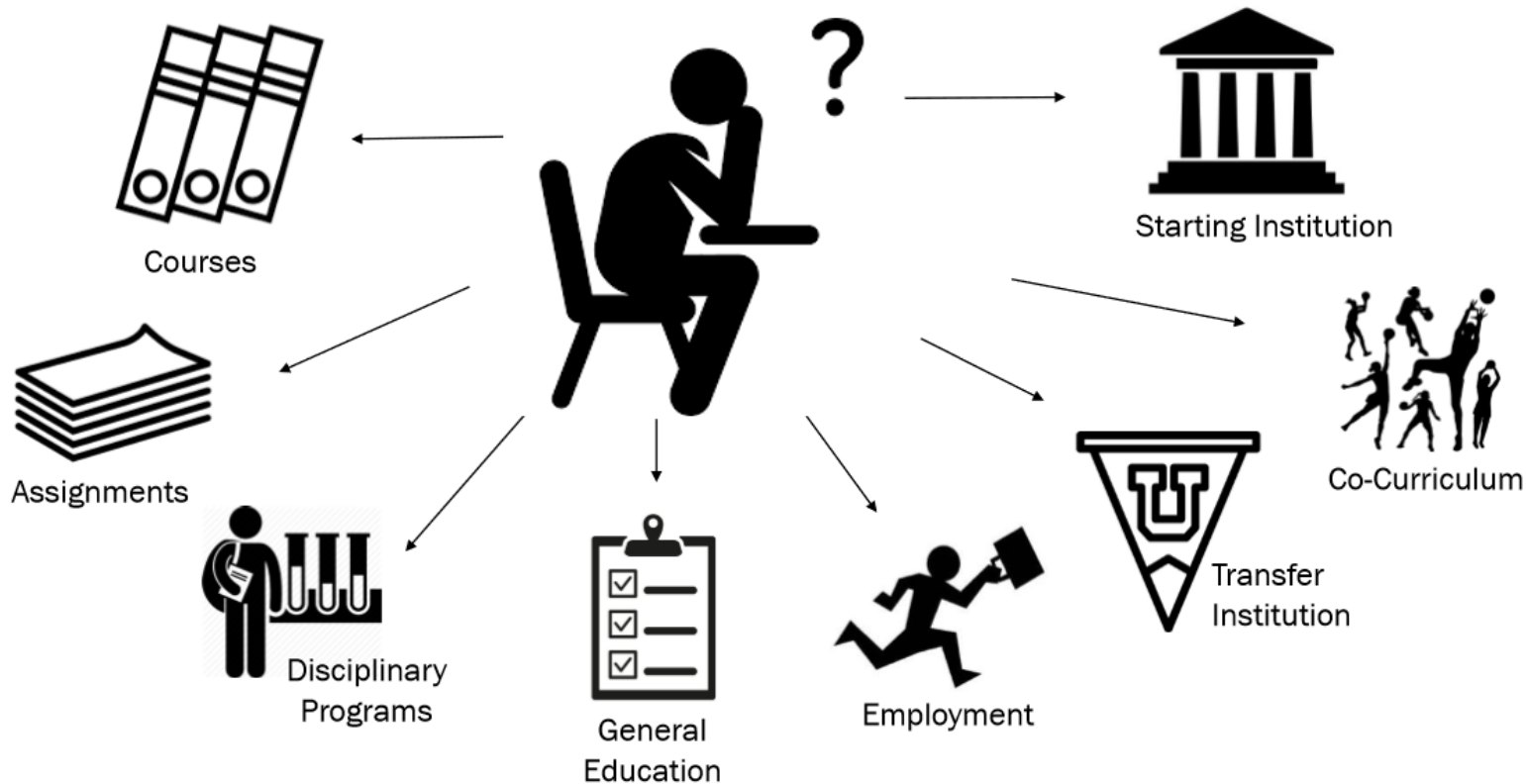
CN integration with LMS (using Canvas as example)



Let's take a look at a CN ePortfolio

- www.thecn.com/aw203





HOW DO WE HELP STUDENTS MAKE SENSE OF IT ALL?



What is ePortfolio

ePortfolios are a framework for learning, a space for students to collect evidence of learning, reflect on learning, articulate learning, and create new learning over time.



Campus Vision for ePortfolio at IUPUI

All undergraduate students create, develop, and engage with ePortfolio iteratively from their point of entry to IUPUI through their culminating senior experience.



ePortfolio in the Curriculum and Co-curriculum

- First-Year Experience
- General Education
- Capstone
- Internships
- Career courses
- Key disciplinary courses
- Service learning courses
- Community engaged work
- Undergraduate research
- Leadership programs
- Study abroad
- Co-curricular programs



ePortfolio High-Impact Practice Taxonomy

1. ePortfolio is central to the curricular design of the course, program, or university experience
2. ePortfolio pedagogies support integrative, self-directed learning, and student identity development
3. ePortfolio-making skills are explicitly taught to students
4. ePortfolio assessment is holistic and aligned with learning processes and outcomes

Download from ScholarWorks - <http://hdl.handle.net/1805/21504>



ePortfolio at IUPUI

- Canvas Expand
- Self-enroll then import resources to your own Canvas site
- Use as-is or modify
- Designed for online asynchronous delivery, can also be used in face-to-face and synchronous online settings
- <https://expand.iu.edu/browse/iupui/iel/courses/eportfolio-at-iupui>



Guiding Questions

1. What is your campus vision?
2. What are the best practices your campus will use?
3. How will you functionalize those practices?



Additional Resources

- CN ePortfolio IUPUI Use Case Video: <https://youtu.be/Z1PsNllwBCI>

This video captures how the CN ePortfolio is used by general ed course, Communication Studies program, NSF funded STEM project, transfer student program, FYS course

- more CN ePortfolio examples: <https://support.thecn.com/hc/en-us/articles/115007891267>
- Learn more about CN ePortfolio and institutional licensing information: <https://www.thecn.com/eportfolio>



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More CN webinars to attend:

Tuesday, October 27, 2020

- Track 14P (Global Learning) - *Make Virtual Exchange and Online Global Learning Happen with Innovative Learning Technology* on. **3:00 - 4:00 p.m. ET**

Speakers: Ian McIntosh, Alice Zhao, Ali Jafari, Allie Wigginton

Wednesday, October 28, 2020

- Track 18P (Global Learning + Community Engagement) - Discussion on the Next-Generation of Learning Technology for Learning Effectiveness in the 'New Normal' Era. **12:15 - 1:15 p.m. ET**

Speakers: Ali Jafari, Alice Zhao, Allie Wigginton



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