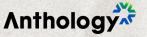


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# WEEKLY UPDATES

### **BLACKBOARD COMMUNITY UPDATE - LAST WEEK'S** HIGHLIGHTS

Dear Blackboard Stakeholders,

Here's a summary of key updates and activities from last week across the Blackboard Community.

#### **Operational Updates**

- 11 support tickets were logged and addressed.
- 42 courses were created across institutions.
- 195 unique user logins were recorded on the platform.
- Continuous reminders will be shared on completing the Orientation Course and participating in training sessions for new users to support effective onboarding.

#### **Important Call to Action**

To strengthen institutional readiness and performance outcomes, DICTs are encouraged to continue prioritizing:

- User Data Preparation: Reviewing and validating staff and student records, including correcting duplicates or missing information.
- Course Data Review: Confirming course codes, titles, instructor assignments, and batch UIDs.
- Enrollment Data Validation: Ensuring accurate student-course associations and properly formatted enrollment files.
- · Orientation Course Completion: DICTs and students are strongly encouraged to attempt and complete their respective orientation courses to support effective onboarding and platform usage.

#### Did You Know?

Blackboard's Analytics Dashboard enables real-time monitoring of student progress, helping institutions identify learners who may require early academic support.

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#### **Weekly Recognition**

Institution of the Week: Delta State University, Abraka

• Recognized for outstanding participation and course enrollment.

DICT/Representative of the Week:

· Ms. Agbaga Deborah Ovwigho

Recognized for her support of onboarding efforts and commitment to driving Blackboard usage.

#### **Urgent!!!**

Institutions that have recently joined the Blackboard platform are encouraged to reach out to the support team to:

- · Receive their institutional credentials
- · Access relevant platform information and documentation
- · Begin onboarding and orientation without delay

Early engagement ensures a smoother setup process and higher usage across staff and students.

#### Your Feedback Matters

We appreciate feedback from stakeholders on recent physical training exercises, as it helps us refine future training and engagement initiatives.

We'll continue to share timely updates, recognitions, and best practices with the Blackboard Community.

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