Beam Me In: Telepresence and Creating an Interactive, Impactful Learning Experience
Moraine Park has three campuses with more than 3,600 students.

The average age of the student body is 37.

3 rooms on campus have telepresence solutions and are booked 65 percent of the time.
Ed Clark  
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MSU has more than 15,000 students

The university has satellite campuses more than 100 miles apart

The university is using telepresence to connect with two-year colleges for baccalaureate completion to keep students in Minnesota.
CDW-G’s recent report, based on a survey of high school and higher education students, faculty and IT professionals, looks at how technology can support the move to new learning models and how schools can make a successful transition.

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ENGAGING WITH TELEPRESENCE*

39% of higher education students and 32% of higher education faculty have used telepresence in their classrooms.

Of those who report using telepresence, 43% of higher education students and 27% of higher education faculty say they use it at least once a week.

37% of higher education students want faculty to incorporate more telepresence into their classes as a learning tool.**

*Includes telepresence, videoconferencing and/or web conferencing

**Of those who want to incorporate more technology, n=139
How would you rank your experience in a telepresence room when compared to an online classroom?

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Moraine Park Technical College
MORE POWER (AND SUPPORT), SCOTTY

Today’s telepresence solutions reduce user error, class downtime and IT support requirements. Yet demonstrating ROI can be challenging.
TELEPRESENCE, MAKE IT SO

• It is important to have a strong infrastructure

• Keep in mind annual maintenance costs

• Devise a strong project management plan covering all aspects of implementation – not just IT

• Be prepared to engage faculty throughout the transition
This is not the final frontier

- Keep in mind the need to convince your educational boards
- It is important to track telepresence room usage
- Promoting telepresence capabilities to the community at large can increase room utilization and encourage enrollment
THANK YOU.

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