

- Established as Newark Technical School in 1881.
- Became the Newark College of Engineering in 1932.
- Became New Jersey Institute of Technology in 1976 with the addition of the New Jersey School of Architecture.
  - 45 acre campus with 26 buildings.
  - Located in Newark, NJ across the river from NYC
  - Public Research University
  - Comprised of six colleges
  - 659 faculty (full and part time).
  - 8,398 enrollments
    - 5576 Undergraduate
    - 2822 Graduate

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### NJIT's Background

- Computer-based distance learning (1979)
- Video based distance learning (1983-1995)
  - Tape based distribution
  - Broadcast, cable, public tv
  - Satellite
  - ITV

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### NJIT's Earlier Efforts

- Various digital recording efforts
- DVD, CD
- Computer capture
  - SMIL
  - Articulate, Impatica
  - Captivate
  - Camtasia Studio

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### NJIT's Goal

#### Improve student retention

- Enable students to view learning objects prior to class
- Enable students to review lectures, after class
- Empower instructors to reallocate class time for discussion and problem solving

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## NJIT's Needs

#### • Affordable

- Pay per cart not appealing
- Pay per user license cost prohibitive
- Unable to budget for annual costs
- Ability to use with preexisting classroom hardware

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## NJIT's Needs

- Easy to implement/scale
  - Most instructors don't use for every course
  - Ability to capture classes AND learning objects
  - Can be used by faculty, staff and students
  - Desire for "Archival Master"
    - Ability to re-encode as needed
    - Files that are not proprietary

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### Evaluating a Lecture Capture System (LCS)

- Systems Evaluated
  - Tegrity
  - Echo 360
  - Panopto
  - Apple Podcast Producer
  - Camtasia Relay

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# NJIT's Solution: Camtasia Relay

- Minimal hardware investment
- Flat license cost, no per user fee
- Friendly user interface
- Beta program offered unique opportunity for user input

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# NJIT's Solution: Camtasia Relay

- Accepted as a beta tester winter 08
- Initial beta test spring 08
- Full launch fall 08

### Currently:

- Over 70 instructors and staff members use Relay
- 4 courses have experimented with having students create presentations

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### How does it work???

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# Client / Server-based lecture capture system

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MP3, HTML

M4V, iTunes U,

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#### **Step 1: User Profile**

- Assigned to individual users
- Determines output format and settings
- Tells Relay where to send files

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	MP3 (Phone Quality)
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#### **Step 2: Install/Launch Application**

Small Application

16<sup>th</sup> Annual Education Technology Conference

• Open to all faculty, staff and students

Camitasia Relay

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Login/guest options available

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#### **Step 3: Start Recording:**

- Screen capture
- Audio capture
- Does not capture video of presenter

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#### Step 6: Upload file to server

•Uncompressed file is uploaded to server for processing

#### **Step 7: Server encodes video**

One recording to multiple formatsMultiple destinations

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#### **Step 8: Final Product Published**

### •Lectures get automatically uploaded to NJIT on iTunesU, designated servers, websites.

Your presentation has been published.

#### View the presentation.

Presenter name: Blake Haggerty Presenter email: blake.haggerty@njit.edu Title: Test DIRECT to AFS Description: Test Created: 4/13/2009 9:21:21 AM Presentation length: 01:25:58 Encoding: Web (1024x768) Destination: Direct to AFS - MP4 File size: 274MB

View presentation link: http://podcast.njit.edu/relay/relay1/test/Test DIRECT to AFS - Web (1024x768) - 20090413 09.21.21AM.html

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### How do we use Relay???

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#### **Classroom Capture**

ITMS maintains computers for sign-out/delivery

- Relay has been installed on all ITMS laptops/smart carts
- Select smart carts have microphones and visualizers

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#### **Classroom Capture:**

USB Microphones installed in the ceiling of select rooms

- Can be used with laptops
- Carts are delivered to select classrooms
- Samson UB1 microphone (good)
- RevoLabs wireless microphones available for sign-out (better)

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#### **Total Costs for Rooms:**

- \$2,000 = 20 classrooms with microphones (Samson UB1)
- \$20,000 = 20 new smart carts pc (Dell Optiplex 775)
  - (slated for upgrade previously)
- \$5,500 = 6 Samsung visualizer (**SDP-850X**)
- \$1300 = 13 sign out/test microphones (Samson UB1)
- \$1,500 = 10 graphics tablets (Adesso Cyber Pad)

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#### **Server Information:**

- Virtual server with four cores at 2.4GHZ max
- 150 GB of storage space
- Three simultaneous encodes

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#### **Learning Object Creation**

- Many instructors create learning objects outside of classroom
  - LOs are shorter than a lecture (15-20 minutes)
  - Used to introduce concepts before class
  - Allows for more in-class discussion
- Instructors prefer to not think about encoding options
- Like having lectures sent directly to iTunes
- Instructors can "borrow" equipment for long-term loan if they make videos available to the public through NJIT on iTunes U

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### Examples

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#### Graphics tablet with Adesso CyberPad Tutoring Center

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#### Video tutorials:

http://www.youtube.com/user/njit

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#### **MECH 236 Dynamics:**

Smart cart and visualizer

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#### **Critical Questions**

- What is the underlying goal of our Legal System?
- What is ethics?
- What is the difference between business ethics and social responsibility?

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### Legal Ethical Issues:

Smart cart and microphone

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### Matlab Instructions:

**Recorded Outside Classroom** 

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#### STS 304 Writing about Science, Technology and Society:

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Students record podcasts

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![](_page_31_Picture_0.jpeg)

#### Medical Informatics: Incorporation video Recorded at home or in office

![](_page_31_Picture_2.jpeg)

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### Distribution

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#### Option 1: Relay uploads to NJIT on iTunes U

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![](_page_34_Figure_0.jpeg)

[Instructor adds a Link to LMS (Moodle)]

#### Option 2: Relay uploads to website

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Homegrown Drupal Solution:

- 1) Relay publishes to Drupal
- 2) Drupal crates a page (think YouTube)
- 3) Videos are tagged with person's name and info automatically
- 4) Collections of videos can be created by users, comments, ratings, etc... The module is fully integrated with Drupal, so if you know what that can do, then you know what this module faciliates.
- 5) Search / Browse function available through faceted search
- 6) Email sent to users when new videos are added
- 7) Podcast feed can go to iTunes (or other tools)
- 8) When/where/who/ info is available through custom data views that are easily created

Developed by Keith Williams: keith.a.williams@njit.edu

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#### **Drupal Option**

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#### Feedback:

- Initial student feedback has been positive
- Instructors like the program and find it easy to use
- We have not done any formal analysis in works for fall 09

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### What did we learn?

- Distribution, organization, and storage are a challenge
- Capturing equations / non-PowerPoint can be a challenge

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### Questions ???

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