

## EMTC Fall 2011 meeting (10/24-10/25)

### Present (10/24)

Jay Conley (UWS)

Joe Kmisch (UWS)

Sali Mounce (Stout)

Jamie Poindexter (ICS)

Nick Dangeur (UWRF)

Dan Miller (UWRF)

Josh Harder (Madison)

Bill Hubbard (UWGB)

Jim Guenther (Stout)

### Video Participants:

Oshkosh

Platteville

UWGB

UW-L

UWSP

### Campus Updates/Roles on Campus

Jay, Nick, and Dan (Electronics, DE, and Asset Management)

Josh-UW Madison (Education)

Bill and Mike-UWGB (Electronics/Media)

Jim and Sali-Stout (Learning Technology Services)

Tim-Platteville (Electronics)

Julie-Oshkosh (Learning Technologies)

Terry-LaCrosse (DE and VideoConferencing)

John-UWSP (Electronics/DE/media)

Scott-Colleges (DE)

Joe and Jay-Superior (IT)

ICS (included in Jamie's presentation)

## Chancellor VC System and Future Projects (Jamie)

- Asked Jamie to share PP on website. She will share all info that is NOT tentative.

## Open Topic Roundtable

### -Video Editing Software

- UWRF has two media labs w/software plus edit suites in TV Services
- UWRF primarily uses Final Cut Pro and Adobe Premiere
- Madison primarily uses iMovie, Windows Movie Maker
- UWGB uses Avid

### -HDMI Switching issues

- HDMI switching causes latency that disrupts codec switching
- Jamie suggested a buffer switch between the routing switch and the codec to possibly solve this problem

### -Lecture Capture

- Some campuses using MediaSite, Camtasia,

### -Campus tour of UWS, including the new YellowJacket Union and Swenson Hall.

10/25/11

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## -Chancellor's Codec System

- clock started on codec maintenance plans at the time that campuses received their respective units.
- ICS support plan (3 year) started around May or summer of 2011 (needs to be negotiated.)
- Some campuses have experienced problems with the codec rooms being booked by other administrative units. This makes the cart an attractive choice.
- Nick Dangeur tried out the Polycom M100. This is a desktop VC software app that is Polycom's answer to MOVI.
- John Gosz asked if ICS could bridge Skype calls. Jamie confirmed that it is possible.
- Asked Campuses to update EMTC website with Chancellor's Codec system info/pics and other updated technology information.
- Bill Hubbard expressed concern about varying frame rates across the system. We need further testing with ICS to determine where the network problems are located.
- Jamie and Scott recommended that all campuses make sure that their codec IP addresses are registered with ICS to ensure priority on WisNet.
- Bill and Scott suggested a multipoint test of all sites w/ICS to determine possible issues with routing, switching, etc. Jamie will lead this effort to set up the test.

### -Checkout Equipment

- Josh was curious what other campuses are doing in terms of checkout equipment. What, where, why, etc.
- Stout has stopped checking out equipment due to budget. They tried to use EMS, but did not have great luck. Superior and River Falls use Voyager, but it has it's problems as well.
- Josh will send out demo information on Web Checkout , and those campuses interested in participate should check the list serve.

### -Lecture and Video Capture

- Pinnacle VTS is no longer manufactured, but is still being sold. Need to identify a replacement.
- Elgato makes a video capture USB device for analog A/V capture.
- Epiphan also makes a comparable analog or digital A/V capture device.
- Grass Valley makes a similar product
- ICS has capture/streaming/archiving services that can be utilized.

### -Analog/Digital Transport for Multimedia

- Jim asked the question on what campuses are using for transporting video to projectors/lecture capture systems.
- Superior uses multi-format and scaler switchers. River Falls has used scaler and full digital formats with conversion for the analog devices.
- Cat 5 transport systems are being used at Platteville with much success.

### -IPTV on UW Madison

- Vernon Communications is now serving UW Madison on a limited basis, and will become more intergrated within the next year.
- Baldwin Telecom may possibly serve UWRF within 5 years.