TurningPoint– PowerPoint Polling for PC Before Class

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

Begin by opening the TurningPoint application 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. On the next screen, enter your myBama username and password and click Login.
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 List.
4. Next, select Blackboard SSO from the Integration drop-down menu. Enter in the Blackboard server address as https://ualearn.blackboard.com. You must include the “s” in https for the server address.

5. Enter your MyBama credentials and hit enter or click login.
6. Select the course(s) you would like to import, then click **Import**.

![Import Course window]

7. A confirmation window will confirm the number of courses downloaded. **NOTE**: You will only have to import a course once.

![TurningPoint confirmation]

**Creating Content**

1. Open the TurningPoint dashboard. Click **PowerPoint Polling**. This will open a blank PowerPoint presentation with a TurningPoint tab.

![TurningPoint dashboard]
2. To create a polling slide, click **New** in the TurningPoint toolbar and select a question type.

3. When the new polling slide appears, enter question and answer text into the relevant boxes.

4. At the bottom of the **Slide Preferences** sidebar, under the **Scoring Options** header, enter the desired answer values and select correct answer choices.
5. Repeat steps 2-5 for each polling question.
6. Once you have finished adding polling slides, save the presentation as a PowerPoint Presentation type.

7. Quit PowerPoint to return to the TurningPoint Dashboard.

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