Panel discussion on e-portfolio

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Portfolios are currently used in a number of disciplines and courses at ECU using different technologies and without any centralised support. The ePortfolio working party has just completed its consultations and report for the ECU Curriculum Teaching and Learning Committee. The report recommends a single e-portfolio platform, fully supported by ITSC and available for use by all courses. If the recommendations of the report are accepted, it will become much easier to integrate portfolios into course assessment. The report also recommends that each course team makes decisions about whether and how to use portfolio assessment. The purposes of this panel discussion are to:

- Present and discuss the report recommendation
- Outline the process of implementation
- Indicate through very short presentations, some of the different ways in which portfolios are currently used at ECU
- Seek feedback from other potential users
- Summarise some of the different possible usages, and implications for decisions about guidelines and assessment

The Panel will include representatives of the working party and advisory group who are already using portfolios in different ways. The session will be interactive and there will be time for discussion and questions.