Current Environment

- HPITP WEB/Network recruitment
- Y3 / Y4 HPITP budget requests
- TLTR(s)
- Intro to node personnel
TLTR(s)

• Desire to enhance educational process through the introduction of technology into the teaching / learning landscape

• Expertise skill sets required
  – Faculty
  – Instructional Designers
  – Technologists
  – Librarians
TLTR - Faculty

- HPITP wide TLTR advisory group is being formed with a faculty member from each school
  - Carol Brewer - SON
  - Ray Dannenhoffer - SOMBS
  - Bill Gavin - HRP
  - Robert Straubinger - PHARM
  - Joe Zambon - SDM
TLTR - Faculty focus

• Determining educational objectives to be added to courses

• Working with technologists after educational objectives have been specified to determine the best technology for the job

• Enhancing IT skills in
  – the specific technologies identified as meeting their pre-defined educational objectives
  – general IT skills their students will be expected to possess
Removing Faculty Focus on Technology

• Faculty should not be performing technology science experiments since this is not their area of expertise
• Faculty need to focus on meeting educational objectives
• Faculty needs a relatively painless way of marrying educational objectives a knowledge base of technological solutions
Establishing the TLTR Technology Research Group

- This group will be charged with evaluating technologies and developing the knowledge base in terms of what they can deliver and their resource requirements
- Tim Bleiler will provide direction in terms of evaluating these technologies from the standpoint of meeting educational objectives
Technology Sharing

• This group will be a forum within which the exchange of information, i.e., current projects and technologies implemented within schools will be shared.

• NEWS ITEM: CIT will be providing a DCE enabled proxy server this summer that can be used to control access to any WEB server at UB.
Technology Investigation

• This group will be a forum where the coordinated investigation of new technologies will be coordinated and initiated and carried out (in parallel with high-priority school specific initiatives)
Communicating Findings

• Responsibility for communicating school needs to this group for evaluation
• Responsible for communicating the groups work back to the schools via local TLTRs
• Maintaining a WEB presence
  – Faculty consumption section
  – Technologist consumption section
New Business

• Selecting an interim chair pending hiring of HPITP funded position

• COMMUNICATION: Maintaining and extending the HPITP WEB presence

• COORDINATION: with TLTRs / sharing current information

• EXPLORATION: of existing and emerging resources / technologies
New Business (cont’d)

• Y3 / Y4 Resource Requests
  – What can we say we need *now* to establish a technology evaluation test bed that we can request funding for via the EdTech action plan?
Tasks to complete for next time

• List technologies/resources being used in your schools and the individuals primarily involved with them (software, hardware, OS, etc.)

• Summarize directions for network delivery that you’re being asked to investigate/implement by your schools

• List of technologies you’d like to know more about
Next Meeting Time?
Sharing

• HPITP Histology Project - Tim Bleiler