

## TurningPoint – PowerPoint Polling for Mac Before Class

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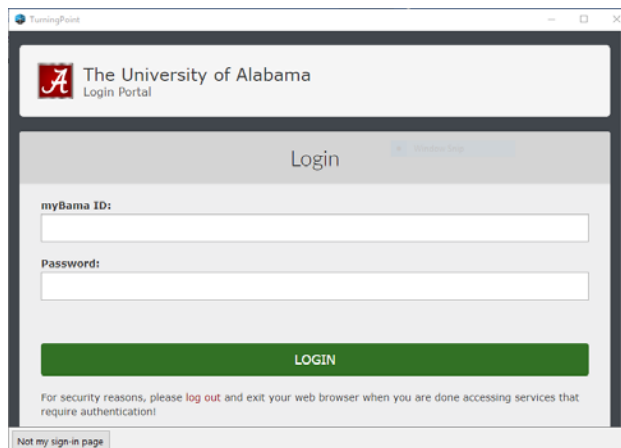
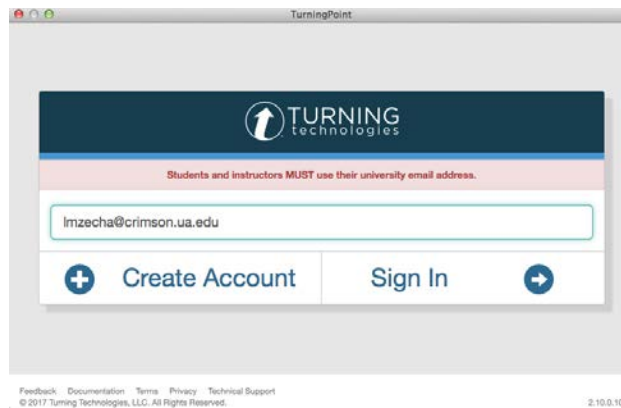
**The TurningPoint PowerPoint Polling clicker system allows instructors to ask questions within PowerPoint on a Mac and receive student clicker responses. This tutorial will guide you through using PowerPoint Polling after TurningPoint has been installed on your computer.**

Begin by opening the Turning Technologies software.


**\*Note:** If this is the first time you've opened the TurningPoint software, you will have to select North/South America. Click **Connect**.

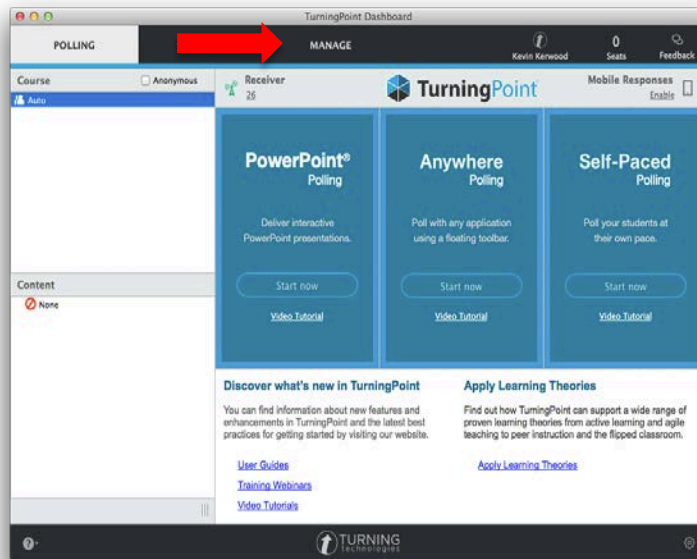


Enter your myBama email address and click **Sign In**. In the next window, enter your myBama username and password, then click **Login**.

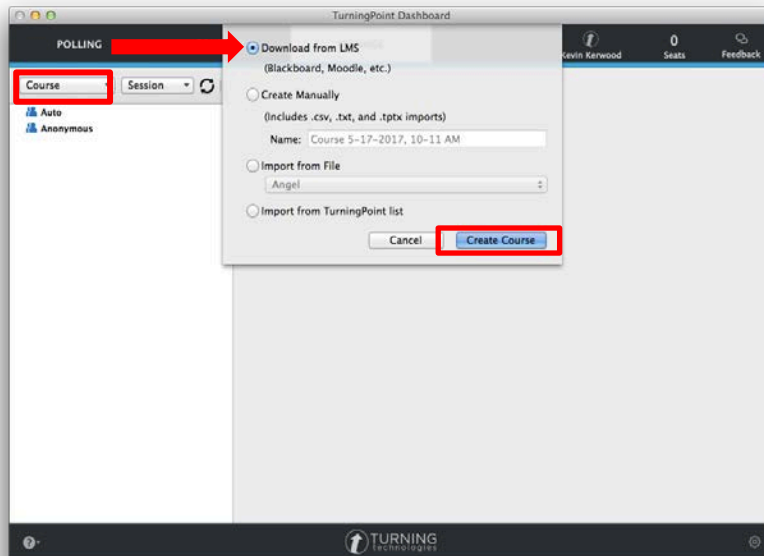


## Downloading the Participant List

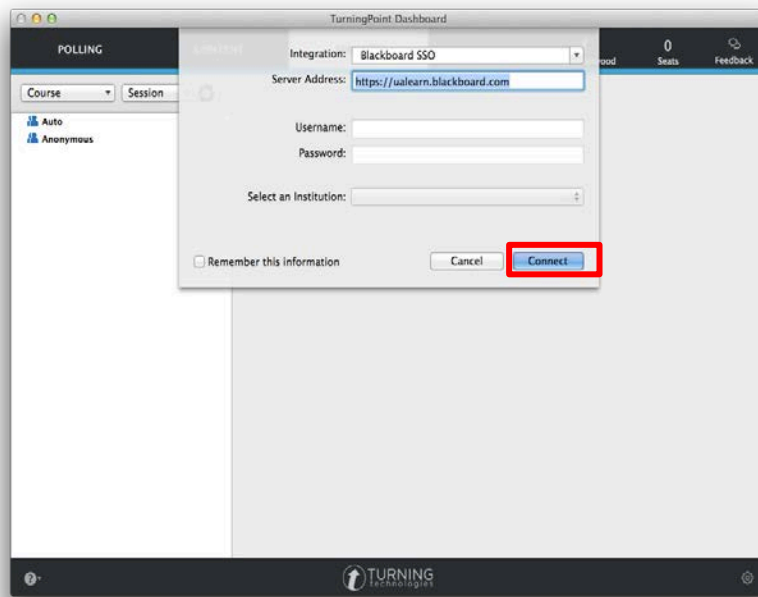
1. Begin by opening the TurningPoint Application. 
2. From the TurningPoint Dashboard, navigate to the **Manage** tab.



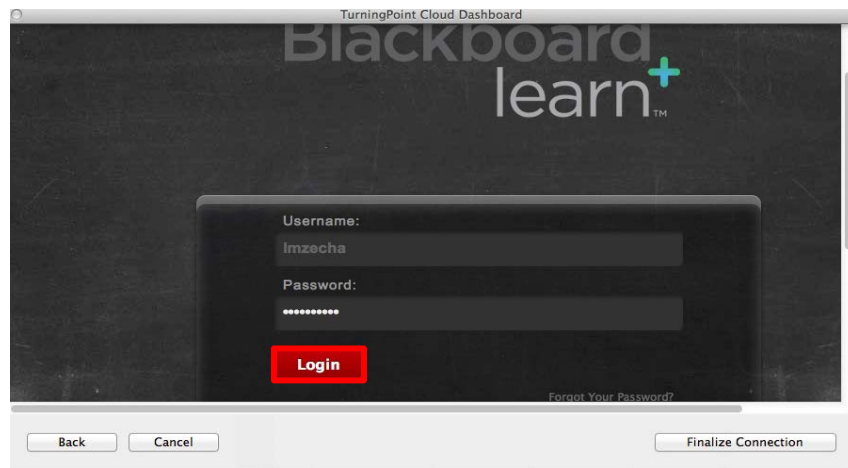
3. Select **Course > New**. Select **Download from LMS** and click **Create Course**.



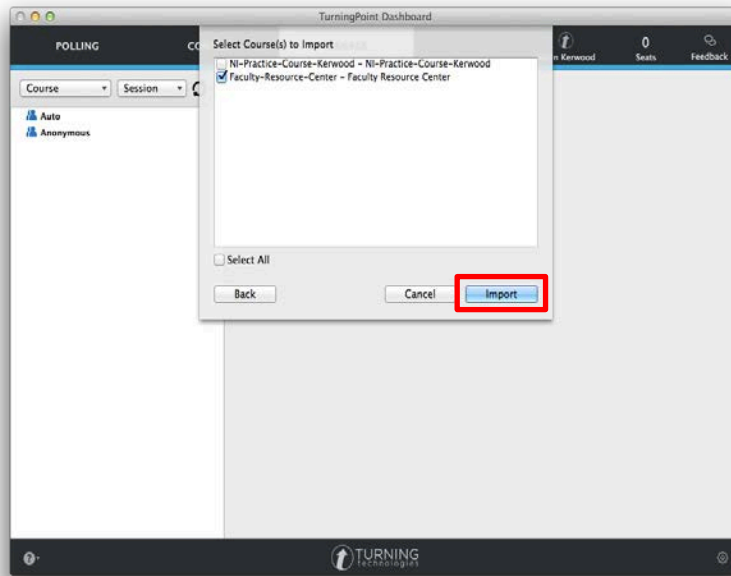
4. Next, select **Blackboard SSO** as your Integration. Enter the Blackboard SSO server address as <https://ualearn.blackboard.com>. You must include the “s” in https for the server address. Click **Connect**.



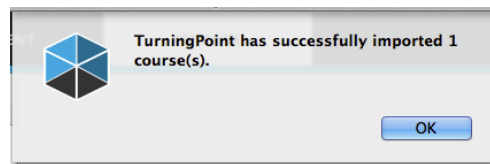
When the Blackboard login screen appears, enter your MyBama credentials and click **Login**.



5. Select the course(s) you would like to import, and then select **Import**.

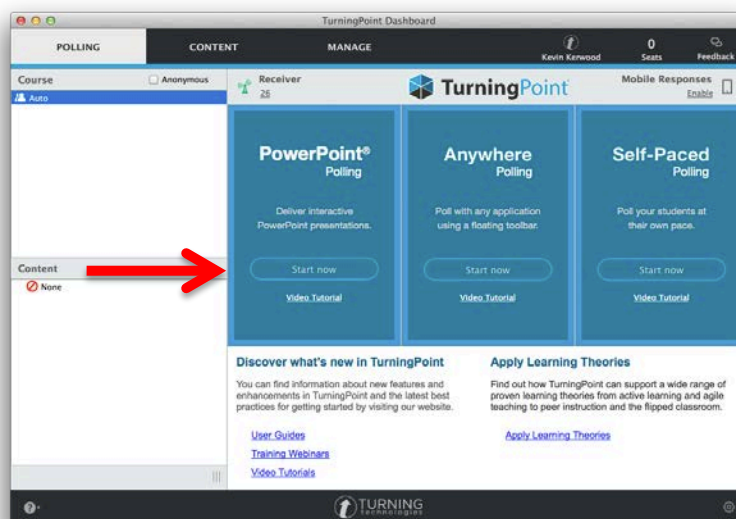


6. You will see a confirmation window informing you how many participant lists that were downloaded. Click **OK**.

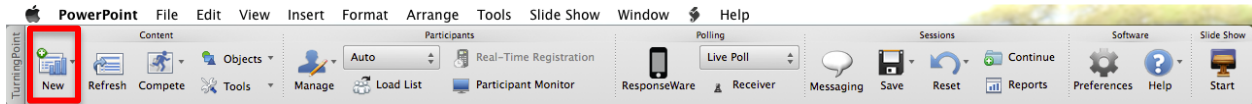


## Creating Content

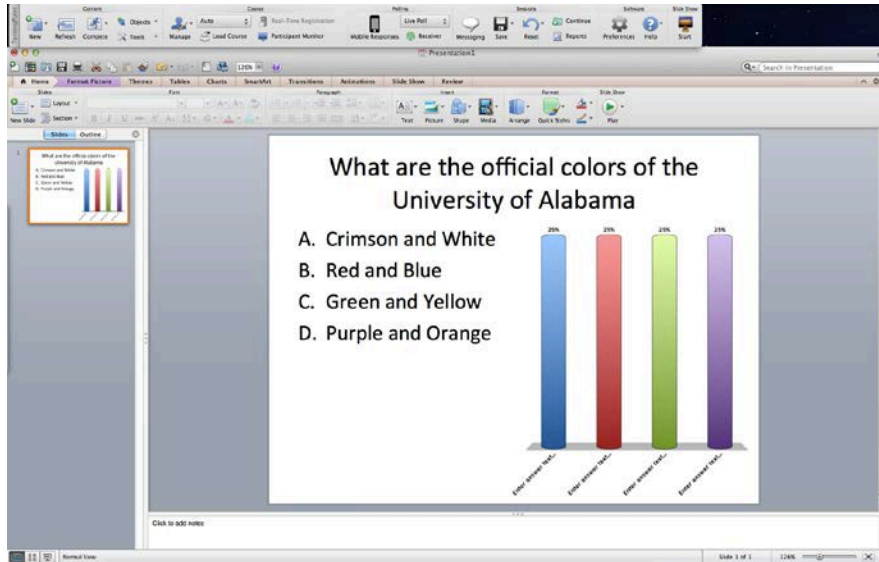
1. Open the TurningPoint dashboard. Click **PowerPoint Polling**. This will open PowerPoint with the TurningPoint toolbar.



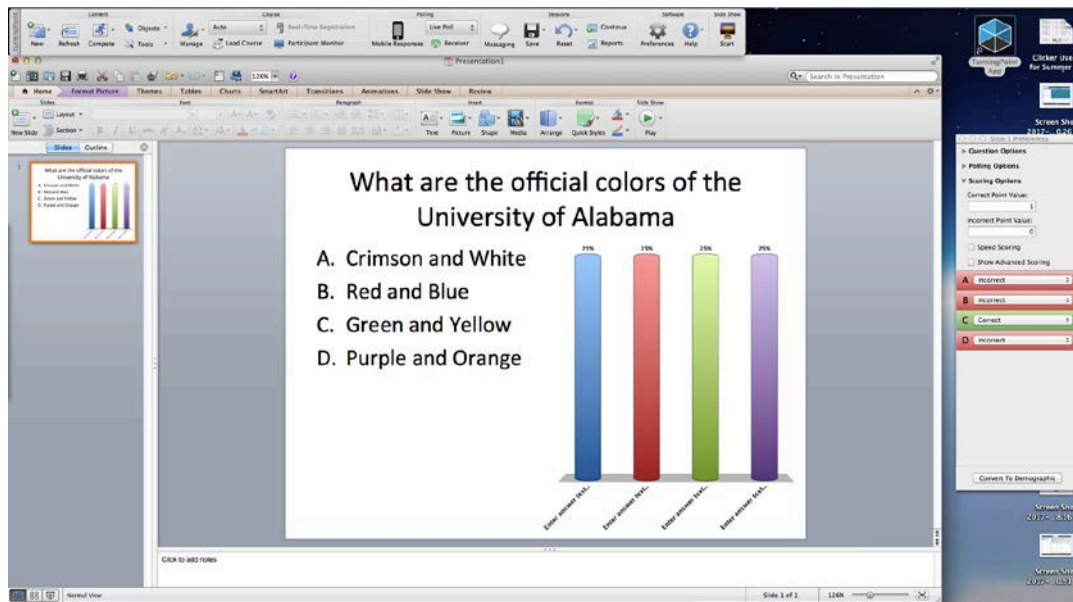
- To create a polling slide, click **New** in the TurningPoint toolbar and select the question type you want to use.



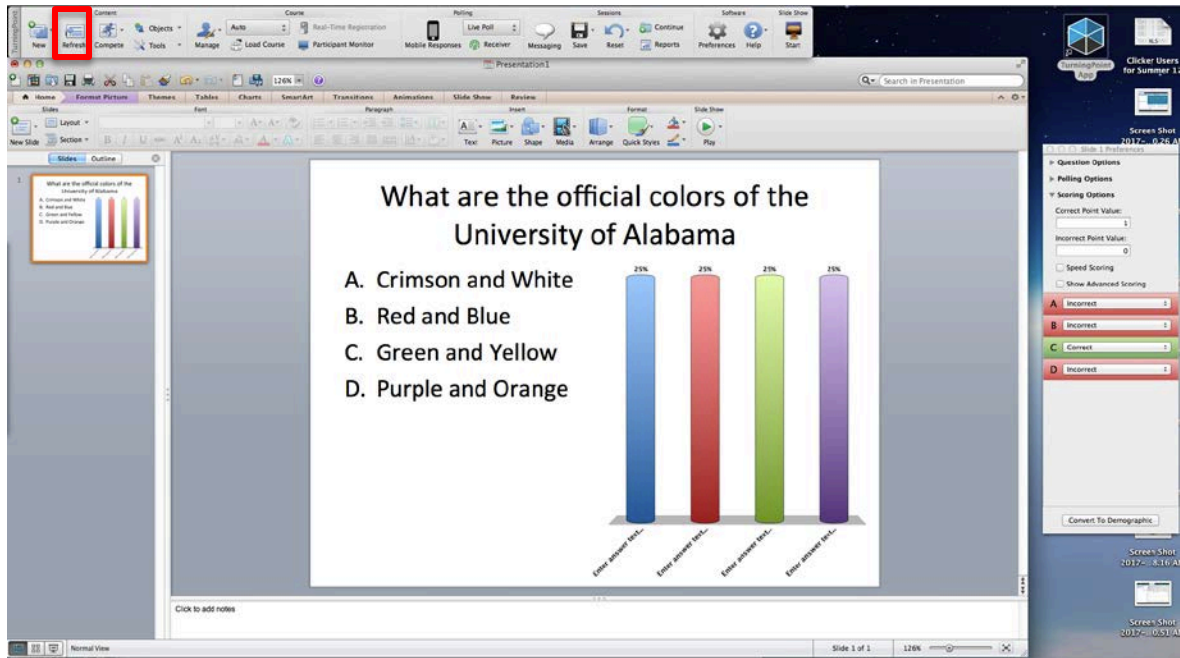
- Once you've selected the question type, a new slide appears. Enter your question and answer text into the relevant boxes.



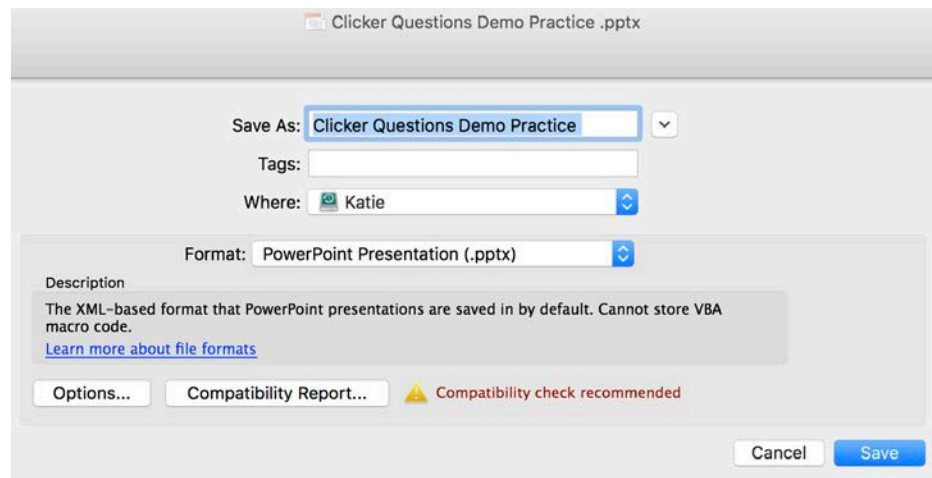
- At the bottom of the **Slide Preferences** sidebar, under the **Scoring Options** header, enter the desired answer values and select the correct answer choices.



Repeat steps 2-5 for each polling question. After all questions are created, click **Refresh**.



5. Once you have finished adding polling slides, save the presentation to a thumb drive as a PowerPoint Presentation type.



6. Quit PowerPoint to return to the TurningPoint Dashboard.

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