VOICETHREAD

VoiceThread is an online digital storytelling program that allows users to upload pictures or presentations then add a voice or video recording as commentary.

EXAMPLE USES

- create student presentations
- create online lectures
- language and speech practice and delivery
- online video discussion board
- digital storytelling
- create learning communities
- promote student engagement

TUTORIALS/RESOURCES

Using Voicethread via OAKS: this uses CofC accounts to access VT and upgrades everyone's accounts: http://goo.gl/orhsFT

Sample Collaborative Activity in Voicethread: http://goo.gl/5qSXfZ

Example VTs from Higher Ed: http://goo.gl/yGBbnq

Best Practices: http://goo.gl/7MEC1j

EXAMPLE USES

- current events
- supplemental material
- research
- projects
- lecture examples or support

FEATURES

- embed videos into your Content
- create playlists for easy playback
- bibliographic information attached
- notes area to take notes on the media

TUTORIALS/RESOURCES

NBC Learn is a subscription based service so you must be on campus or have a CofC username/password to access the videos. Adding them via the link within OAKS is the most reliable. It gives you access to an embed code that you can't get via the other two login options. Using this embed code ensures that your students can access the media both on campus and off.

Using NBC Learn via OAKS: http://goo.gl/QOLZXs

NBC LEARN

NBC Learn is a digital media library created by NBC. The have "digitized more than 12,000 stories from the NBC News archives dating back to the 1920s.

OAKS Integrations
VoiceThread, NBC Learn, Kaltura

KALTURA

Kaltura (My Media) is a Youtube-like, online media area specifically for CofC faculty, staff and students. Unlike other media servers on campus Kaltura is available to students so it can be used to upload video projects.

EXAMPLE USES

- faculty
  - record screencast lectures
  - record screencast demonstrations
  - upload pre-recorded lectures
  - record webcam lectures
- students
  - upload and turn in video projects
  - record screencast demonstrations
  - practice language or speeches

TUTORIALS/RESOURCES

Kaltura allows students and faculty to upload existing videos, create screen recordings with voiceover, create webcam recordings, and use them in almost any tool in OAKS.

Video Size: Kaltura videos must be under 2GB in size to be uploaded via OAKS.

Privacy: media can be made private, unlisted or public

Using Kaltura via OAKS: http://goo.gl/XaPpBn