Dear Faculty,

NYU Classes is being replaced by NYU LMS (Brightspace) throughout the summer 2021 term. Starting in the fall 2021 semester, all instruction will be on NYU LMS (Brightspace). NYU Classes will not be available for course site creation after the summer 2021 semester.

Take time now to familiarize yourself with the new system and enjoy your summer! You'll avoid feeling rushed and having LMS prep work over the summer or at the start of a busy fall semester.

Create your fall 2021 course sites in NYU LMS (Brightspace)

- Fall 2021 instruction will be in NYU LMS (Brightspace)
- Course creation for fall 2021 is now available in NYU LMS (Brightspace) if your course is in Albert (or has not already been created)
- Watch a two-minute video or check out this knowledge article for instructions on creating your course site

The remainder of this email provides resources and support for how to move your course from NYU Classes to Brightspace.

Sincerely,
Clay Shirky, Vice Provost for Educational Technologies
Ben Maddox, Chief Instructional Technology Officer

How to set up courses

Click the “Create Course Site” tool in the top navigation menu of NYU LMS (Brightspace). The Creating your course site (Instructors) knowledge article contains step-by-step directions and walks you through this process. Schools may have additional resources to help you get started. Please contact your Ed Tech support team for details.

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Note: If you require accessibility accommodations for this tool, please see the Accessibility Accommodation for NYU LMS (Brightspace) Course Creation knowledge article.

Reusing NYU Classes content

All 2020 NYU Classes content is available in NYU LMS (Brightspace) as “Reference Sites.” FA19 NYU Classes content will become available in Brightspace by June 30, 2021.

A Reference Site contains content from your existing NYU Classes course for you to edit and/or reuse in your current/future courses and does not include roster and student information. For more information on how to reuse your NYU Classes content, visit the Reusing NYU Classes Content webpage.

If you do not see your reference site and need assistance, please contact your school Ed Tech support team.

Get Training

Whether you prefer to learn on your own or attend live training, school instructional support teams, global sites, and NYU IT Teaching & Learning with Technology (TLT) teams are creating a range of resources to support the transition. Please visit your school’s educational technology site or contact your Ed Tech Support team to learn more, or refer to the Faculty & Staff Training Page.

Stay Updated

Stay up to date with service updates, training opportunities, and more by subscribing to the NYU Classes & NYU LMS (Brightspace) Updates Group. This group was previously named NYU Classes Updates, so if you have subscribed to that group, no action is needed. To view all previous messages from Clay Shirky and Ben Maddox, please refer to the All NYU LMS (Brightspace) Messages page.

Questions

Contact the NYU IT Service Desk or your EdTech support team for questions and visit nyu.edu/it/lms to learn more.

For assistance with NYU IT services, contact the NYU IT Service Desk.

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