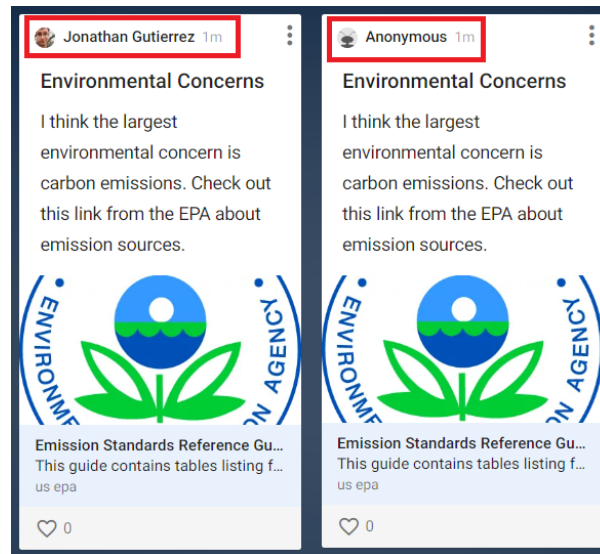


Padlet

Integration in your Course

Padlet can be integrated in your course using two different methods. The method of integration you choose will allow your students to either have their names attached to their responses or remain anonymous. Please be aware, Padlet does not currently support grade transfer to Blackboard.



Notice the content is the same; however, the post on the left shows the posters name whereas the right shows anonymous.

Check Privacy before Integration

It is important to check the privacy settings of your Padlet before asking students to post. If your privacy setting is incorrectly set, students may be able to see the Padlet but not post.

- 1) Open the Padlet you want your students to participate in.
- 2) Click the Share button in the top right corner of your Padlet.
- 3) Under Privacy, press the CHANGE PRIVACY button.
- 4) Change your privacy setting to Secret. This means only people linked to the Padlet may see it.
- 5) After clicking Secret, a setting titled Visitor Permissions will appear. Select Can Write.
- 6) You're finished. Now only students with the link can see your Padlet and add posts.

Roster Integration

This method will allow Blackboard and Padlet to talk to each other. As soon as students click a Padlet link in Blackboard, an account will be made for them. Students will be able to create their own Padlets with their account. Additionally, any posts or comments students make will have their name attached.

Setting up Roster Integration

- 1) Create a Padlet that you want your students to participate in.
- 2) Click the Share button in the top right corner of your Padlet.
- 3) Click the Add to your LMS as an external tool button.
- 4) In a separate tab, open up your Blackboard course.
- 5) Inside your content area, go to Build Content and select Web Link
- 6) Using the information from Padlet, copy the information into Blackboard.
 - a. **Blackboard:** URL; **Padlet:** Launch/Tool URL
 - b. **Blackboard:** This link is a Tool Provider must be checked
 - c. **Blackboard:** Key; **Padlet:** Consumer key
 - d. **Blackboard:** Secret; **Padlet:** Shared secret
 - e. **Blackboard:** Custom Parameters; **Padlet:** Custom parameters
- 7) In Blackboard, you may set Enable Evaluation to Yes or No. Selecting Yes will create a grade column in your grade center for the Padlet. Please be aware, Padlet cannot enter grades so they must be entered manually in the Full Grade Center of Blackboard.
- 8) Press Submit in Blackboard and you're finished.

The image shows a side-by-side comparison of a Padlet sharing screen and a Blackboard 'Add to LMS' configuration screen. Arrows indicate the mapping of data from Padlet to Blackboard:

- Blue arrow:** Points from the Padlet 'Launch/Tool URL' field to the Blackboard 'URL' field.
- Red arrow:** Points from the Padlet 'Consumer key' field to the Blackboard 'Key' field.
- Green arrow:** Points from the Padlet 'Shared secret' field to the Blackboard 'Secret' field.
- Yellow arrow:** Points from the Padlet 'Custom parameters' field to the Blackboard 'Custom Parameters' field.

The Blackboard 'Add to LMS' screen also includes a 'Behavior' section with radio buttons for 'Everyone works on this padlet.' (selected) and 'Everyone works on their own copy of this padlet.', and an 'Enable Evaluation' section with radio buttons for 'Yes' and 'No'.

Anonymous Integration

This method allows students to post to your Padlets without their own account. When students create posts or comments, they will come up as Anonymous. Using this method, students will not be made a Padlet account so they cannot make their own Padlets.

Setting up Anonymous Integration

- 1) Create a Padlet that you want your students to participate in.
- 2) Click the Share button in the top right corner of your Padlet.
- 3) Click Copy link to clipboard
- 4) In a separate tab, open up your Blackboard course.
- 5) Inside your content area, go to Build Content and select Web Link
- 6) Paste the link you copied from Padlet.
- 7) Press Submit in Blackboard and you're finished.