



Kaltura Classroom vs Kaltura Lecture Capture

Kaltura Classroom is a livestream broadcasting program that allows you to broadcast a class live. However, it does not offer two-way communication.

Kaltura Lecture Capture is a program that allows you to record classroom lectures capturing both a camera and on-screen activity.

Please Note: At this time, we recommend the use of Blackboard Collaborate Ultra or Microsoft Teams to livestream instead of Kaltura Classroom.

FEATURE	KALTURA CLASSROOM	KALTURA LECTURE CAPTURE
Live stream broadcasting:	Needs to be scheduled by the CTI.	Not available
Recording lectures:	<p>Possible but not preferred. To record only and not broadcast, click the big red button, nothing to schedule. We recommend the use of Lecture Capture instead.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No option to select area to record 	<p>Yes, recommended tool for lecture recordings.</p> <p>Options:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tools to help make your recordings more engaging, drawing tools, pointers, annotate text and whiteboard. • Can record screen, camera, or both. • Ability to record entire screen or select a specific area.
Location of recordings:	<p>All recordings go to My Media accessed through:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Blackboard Learn Course Gallery or 2. mediaspace.ccsu.edu 	<p>All recordings go to My Media accessed through:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Blackboard Learn Course Gallery or 2. mediaspace.ccsu.edu



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Important Notes:

Kaltura Classroom has been known to experience several outages and problems with failed live streams and stuck recordings.

Kaltura Lecture Capture must be downloaded upon first use. [Click here for instructions on how to download lecture capture](#)