



MY ELEARNING CHANNELS

ABOUT MY ELEARNING CHANNELS

After logging in to eLearning, you will see the My eLearning portal. My eLearning is organized in **channels** that you can customize to your needs. It also offers a central access point to eLearning mail and calendars for all of your eLearning course sections.

Whenever you want to return to the main entry page (as seen below), click on the **My eLearning** Tab. This can be done to leave Mail or Calendar for all of your classes, to change between eLearning classes, or to view Who's Online for all classes.

My eLearning Channels

The **My eLearning** screen is organized into channels of information. The main channel is the **Course List** channel, which provides links to your courses. Other channels contain links to campus, course, and personal information.

The following provides a brief description of channels that you may see on My eLearning:

- **Course List**
- **Campus Announcements**
- **Calendar Day**
- **Calendar Week**
- **To Do List**
- **External Courses**
- **My Grades**
- **Personal Bookmarks**
- **Campus Bookmarks**
- **Who's Online:**

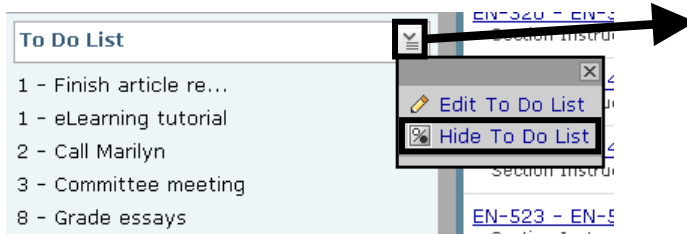
Note: Available channels and channel functions may change.

The screenshot shows the My eLearning portal for Rachel Shuttlesworth on May 16, 2007. The interface includes a navigation bar with 'My eLearning' and 'Content Manager' tabs. The main content area is divided into several channels:

- Calendar Day:** Shows a time slot for 'Distance Tutoring Demo' from 10:30 AM to 12:00 PM.
- To Do List:** Lists tasks such as 'Finish article re...', 'eLearning tutorial', 'Call Marilyn', 'Committee meeting', and 'Grade essays'.
- My Grades:** Indicates 'You currently have no new grades.'
- External Courses:** Indicates 'You currently have no external courses.'
- Course List:** Lists several course sections with their IDs (e.g., EN-320 - EN-320-001) and the instructor's name, Rachel Shuttlesworth.
- Calendar Week:** Shows a weekly schedule for May 16-18, 2007, including 'Distance Tutoring Demo', 'Migration workshop for EMS', and 'Lunch with Chris'.
- Personal Bookmarks:** Lists 'The Faculty Resource Center' and 'The University of Alabama'.
- Campus Bookmarks:** States 'You currently have no campus bookmarks.'
- Who's Online:** Shows a list of course sections with '(1)' next to each, indicating one user is online.


Hiding an individual My eLearning Channel:

eLearning Channels (except for the **Course List**) can be hidden using the **ActionLinks** menu. When you click on the ActionLinks icon next to a channel, you can choose the **Hide** option from the drop-down menu.



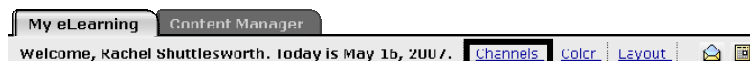
Note: The **ActionLinks** icon is found throughout eLearning. It is often how you can access the available functions or settings for a particular item in your eLearning course.

Editing an individual My eLearning Channel:

The customizing options of some My eLearning channels can be accessed by clicking on the **ActionLinks** icon  and choosing the **Edit** option from the drop-down menu. For instance, the **Edit** option on the **To Do List** will allow you to add, edit, remove, and prioritize tasks.

Hiding or showing eLearning Channels:

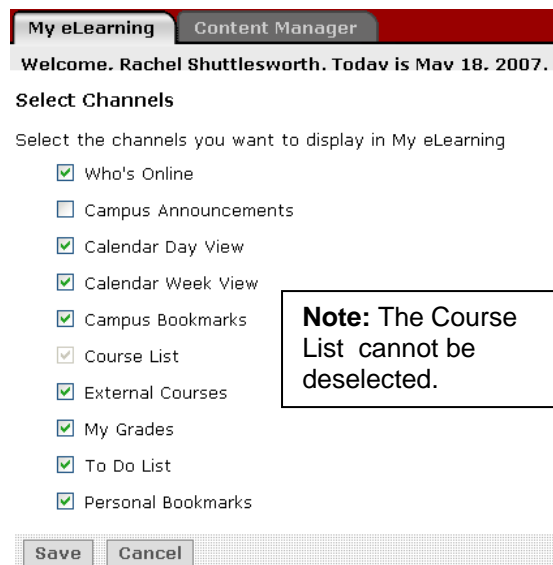
From the **My eLearning Toolbar**, you can alter the visibility of multiple channels by clicking on **Channels**.



This will display the **Select Channels** window.

- To show a channel, **check** the box next to the channel name.
- To hide a channel, **uncheck** the box next to the channel name.

Choose **Save**.



Note: The **Course List** cannot be deselected.

For further opportunities to learn about eLearning, contact the eLearning Team at 348-ELEARN (3532) or elearning@ua.edu and visit the Faculty Resource Center at <http://frc.ua.edu>.

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