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DEMONSTRATING INTEGRATIVE LEARNING VIA ePORTFOLIOS

WHAT ARE ePORTFOLIOS?

In *Assigning, Responding, Evaluating*, Edward White claims, “The great advantage of portfolios... is that they can include numerous examples of student writing performed over time and under a variety of conditions... Whereas most evaluation instruments provide a snapshot of student performance, the portfolio can give a motion picture” (163).

THE FUNCTIONS OF AN ePORTFOLIO

1. As a **learning management system** (LMS), students submit works in progress, final drafts, and reflective assignments throughout the semester.
2. As a **repository**, students store their work in the portfolio (this may include artifacts from every point in the learning process, or simply final drafts).
3. As a **showcase**, students select artifacts from their coursework to present a rhetorical argument regarding their knowledge and skills acquired in the course, which can easily transition into a **professional portfolio** for the student for use outside of the university.

THE OBJECTIVES OF AN ePORTFOLIO

- collect, select, and reflect on the process and products of past and present learning
- apply learning to new situations,
- evaluate current choices and decisions,
- create strategies and plans for the future,
- chronicle, display, and visibly present the diversity of their experiences using multimedia,
- develop an identity as a creator and learner, as well as a personalized profile of achievement.

HOW DO WE GET LEARNERS USING ePORTFOLIOS?

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