

Video conversion workshop

COE IT TEAM

Reference: <http://www.csun.edu/edtech/video/>

VERY IMPORTANT: BEFORE RECORDING, CHANGE RECORDING RESOLUTION TO LOW (LP) if possible: will yield smaller file thus will be quicker to compress. DO NOT use High Definition. Reason: must keep file size smaller than 500MB.

For the new camera Canon FS200 or HF200 or 400: it can record on an SD memory card (at least 2GB suggested).

iPad, iPhone, Android phone: we see more students successfully using them. Make sure you go to settings and change the video recording to lower resolution to keep file size small. Ex: on iPhone, it is under Settings -> Camera -> Record video: change to lowest settings (720p ?)

VERY IMPORTANT! Due to file size limit, BEFORE you record your video, check to make sure your device is set to the lowest video recording quality. **DO NOT RECORD IN HD.**

Please make sure you have authorization for all students appearing on the video. Blurring faces on a video requires editing software and a lot of time.

IMPORTANT NOTES:

1. Before going to the Zoom workshop for hands-on seminars: MAKE SURE YOU HAVE your selected 10 or 15 MINUTES OF VIDEO PLAYABLE THROUGH YOUR CAMCORDER OR COMPUTERS. Always carry a USB flash drive (2GB free or more) when working in lab.
 2. ~~Student workroom ED2115A has five PC's and ten iMacs. All PC's have Free Video to iPod Converter, AnyVideoConverter. Ten iMacs have QuickTime and iMovie. REMEMBER YOU CAN DO THE VIDEO CONVERSION AT HOME. Please refer to the aforementioned website, many how-to videos there.~~
-

Support from CoE tech:

1. Orientation Workshops:

Location: Zoom

- Friday, 10/8 at 4:00pm

2. Hands-on seminars (when you do the video conversion; see your seminar leaders or coordinators for schedule) on Zoom. At this moment, there are more than seven hands-on seminars scheduled in Zoom.
3. Walk-in sessions: Tech will help individual students who have not been able to finish the video conversion; after that date, you are on your own. The walk-in dates are:

Location: Zoom

Friday, October 29, 2:00 – 5:00 PM.

4. **There will be tech support at more than 7 workshops. Please do NOT contact the CoE tech on other dates.**