

BLACKBOARD® 9.1 AND TURNINGPOINT®

The integration with Blackboard® allows for Turning Technologies users to leverage response devices in class to easily collect student achievement data. Very simply one can import from Blackboard a participant list of students into TurningPoint and then export assessment data into Blackboard.

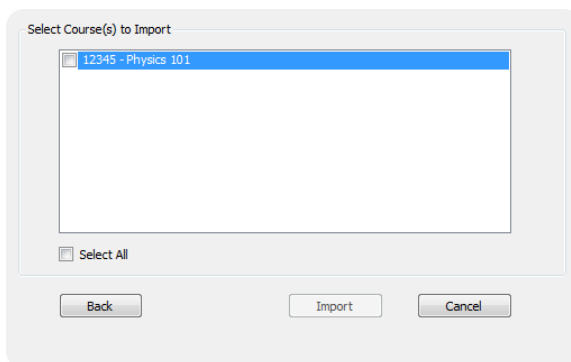
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Downloading a Participant List

Users can import participant information from Blackboard.

- 1 Open TurningPoint and click the **Manage** tab.
- 2 Click the *Participant List* drop-down menu and select **New**.
The *Create Participant List* window is displayed.
- 3 Select **Download from Integration** and click **Create List**.
The *Connect to Integration* window is displayed.
- 4 Select **Blackboard** from the *Integration* drop-down menu and enter the **Server Address** in the box provided.
- 5 Enter your Blackboard **Username** and **Password**. Select the institution name from the *Institution* drop-down box if available and click **Connect**.
The *Import Participant List* window is displayed.



- 6 Select the **course(s)** in which the participant list(s) is to be imported and click **Import**.
The participant list now appears in the left panel.

TIP

The imported participant list contains the following information: Device ID(s), License Status, First Name, Last Name, User ID and Email.

Using a Downloaded Participant List

A participant list from Blackboard can be loaded into TurningPoint to track participant results.

- 1 Open TurningPoint and click the **Manage** tab.
- 2 From the Polling tab, select the **participant list**, the **content file** and the **polling environment**.

WARNING

A Blackboard participant list must be loaded prior to running a session.

- 3 **Run** and **save** the session.
- 4 Close the polling environment to return to the TurningPoint Dashboard.

Updating a Participant List

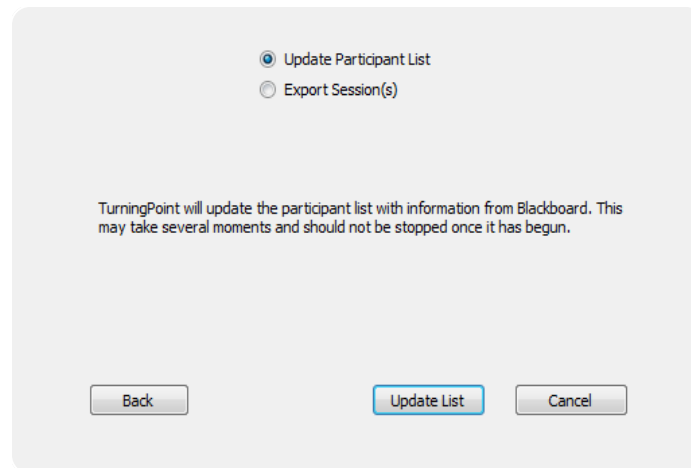
Participant lists can be updated with the latest participant information from Blackboard through the export function in Results Manager.

- 1 Open TurningPoint and click the **Manage** tab.
- 2 Select the participant list and click **Results Manager** in the lower right corner of the window.

The screenshot shows the TurningPoint software interface. The top navigation bar includes 'Polling', 'Content', and 'Manage' tabs, with 'Manage' selected. On the right of the top bar are 'TurningTalk' and 'Feedback' icons. Below the navigation bar, there are dropdown menus for 'Participant List' and 'Session'. A left sidebar contains a tree view of participant lists, with 'Example Participant List Name' selected. The main area displays 'Participant List Overview' for the selected list. It shows the list name, creation and modification dates, and the number of participants and sessions. A 'Preview' table lists participant details. At the bottom of the overview are 'Edit Participants' and 'Results Manager' buttons. The bottom of the window features a 'Help' icon, the 'TurningPoint by Turning Technologies' logo, and a 'Preferences' icon.

Device ID(s)	Sessions	Last Name	Gender (Team)	Demo	First Name	User ID
14076E	0 of 0	2	Male	1	Participant	6227
811D8	0 of 0	5	Male	2	Participant	6063
FFF0E4	0 of 0	1	Female	1	Participant	6057
811B3	0 of 0	4	Female	2	Participant	6068
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- 3 Click **Integrations**. The *Connect to Integration* window is displayed.
- 4 Select **Blackboard** from the *Integration* drop-down menu and enter the **Server Address** in the box provided.
- 5 Enter your Blackboard **Username** and **Password**. Select the institution name from the *Institution* drop-down box if available and click **Connect**.
The *Update with Integration* window is displayed.

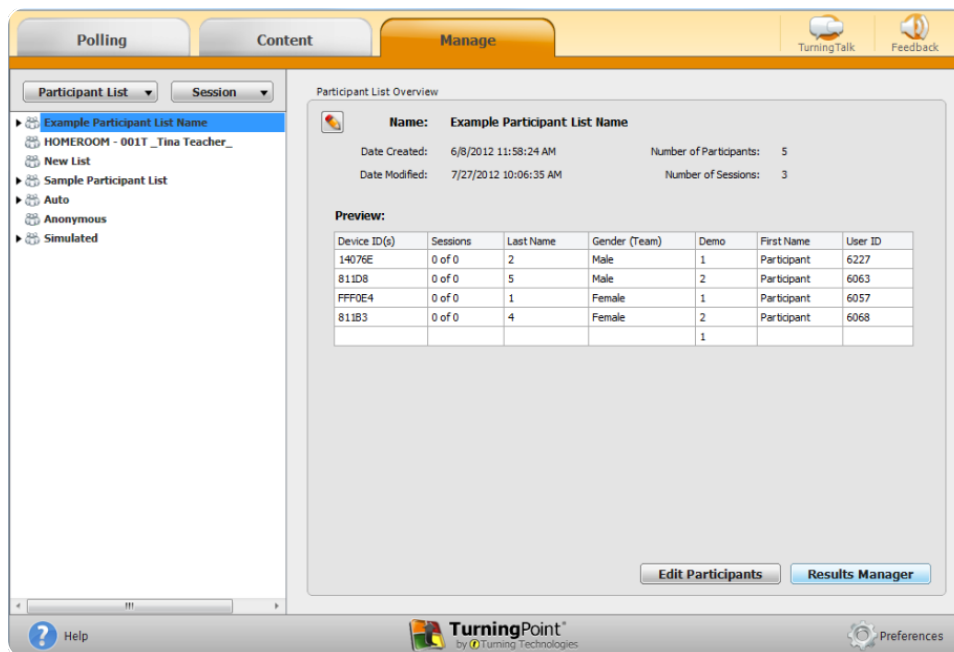


- 6 Select **Update Participant List** and click **Update List**. The participant list is updated.
- 7 Click **Close**.

Exporting a Session List to Blackboard

Sessions can be exported to Blackboard via Results Manager.

- 1 Open TurningPoint and click the **Manage** tab.
- 2 Select the participant list and click **Results Manager** in the lower right corner of the window.



- 3 Click **Integrations**. The *Connect to Integration* window is displayed.
- 4 Select **Blackboard** from the *Integration* drop-down menu and enter the **Server Address** in the box provided.
- 5 Enter your Blackboard **Username** and **Password**. Select the institution name from the *Institution* drop-down box if available and click **Connect**.

The *Update with Integration* window is displayed.

6 Select **Export Session(s)**.

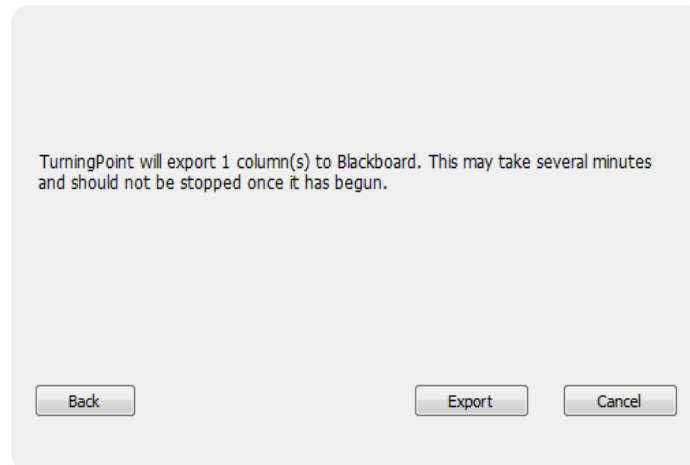
NOTE

Click **Update List** to update the participant list with the latest participant list information available from Blackboard.

7 Select the column(s) to be exported and click **Export**.

Optionally, select the **Active Participants Only** option to include only participants who responded to at least one question within the session.

The *Export to Integration* window is displayed.



8 Click **Export**.

Next Steps

Login to your Blackboard account to view the exported results data.

Contact Us

For additional help, contact Turning Technologies Technical Support.

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