Collaborative Learning Resources

The following resources were identified by the ELI Fall Focus Session Advisory Group to help outline key concepts and technologies related to collaborative learning on campus.

- Barbara Gross Davis, *Tools for Teaching Collaborative Learning*, http://teaching.berkeley.edu/bgd/collaborative.html. A useful guide for faculty, explaining how to structure collaborative learning experiences in the classroom and strategize for student success.

- Cyprien Lomas and Michael Burke, *Collaboration Tools*, ELI White Paper, August 2008, http://www.educause.edu/ELI/CollaborationTools/163150. Students use technology *in natural ways* that allow them to do what they want: communicate with anyone they want, in the time and space that suits them best. Easily accessible and user-friendly, collaboration tools allow students to explore, share, engage, and connect with people and content in meaningful ways that help them learn. By relying on the familiar ways students use these tools, faculty can enable new forms of communication and engagement in the classroom, permitting extensions and variations of the informal interactions already occurring in classrooms and hallways, and creating new frontiers for collaboration across geographic boundaries.

  Bonus: An excellent visual representation of ways that current and emergent tools help us collaborate online by Robin Good:
  http://www.mindmeister.com/maps/show_public/12213323

- Larry Michaelsen, Team-Based Learning, http://teambasedlearning.apsc.ubc.ca/. One of the most comprehensive resource sites on team based learning, including resources to get started, a library of TBL resources, and information on how to design or redesign your course to integrate TBL activities and principles. Real-life videos of classes using TBL as well as workshop materials also reside on the site.

  Bonus: A comprehensive site of videos by Larry Michaelsen:
  http://teambasedlearning.apsc.ubc.ca/v/michaelsenvid.html

- University of Wisconsin–Madison, "Technology-Enhanced Collaborative Group Work," http://www.engage.wisc.edu/collaboration/research/index.html. A portal, created by UW–Madison, that links to articles, research, rubrics, and examples of collaborative group work:

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- Collaboration Benefits, http://bit.ly/bTg1Gf.
- Collaborative Teaching, http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ECXlLE-bJkY.

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