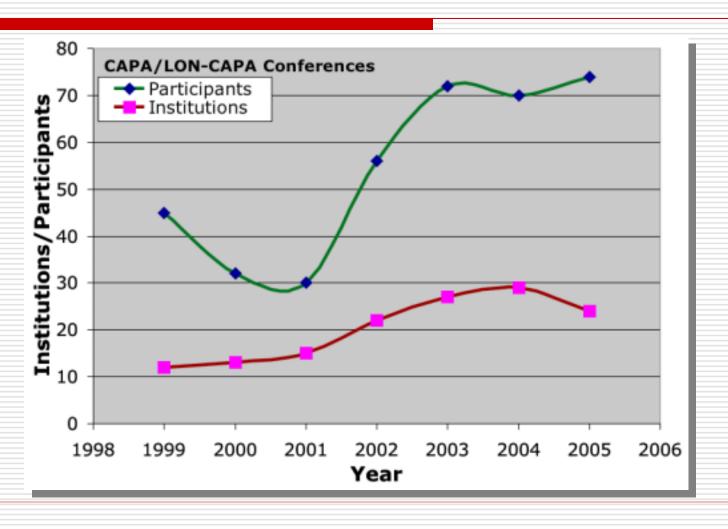
LON-CAPA Community, Updates, and Opportunities

2005 LON-CAPA Conference
University of South Carolina
Columbia

Attendance



Sponsors

Dell - Thursday night reception

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☐ McGraw Hill - Friday dinner

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☐ University of South Carolina - break refreshments, facilities, support,

New Partner Schools 2004

- Waverly
- Williamston
- Lake Fenton
- Leslie
- □ Ithaca
- □ Novi
- Additional schools hosted by
 - FSU
 - SC
 - Ohio U

New Partner Universities 2004

- Central Michigan University
- □ Ball State University
- The Hebrew University of Jerusalem
- University of California, Santa Cruz
- Acadia University
- Penn State Erie
- University of Colorado at Boulder
- University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
- Virginia Commonwealth University

New Publisher Domains 2004

- □ Brooks/Cole
- W. H. Freeman
- Prentice Hall
- □ Wiley

Partners

- □ 21 Middle and High Schools
- 21 Colleges and Universities
- 6 Publishing Companies

Shared Resource Pool Growth

- Now approx. 60,000 content resources
 - 21,000 content pages
 - 19,000 problems
 - 13,000 images
 - 2,000 content assemblies
 - 1,500 animations, movies, and simulations
- Not including publisher libraries

Student Enrollments

- ☐ Fall 2004: 16,679 student course enrollments
- □ 100,000 logins at MSU in the first 16 days of the semester
- Approx. 24,000 student course enrollments system-wide

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Software Exchange

- Accepted into the peer-reviewed German CampusSource software exchange
- Collection of open-source course managements and assessment software packages

Papers, Presentations, Visits

- 15 conference talks and posters
- 3 colloquium talks
- Exhibit hall booth at AAPT
- 2 fee-based on-campus installation support and training visits

Ph.D.

- ☐ First Ph.D. thesis completed around the LON-CAPA project
- Data Mining a Web-Based Educational System



New Collaborations

- Collaborations with
 - MSU College of Education in a PT3 project: Portfolios
 - MSU Computer Software Engineering: Portfolios and Bridge Tasks
 - Picking up large-enrollment CSE 101 course

New Releases 2004: 1.2

- Anonymous exams
- Problems open for time intervals
- Content open and closing dates
- Testbank import
- WYSIWYG editor

New Releases 2004: 1.3

- ☐ IMS Package import
- Folders for internal messages
- Student portfolio space
- Discussion enhancements
- Survey analysis
- Hiding resources and encrypting URLs

Awards 2004

- Sloan-C Award for Most Outstanding Effective Practice
- ☐ Effective Feedback to the Instructor from Online Homework

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Committed to Quality Online Education

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Donations

- Ability to directly receive tax-deductible donations through MSU Development
- Payable via credit cards or through development office
- You can even sponsor a bug!

In-Class Use of Technology

- Clickers and beyond
- Possible collaboration with Mazur group at Harvard
- Possible grant project (NSF ROLE)

Usability and Accessibility

- MSU-internal proposal: Collaboration with MSU Usability Lab and Resource Center for Persons with Disabilities
- Additional testing of and work on interface for blind users
- Usability study

Summer Focus Sessions

- LON-CAPA Group hosting the 2005 Educause/NLII Summer Focus Session
- Interaction and Student Engagement: The Intersection of Technology and Pedagogy
- ☐ June 16, 2005 at MSU
- Cohosted with the Division of Undergraduate Education, National Science Foundation

ITR Sunset

- 2005 is the last year of our NSF ITR grant
- LON-CAPA and its philosophy have grown into a mature system and community
- Final year: summative evaluation and dissemination
- Looking forward, we need to start building on this foundation with
 - New research projects as a collaborative
 - Seeking contracts and business opportunities

Spin-Off Company

- ☐ EduCog, LLC
- □ Providing LON-CAPA services such as:

eduCog

- Hosting
- Problem Coding
- On-Site Training and Support
- Approved by MSU Board of Trustees
- Incorporation papers filed

Next LON-CAPA Conference

□ LON-CAPA Conference 2006 again at Michigan State University