

MONTGOMERY COLLEGE BLACKBOARD COLLABORATE - VERSIONS FOR FACULTY

Virtual Instruction
Live, Synchronous
Facilitation webinar and
meeting delivery
integrated with
Blackboard LMS for up
to 200 participants

Blackboard
collaborate™
ORIGINAL

Blackboard
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ULTRA

Blackboard Collaborate Version Features Comparison

Availability	Available through June 30	NEW! Effective March 20
Download Launcher (first time only)	Download Bb Collaborate Launcher for first time users; Download to initiate: est. 10 min	Launcher not necessary
Where do I find my Collaborate Session	MyMC>Blackboard>Course>Course Management>Course Tools> Blackboard Collaborate	MyMC>Blackboard>Course>Course Management>Course Tools> Blackboard Collaborate Ultra
Join a Session	Join Room> Download meeting.collab >Run	Course Room>Join Course Room
Audio and Microphone set up	Limited to 6 simultaneous	Limited to 6 simultaneous
Moderator presentation tools	Whiteboard Application Sharing Web Tour/ Web Push Load Content – PowerPoint or images (limitations: use built-in PowerPoint templates; limit size to 20MB / 60 slides)	Whiteboard Application Sharing Load Content - PowerPoint, images or PDF Multiple content accessible at once
File Sharing	Yes	No
Application Sharing	Desktop, browser, application	Desktop, browser, application
Session Recording and Sharing	Yes	Yes
Breakout Rooms	Yes	Yes
Polling Participation	Yes	Yes
Student application	Blackboard Collaborate Mobile	Application not needed
Department Support	ELITE Gloria.Barron@MontgomeryCollege.edu	ELITE Gloria.Barron@MontgomeryCollege.edu
User Resources and Training Tutorials	https://www.montgomerycollege.edu/offices/elite/blackboard-collaborate.html	https://www.montgomerycollege.edu/documents/offices/elite/collaborate-ultra-experience-faculty-introduction.pdf https://www.montgomerycollege.edu/offices/elite/blackboard-collaborate.html
User Helpdesk	Blackboard Collaborate Helpdesk 1-877-382-2293	