



Library Technology and Telecommunications Committee Meeting Minutes

Meeting Date: October 27th 2025

Next Meeting: November 26th

Location: ZOOM

Attendance: Stephen Castellano, Sherry Deckman, Dana Fenton, Tailisha Gonzalez, Michelle Ehrenpreis, John DeLooper, Jennifer McCabe, Kenneth Schlesinger, Jennifer Van Allen

Student Senators: Esther Matthews

Excused: Ediltrudys Ruiz

Library

- Library is pleased to offer Information Literacy classes customized to research assignment in faculty's individual Course. Classes are available either in-person or virtually. To schedule an Information Literacy session – please visit Library Homepage.
- Library and Social Work invite you to a Reading and Discussion of Bryan Warde's Inside U.S. Immigration Policy, Tuesday, November 18th, 1:00-2:00 PM, in Library Treehouse. Please register on Library Homepage.

Information Technology

- The final phase of the CUNY Login MFA rollout for students is currently underway. Approximately 4,300 students remain. Fifty percent were enrolled on October 27, and the remaining group was enrolled on Monday, November 3. Beginning November 10, all new students, faculty, and staff will have MFA enabled by default. Please note that anyone still accessing CUNY Login SSO applications without MFA will be prompted to complete MFA setup.

LMS/Brightspace

- Winter/Spring 2026 Courses are in the process of being created. Faculty should begin to see their Winter/Spring Courses today or tomorrow. To find your course:
 - Go to your Brightspace Homepage
 - Find the MY COURSE widget

- Click on the Spring 2026 link

Please remember, these course shells will have no content. Be on the lookout for upcoming communications from the LMS Transition team with guidance on preparing for your Winter/Spring 2026 courses.

- Access to Blackboard ends on December 15th. Courses from 2021 – 2025 have already been imported into Brightspace. If faculty need content from courses prior to 2021, please access their Blackboard course and download the necessary files. Alternatively, faculty may choose to EXPORT their course to save ALL course materials. If you need assistance exporting content from courses prior to 2021, our LMS team can help. The LMS Transition Team will share a step-by-step guide and instructions on how to request support.
- CUNY Central will be disabling the BLOG tool in Brightspace at the end of the fall semester. D2L will be providing a list of instructors using the Blog tool and a notice will be sent to each faculty member to inform them that the tool will no longer be available.

Center for Teaching and Learning

- November is Tech Month in the CTL: Join the CTL in November for Teaching and Learning with Digital Technology, a virtual fall 2025 series by the Center for Teaching and Learning that offers awareness, demonstrations, relevant use cases, and scholarly conversations about teaching and learning with digital tools and technology. Open to student, faculty and staff from November 11 - 21.
- Brightspace Training continues! Register for an Office Hour with a member of the Brightspace Transition Team. The Office Hour is a one-to-one session where you will receive individualized attention. Visit the Lehman Brightspace Transition Page to register and learn about all the resources that are available for the college community.