

Using Google Hangouts to Provide Synchronous Course Interaction

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Today's Presentation



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About Me

- Taught undergraduate and graduate courses face-to-face, hybrid, and online since 2005
 - Educational Technology
 - Teacher Preparation
 - School Administration
 - Programming
 - Information Systems
- QM Master Course Reviewer
- Virtual High School Site Coordinator



Standard 5.2

- Learning activities provide opportunities for interaction that support active learning
 - Learner-instructor
 - Learner-content
 - Learner-learner
- How do I interact real-time with students?
- *"My initial fear was that I would not be able to have the interaction with my professor and classmates that I would have had in a traditional course."*

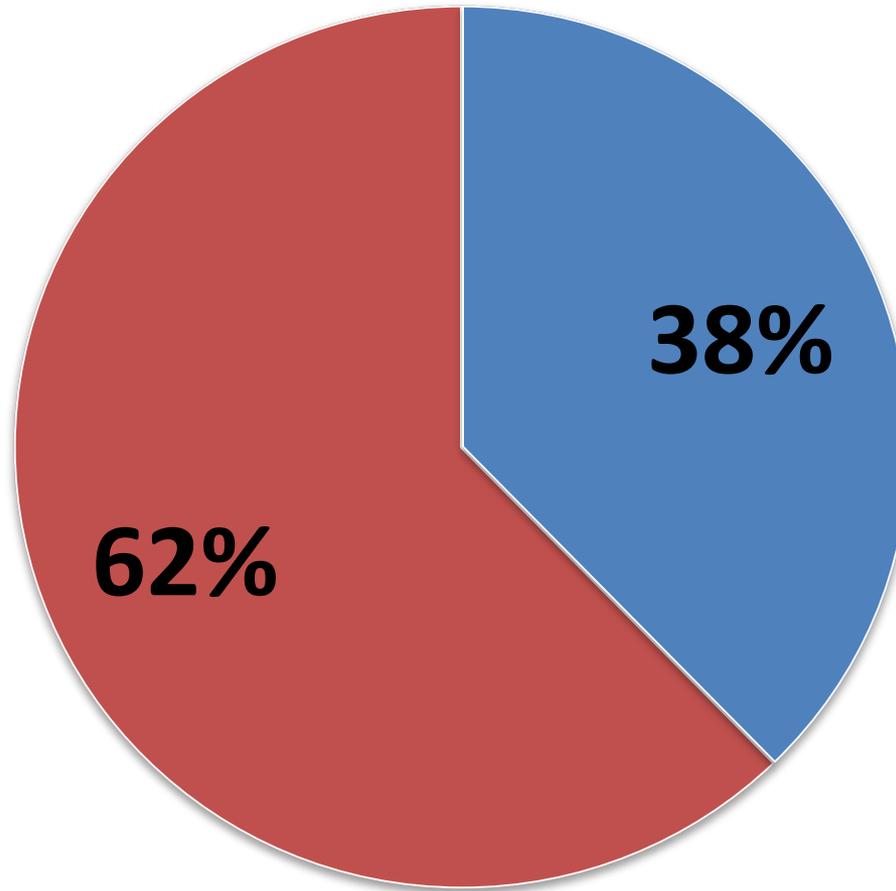
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First SPU Class?

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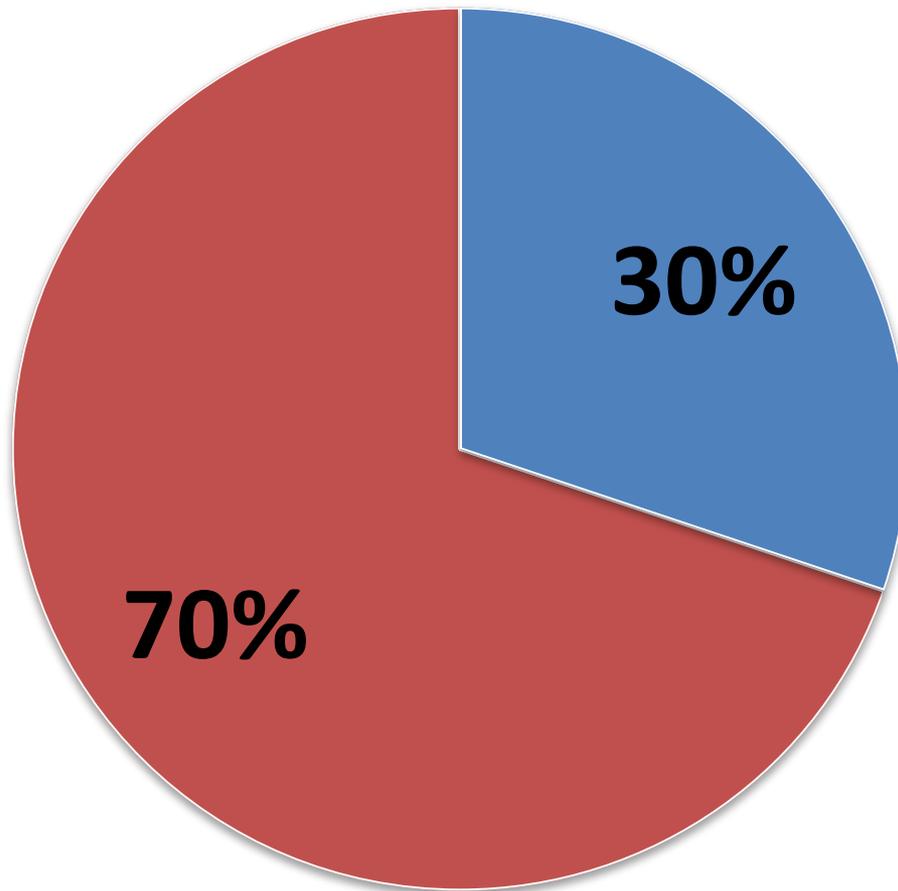


- Yes - I have never taken a graduate class at SPU before.
- No - I have previously taken another class.

First Online Class?

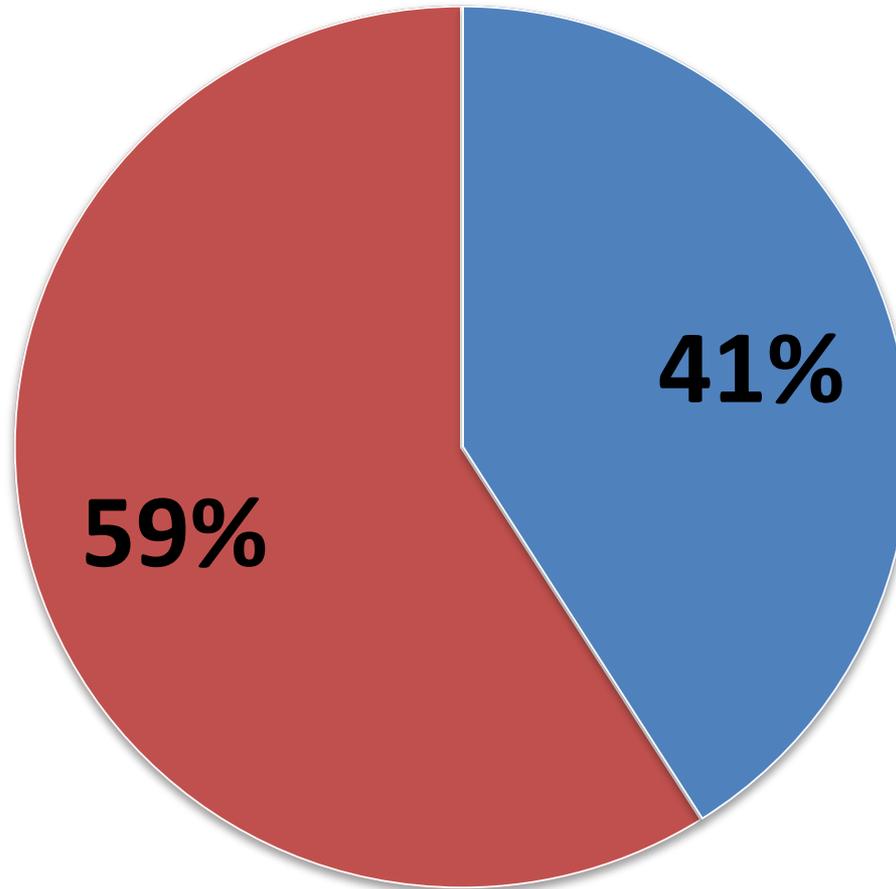


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- Yes - I have never taken an online class before.
- No - I have taken online classes in the past.

Career Path?



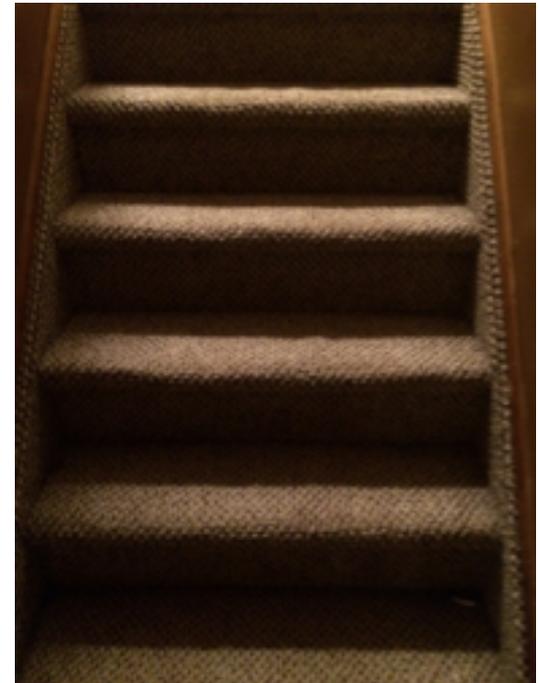
- Teacher returning to school for an advanced degree.
- I am a career changer to education or counseling.

Considerations

- *Daddy, do you have to work tonight?*



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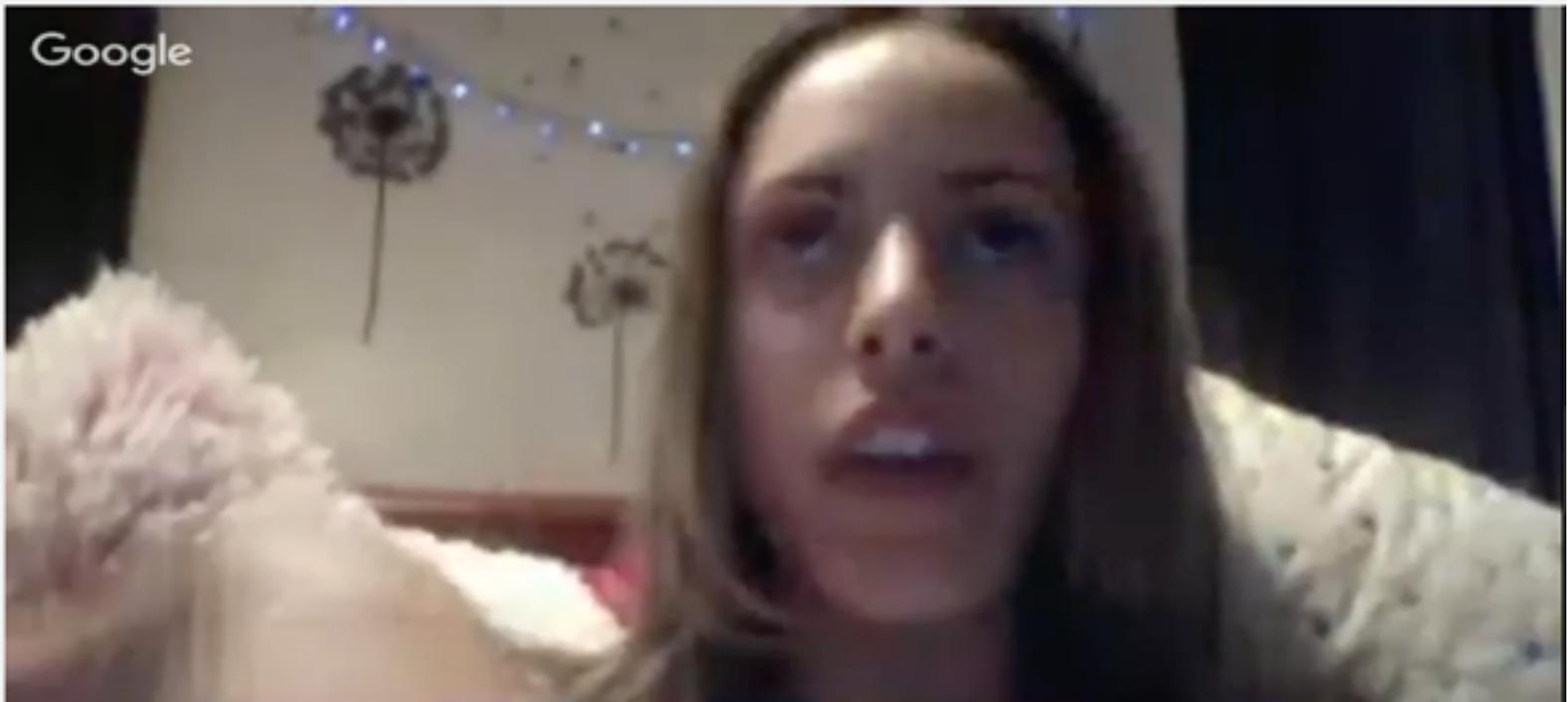
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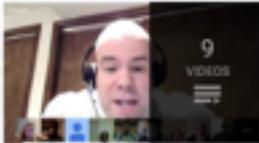
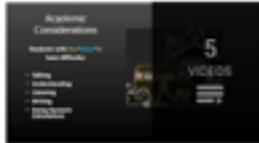
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Meet and Greet

- First week of class
- Opportunity to meet instructor and classmates
- Ask questions about course materials
- Check audio/video for actual virtual class

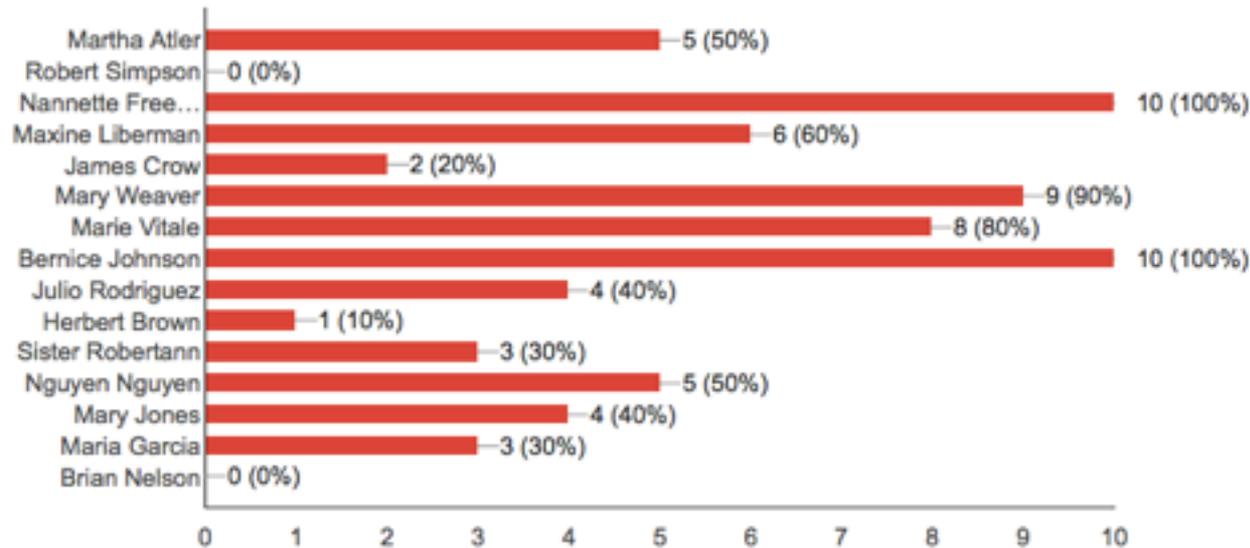




Example Class

- GE511 - Who Gets Hired
 - It's August 26
 - Choose 7/15 teacher candidates for open positions
 - Vote using Google Form prior to class
 - Review each candidate during virtual class

Select your 7 candidates from the list below. (10 responses)



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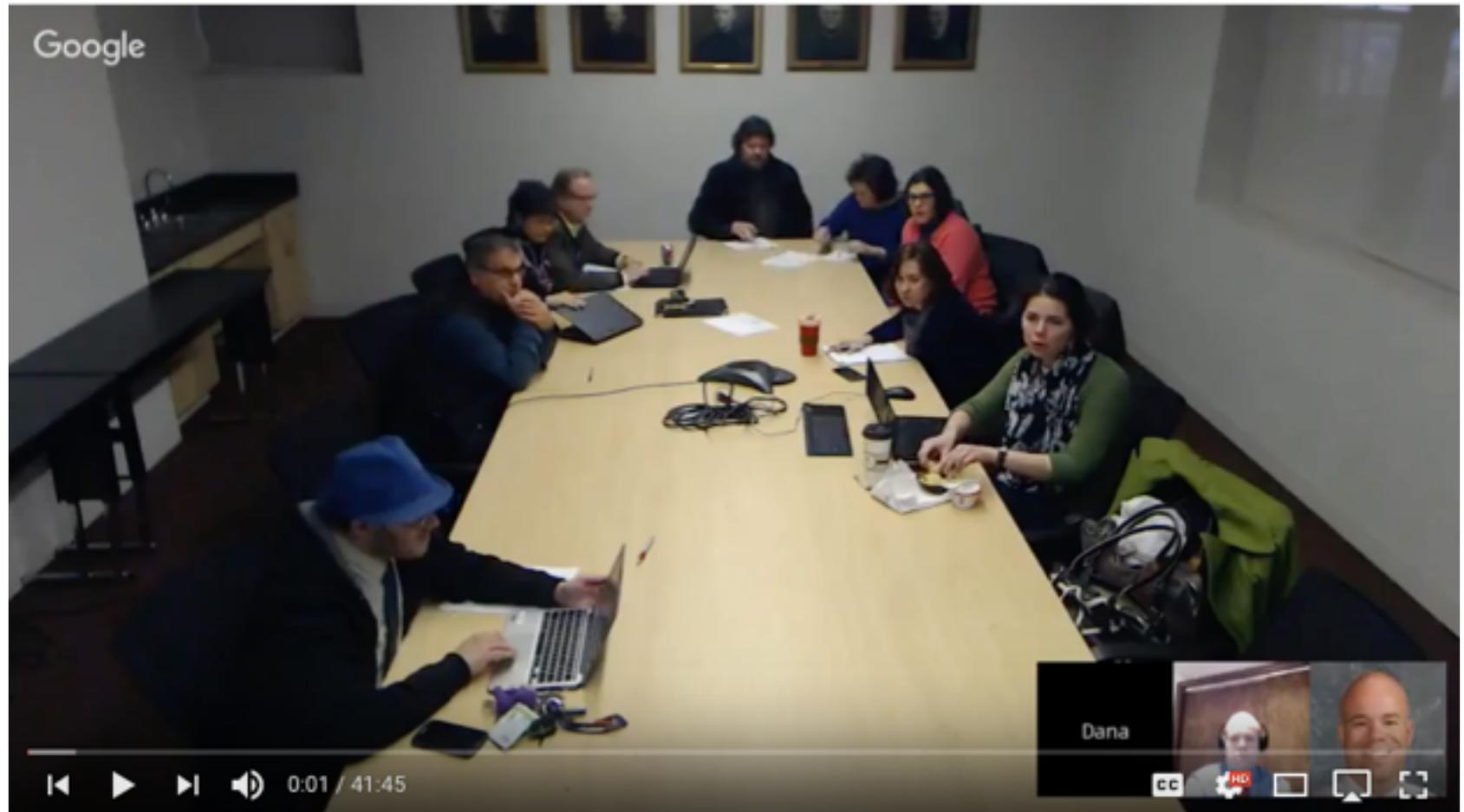
+ Statistics

- 1 of every 360 children 6 through 17 years of age and living in the United States have been diagnosed with TS based on parent report;
- Among children with TS, 37% have been reported as having moderate or severe forms of the condition.
- TS affects people of all racial and ethnic groups.
- Boys are affected three to five times more often than girls.

Virtual Guest Speakers



Professional Development

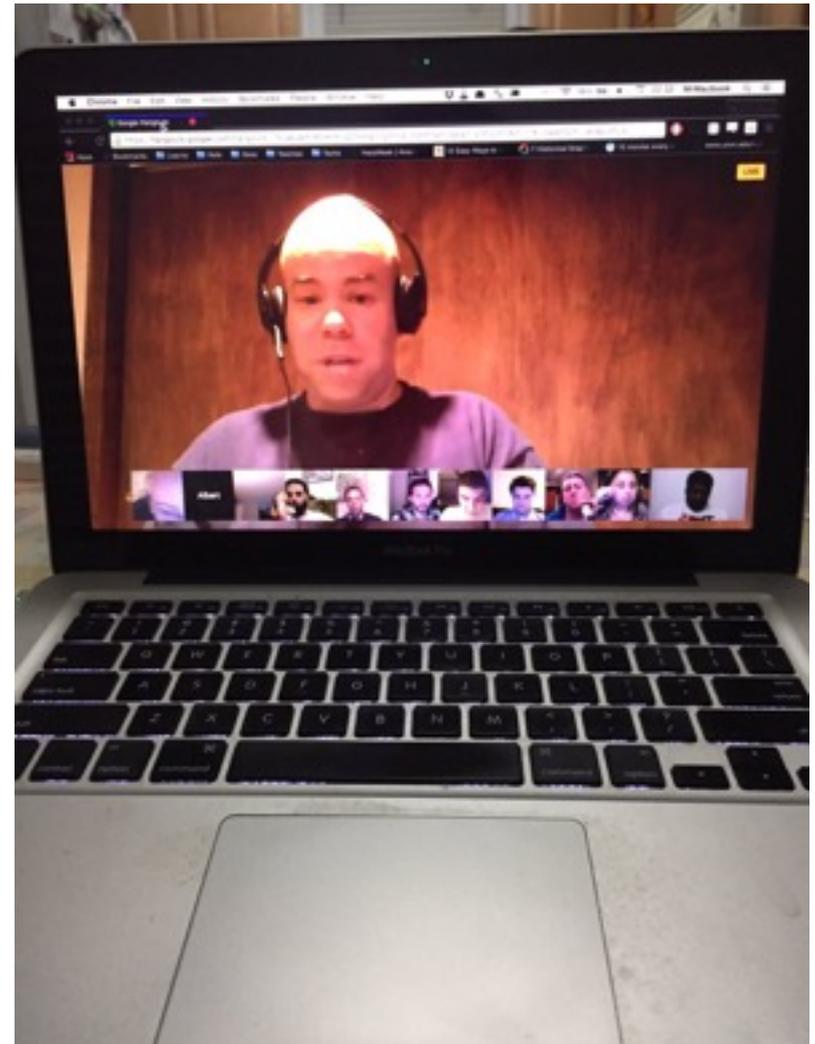


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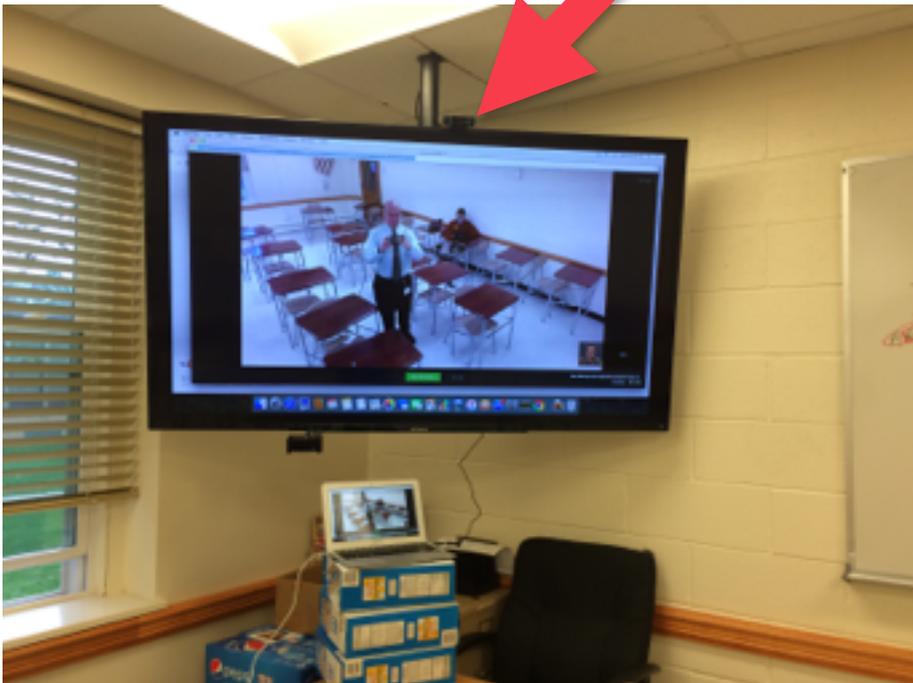
GHO Technical Requirements

- Headphones: a must for virtual class to eliminate echoes and background noise
- Cheap is fine
- I'm using Logitech USB Headset H540 (Best Buy \$34.99)



GHO Technical Requirements

- Webcam (for audience)
- Logitech C922 (\$99)



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