

Participant's Manual for How to Plan, Design, and Evaluate E-learning

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Seminar Objective

You will design and test an e-learning lesson that is based on a job analysis and reflects course guidelines regarding lesson organization, screen design, and interaction-feedback design.

Seminar Agenda

Day 1 Seminar Welcome and Introductions

Unit 1: Introduction to E-learning Design

- Lesson 1: Instructional Systems Design for E-learning
- Lesson 2: E-learning When, Why and How
- Lesson 3: E-learning Tools and Terminology

Unit 2: Job Task Analysis

Lesson 1: A Review of How to Conduct a Job Task Analysis

Day 2 Unit 3: E-learning Course Structure

- Lesson 1: Organizational Principles
- Lesson Organization
- Lesson 3: Using the Content-Performance Matrix for Design

Day 3 Unit 4: Screen Design

- Lesson 1: Determining the Look and Feel
- Lesson 2: Screen Real Estate
- Lesson 3: Guidelines for Media

Unit 5: Designing Interactions

- Lesson 1: Designing Effective Interactions
- Lesson 2: Designing Feedback and Answer Analysis
- Lesson 3: Designing Effective Online Collaborative Exercises

Seminar Agenda, Continued

Day 4 Unit 6: Storyboards

- Lesson 1: Creating Storyboards
- Lesson 2: Creating Site Maps

Case Studies

• Create E-learning lessons as small group projects

Case Studies

Day 5

- Present the lessons and evaluate their effectiveness
- Debrief on the products and the process

Lesson 1 **Instructional Systems Design for E-learning**

Introduction

As an e-learning developer, you need to be aware of what causes learning, so that you don't confuse the training medium with the training message.

Lesson Overview

You will define e-Learning and distinguishes among four ingredients of instruction as well as four architectures for designing instruction. Finally, it presents the instruction systems design (ISD) model as it relates to e-learning development.

Lesson **Objectives**

In this lesson you will learn to:

- identify the definition of e-learning,
- distinguish among content, outcomes, methods, and media,
- distinguish among the four architectures receptive, directive, guided discovery, and exploratory, and
- review the stages of instructional systems design.

Order of Topics This lesson contains the following topics:

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What is E-learning?

Introduction

Because there are many different implementations of e-learning, lets begin with a common understanding of how we will use the term in this course.

Definition

E-Learning is a combination of content and instructional methods delivered on a computer (via CD-ROM or Inter/Intra net) and designed to build knowledge and skills related to individual or organizational goals.

What	Training delivered in a digital format
How	Content and instructional methods to support
	learning
Why	To improve organizational performance by building
_	job-relevant knowledge and skills

In addition, online learning can be either asynchronous or synchronous.

- Asynchronous: The training may be experienced at any time. Consider a typical web site.
- Synchronous: Students are experiencing the training at the same time the instructor is delivering it. Consider interactive distance learning.

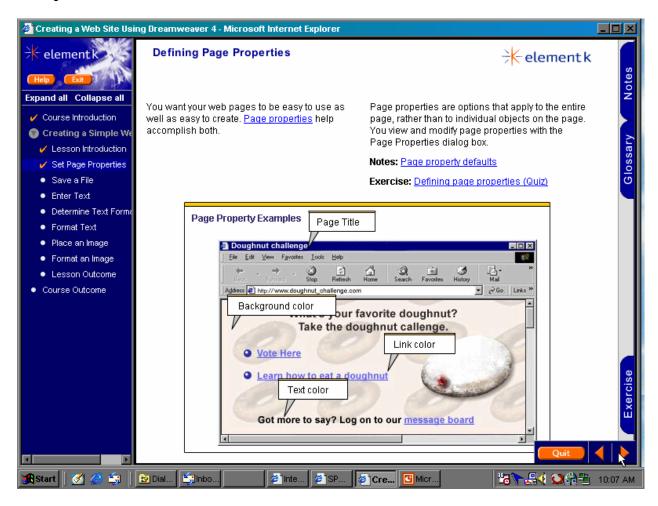
Examples



A CDROM Course To Explain How Iridium Telephones Work

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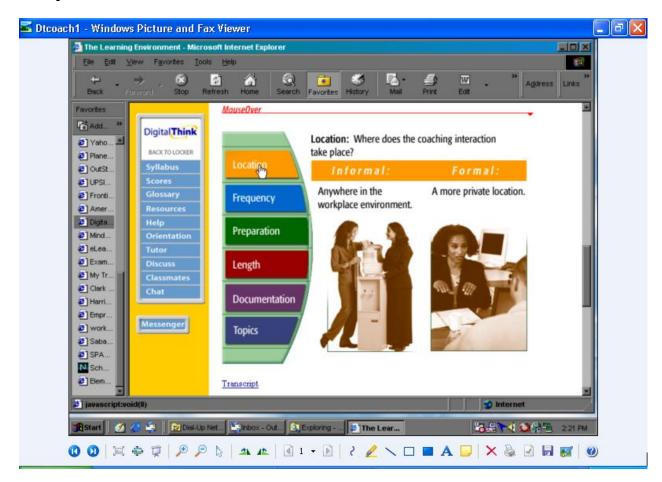
Examples



An Online Course to Teach Use of Dreamweaver Software for Creating Web Pages. Courtesy of Element K.

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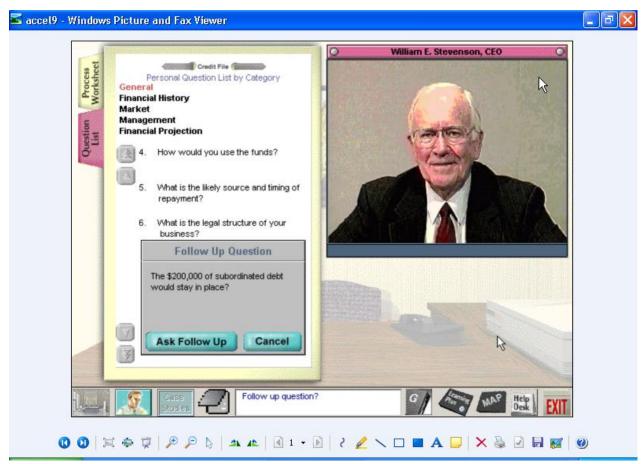
Examples



An Online Course to Teach Coaching Skills. Courtesy of Digital Think.

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Examples



A CD-ROM Course to Teach Commercial Loan Analysis. Courtesy of Moody's Financial Services.