

Migration Frequently Asked Questions

What is migration?

Migration is the process of moving master courses from eCollege to MyLeo Online, our new LMS powered by D2L Brightspace. MyLeo Online will replace eCollege for all online and blended TAMUC courses.

What are we migrating?

The migration will include online (W) and blended (B) courses located in eCollege.

How do I migrate my eCollege course?

Faculty Course Leads have a [4-Step Migration Process in Phase I of the migration](#).

I am the lead on several classes for my department. How do we know if we are included in Phase 1?

The department heads assign the Faculty Course Leads for their departments. FCLs are certainly part of Phase I.

When do I need to complete Migration Phase I?

Phase I should be completed before the end of Summer, 2017.

Can I just stay in eCollege?

Pearson is retiring Learning Studio (eCollege). A&M-Commerce has adopted a new Learning Management System: Desire2Learn BrightSpace, otherwise known as MyLeo Online. All courses will now live in MyLeo Online.

Should I migrate every course I have ever taught?

Choose one course title to migrate from each course title. If you teach ENG 1301, ENG 1302, and ENG 1303, you will migrate a total of three courses. It is one course per title. This course should include the most up-to-date content.

What is D2L?

D2L is the company that created and manages the Brightspace LMS, which on our campus is being called MyLeo Online. D2L is the software leader that makes learning experiences better.

The company's [cloud-based platform](#), Brightspace, is easy to use, flexible, and smart. With Brightspace, organizations can personalize the experience for every learner to deliver real results. The company is a world leader in [learning analytics](#): its platform predicts learner performance so that organizations can take action in real-time to keep learners on track. Brightspace is used by learners in [higher education](#), [secondary schools](#), and the [corporate sector](#), including the Fortune 1000. D2L has operations in the United States, Canada, Europe, Australia, Brazil, and Singapore. www.D2L.com

Will all content be migrated to new LMS?

This link includes the content items that do not migrate. This information is updated as the migration team learns more about the system. [Link to Items that do not migrate to D2L](#)

When will the faculty member be notified that the course has been copied into the NOVA term?

The Office of Academic Technology will copy each requested course to the NOVA Term. Faculty will be notified once the copy and enrollment are complete. Allow up to 72 hours for this manual process to be completed based on volume.

What is the purpose of copying courses to the NOVA term in eCollege?

The NOVA Term in eCollege is a staging area for courses to be copied and moved to MyLeo Online. FCL are asked to update the course content while in the staging area. Outdated content should be removed.

What is the purpose of the Quality Assurance Faculty Toolbox?

The [Quality Assurance Faculty Toolbox](#) is a faculty resource for professional development and continuous improvement of online/blended instructional content. Faculty members are encouraged to familiarize themselves with each of the resources provided. Each tool was selected in consideration of positive outcomes to impact student success.

Who do I contact if I have a question or need help?

Questions regarding the migration process may be sent to ProjectNova@tamuc.edu or call the Office of Academic Technology at 903-886-5511. You will receive a response within 24 hours during the weekday or the next business day following a weekend or holiday.