

# Using Padlet

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# Learning Objectives

## Participants will be able to...

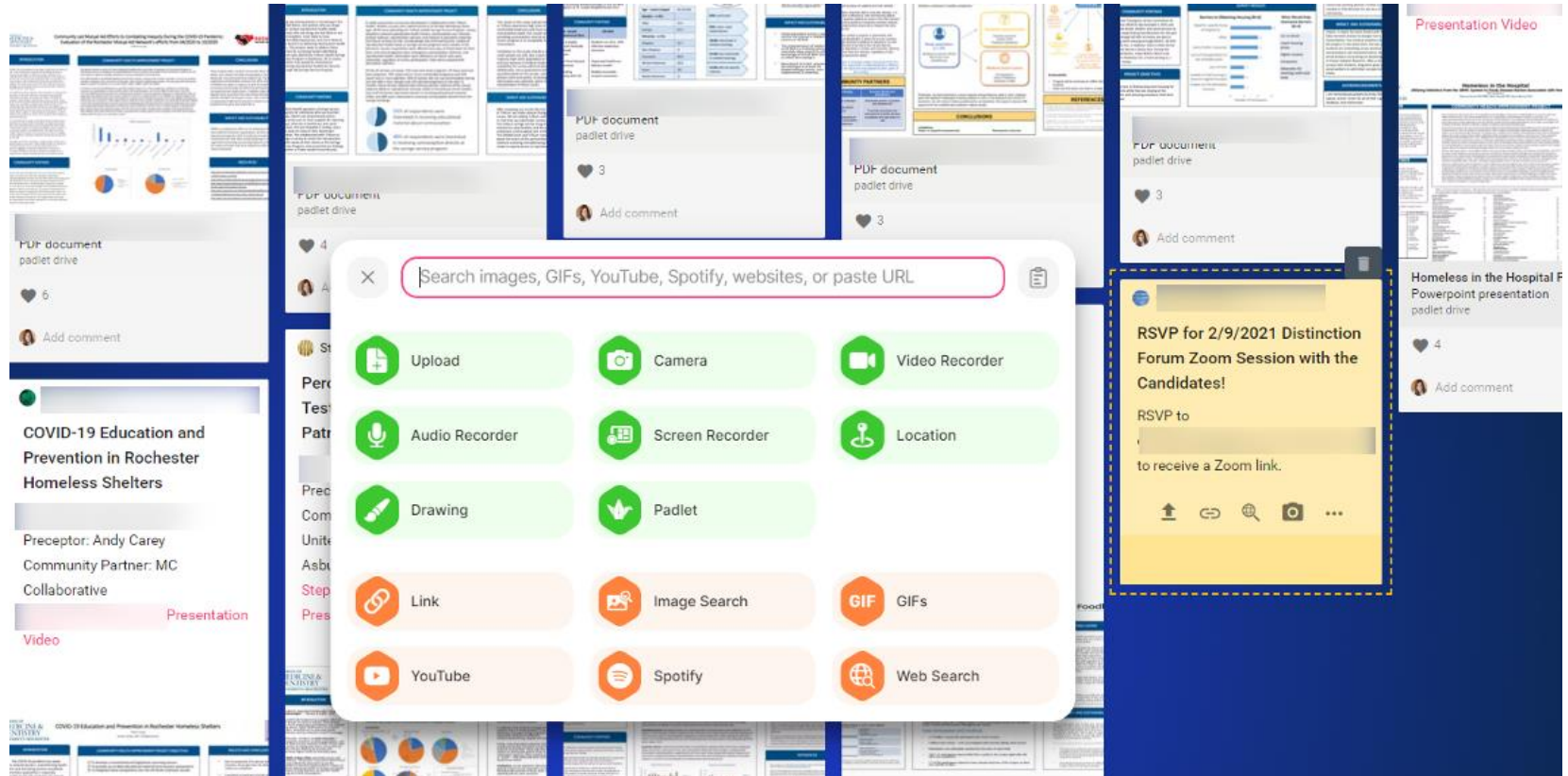
- Describe what Padlet can do
- Experience Padlet as a student
- Explain when different templates may be useful
- Describe strengths and limitations of Padlet
- Setup and use Padlet



# WHAT IS PADLET



# Padlet is...



- ✓ Bulletin Board
- ✓ Collaborative Space
- ✓ Multimedia-friendly



# Like what you see?

## University Accounts

- Faculty can request accounts (instructions at: <https://tech.rochester.edu/padlet/>)
- Unlimited Padlets
- Ability to connect through LMS
  - Students don't need to create/store login information



# Experience Padlet



- Group 1

<https://rochester.padlet.org/teresalong/group1buttons>

- Group 2

<https://rochester.padlet.org/teresalong/group2buttons>

- Group 3

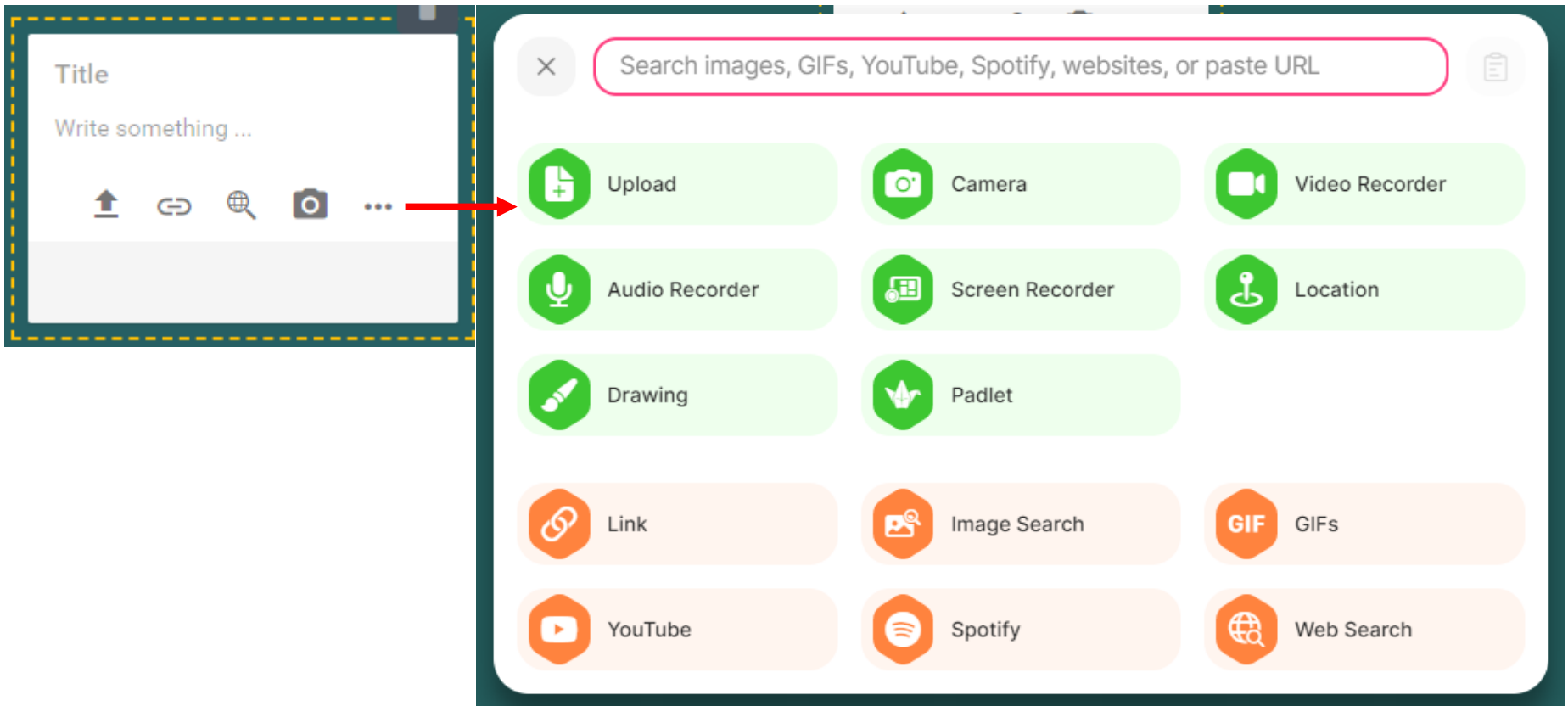
<https://rochester.padlet.org/teresalong/group3buttons>

- Group 4

<https://rochester.padlet.org/teresalong/group4buttons>



# Non-text types of Posts



# Padlet Templates

Start with a blank ...



**Wall**

PREVIEW

Pack content in a brick-like layout.

SELECT



**Canvas**

PREVIEW

Scatter, group, and connect content in any way.

SELECT



**Stream**

PREVIEW

Streamline content in an easy to read, top-to-bottom feed.

SELECT



**Grid**

PREVIEW

Arrange content in rows of boxes.

SELECT



**Shelf**

PREVIEW

Stack content in a series of columns.

SELECT



**Backchannel**

PREVIEW

Communicate in a chat like environment.

SELECT



**Map**

PREVIEW

Add content to points on a map.

SELECT



**Timeline**

PREVIEW

Place content along a horizontal line.

SELECT





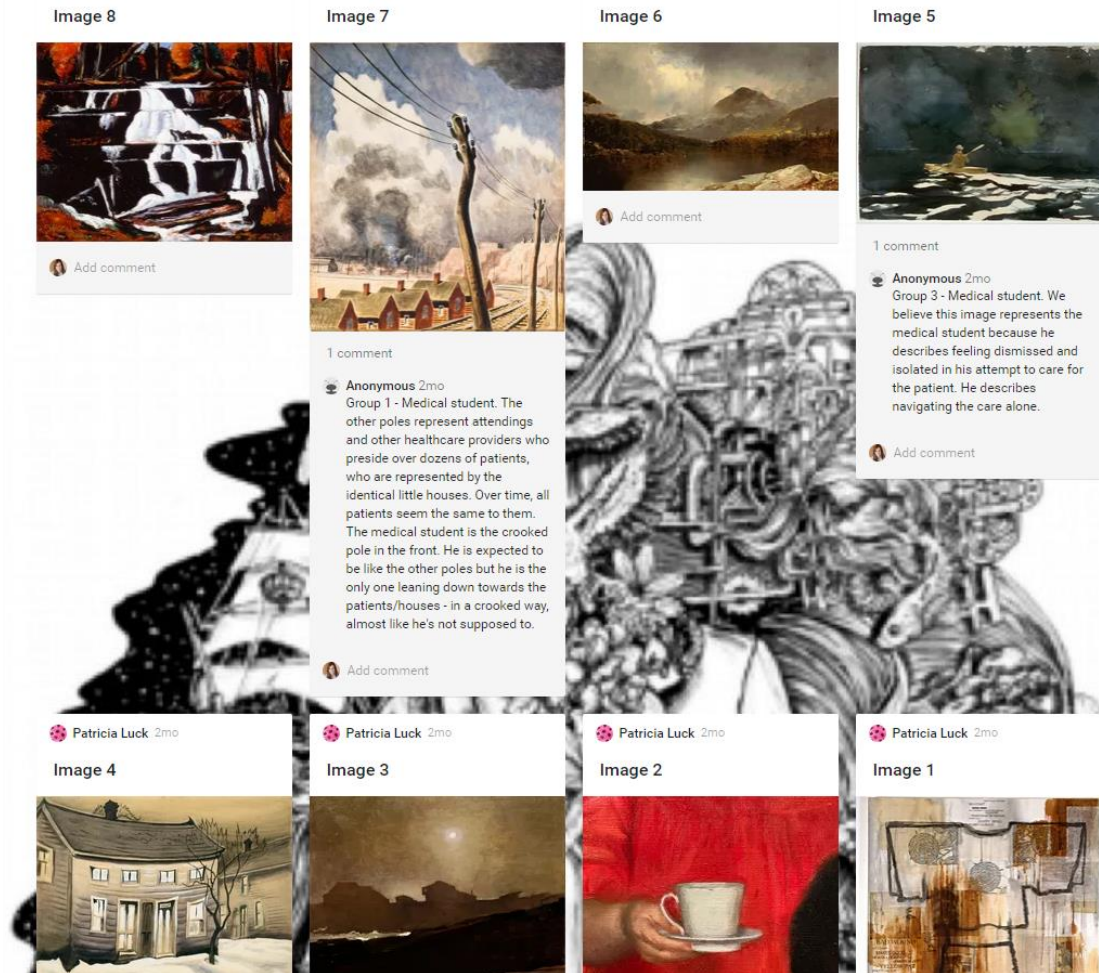
# Organizing your Content

- **Canvas** - Useful for individual ideas, making connections
- **Wall** and **Grid** – Useful for multimedia "galleries"
- **Shelf** – Useful for categories
- **Timeline** – Useful for historical information
- **Map** – Useful for location information





# Grid Example



Reflection Gallery by Patricia Luck


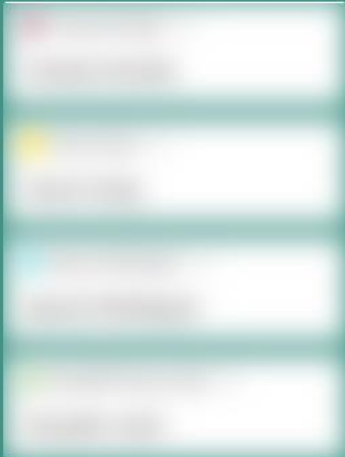
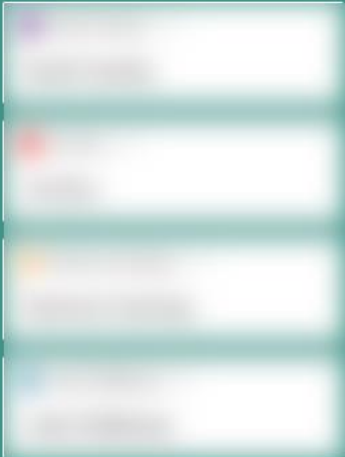
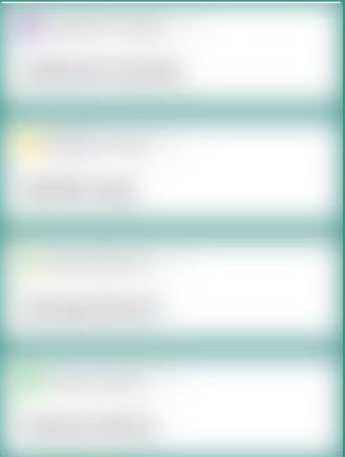
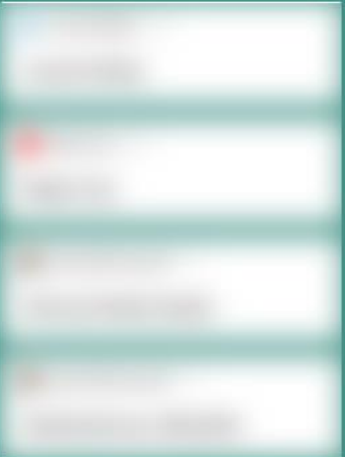







# Shelf Example

Sarah McConnell + 17 · 11d

## Presentation Sign-up Sheet

Choose the date for your presentation by creating a post with your name in the corresponding column. Each date can have a maximum of four students.

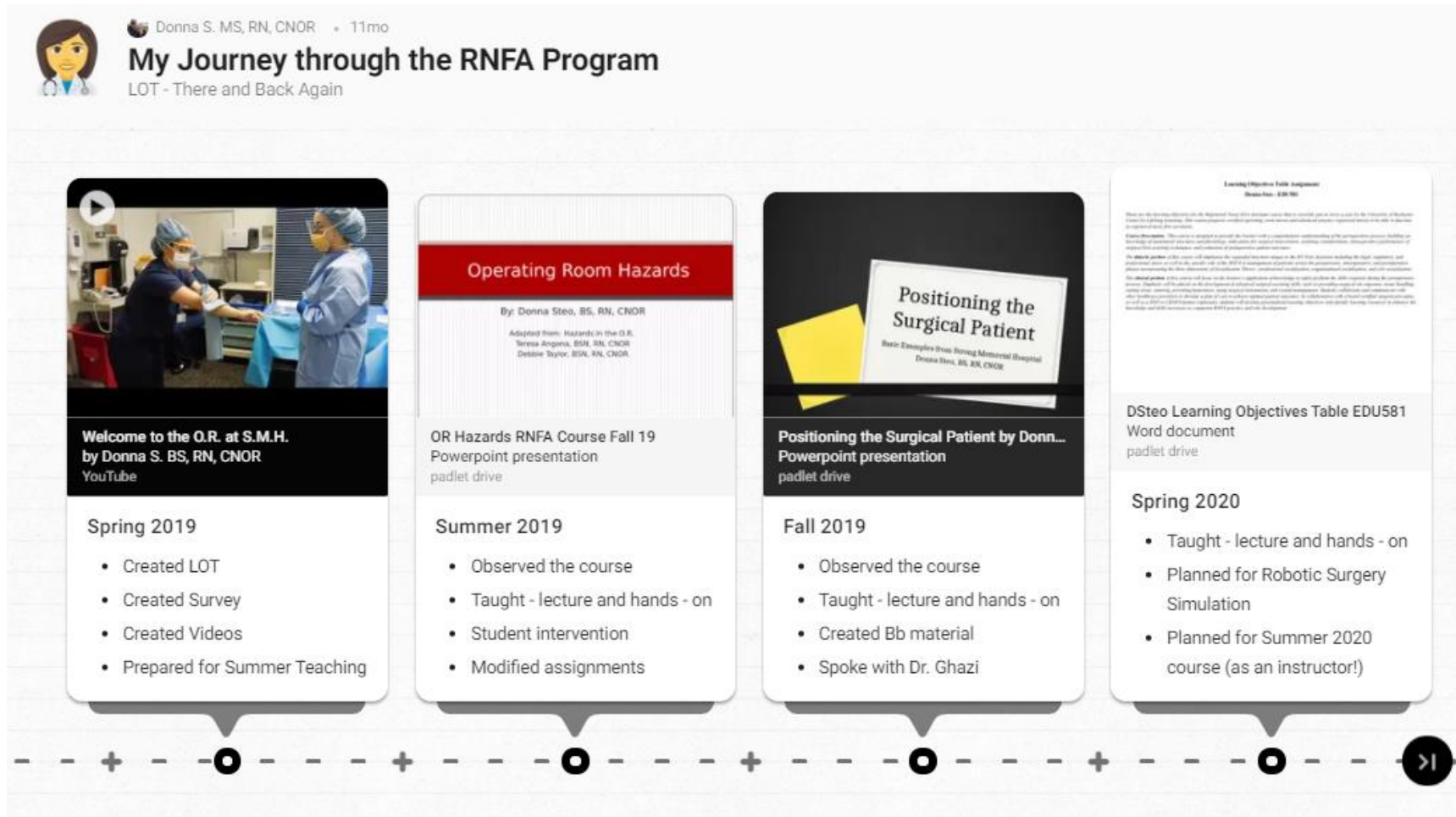
Friday, April 2	Monday, April 19	Friday, April 30	Monday, May 3	Wednesday, May 5
				
				

Neuroprosthetics presentation sign-up sheet by Sarah McConnell





# Timeline Template Example



RNFA Timeline by Donna Steo



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# Map Template Example



Tara Serwetnyk + 1 • 4mo

## Where would you go?

Select a location where you would like to go after travel restrictions are lifted?



Class Ice Breaker Activity - “Where would you go?”



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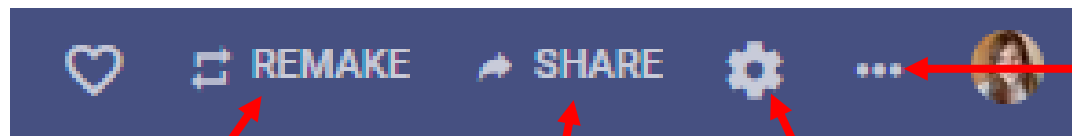
# View a Gallery of Example Uses

<https://rochester.padlet.org/teresalong/PadletExamples>



# Customization Options

- Customizable features accessible in right-hand pop-up menus



Full menu,  
including option  
to change board  
layout template

Make a copy  
of the board

- Set privacy settings – default is inaccessible to students!
- Share board to LMS
- Modify titles and board aesthetics
- Add commenting, "liking," and other features





# Strengths of Padlet

- Creative tool that's great for collaboration
- Can be used synchronously and asynchronously for active learning
- Ease of "re-making" (copying a board) and integrating with Blackboard
- "Made it really easy to share student work in a collaborative, fun, and organized online space"



# Limitations to Padlet

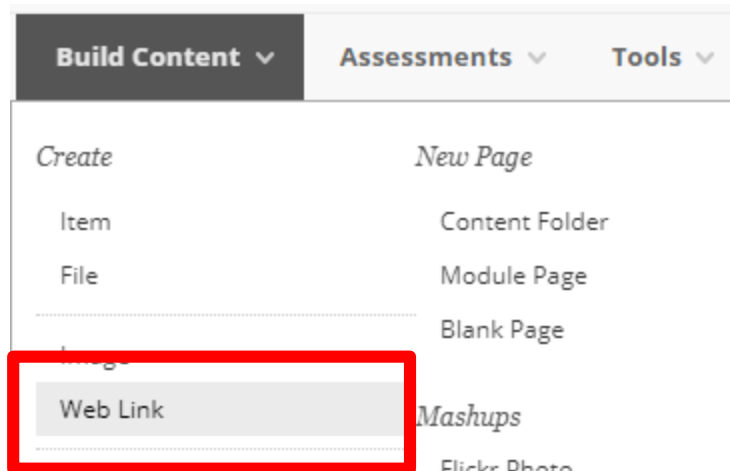
- Like most tech tools, requires:
  - Time to learn/adjust
  - Clear instructions to get students started
- Remember to check privacy settings!
- Grading is not easy
- Only allows one piece of "featured" multimedia per post
- Organizing many, many boards can be tedious



# USING PADLET WITHIN BLACKBOARD



# Build Content – Web Link



# Provide Link Name and URL

## WEB LINK INFORMATION

\* Name

Link to Padlet

\* URL

<https://padlet.com/api/hooks/lti/callback>

*For example, <http://www.myschool.edu/>*

☒ This link is to a Tool Provider. [What's a Tool Provider?](#)



# Key/Secret

Key

rochester



Secret

hrfrnvqfldm9powq



Custom Parameters

Specific to your Padlet

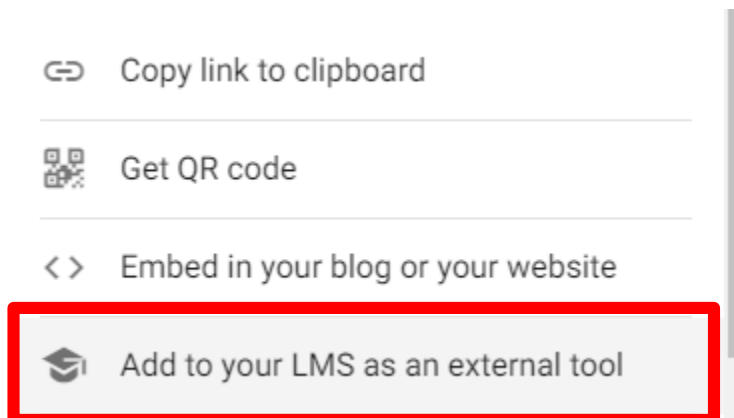
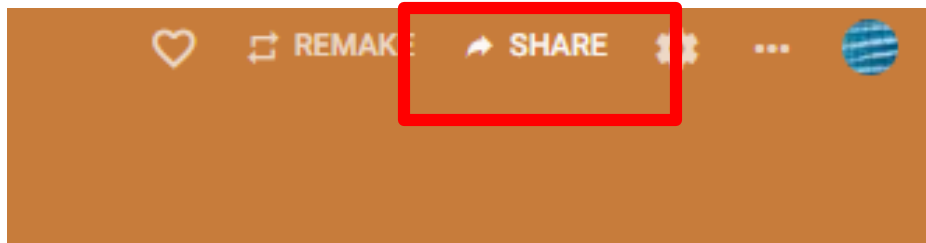
*Enter any custom parameters required by the tool provider. Parameters must each be on their own line and be entered in "name=value" format.*

Enable Evaluation

☐ Yes ☒ No



# Share - Where



# Link Information

URL to Use



Key



Secret



Custom Parameters



← Add to LMS

**This padlet is private.** Only people with access privileges will be able to view and/or post on it.

Behavior

☒ Everyone works on this padlet.

☐ Everyone works on their own copy of this padlet.

Enter the following information in your LMS

(Secure) Launch/Tool URL [Copy](#)  
`https://padlet.com/api/hooks/lti/callback`

Consumer key [Copy](#)  
`rochester`

Shared secret [Copy](#)  
`hrfrnvqfldm9powq`

Icon URL [Copy](#)  
`https://padlet.com/logo.png`

XML Config URL [Copy](#)  
`https://padlet.com/api/hooks/lti/xml_config?t`

Custom parameters [Copy](#)  
`public_key=owf950sn0mn91cfs`





# How to Use

Collaboration –  
Everyone works on this  
Padlet



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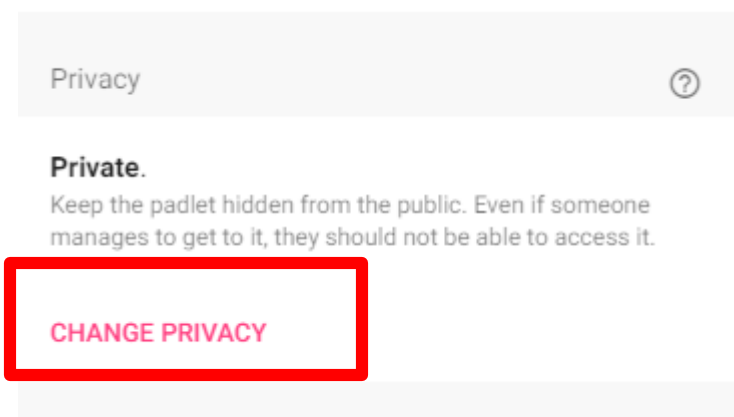
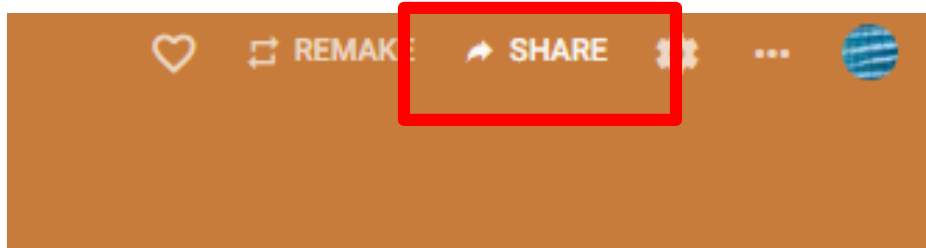
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Custom parameters [Copy](#)  
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# Share - How




# Permissions

CANCEL Change privacy SAVE




**Private**  
Keep the padlet hidden from the public. Even if someone manages to get to it, they should not be able to access it.

☐




**Password**  
Keep the padlet hidden from the public. If I choose to share it with someone, they should require a password to access it.

☐



**Secret**  
Keep the padlet hidden from the public. If I choose to share it with someone, they should be able to access it.

☒



**Org wide**  
Keep the padlet hidden from the public. Let anyone from University of Rochester access this padlet.

☐

**Visitor permissions**

Can write ▼



# How to Get Help

- [https://padlet.com/support/padlets\\_makeapadlet](https://padlet.com/support/padlets_makeapadlet)
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7SuAKOoXNsQ>
- <http://tech.Rochester.edu/padlet>



**THANK YOU  
QUESTIONS?**



# More Workshops

<http://rochester.edu/online-learning/index.html>

- **Course Organization using the Blackboard Template**
  - Dates: *Tuesday, April 13, 12 noon*
- **Learn more about Perusall**
  - Dates: *Friday, April 16, 12 noon*
- **Voicethread Assignment Feature Changes**
  - Dates: *Friday, April 30, 12 noon*



# Video Tutorials

- <http://rochester.edu/online-learning/disruption/index.html>

