Mahara for Aesthetic & **Functional Practice** Document Display

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Mahara is....



e-Portfolio

Mahara is an open source eportfolio system first designed in 2006 in New Zealand – hence its name, which comes from the Maori verb "mah-hah-rah" meaning "to think, thinking, or give thought".

Mahara is packaged as a free stand-alone personal learning system that can be installed and managed from any web site that has the latest editions of PHP and MySQL databases.

Mahara Structure



Mahara supports:





Reflective Learning

Personalized Learning

Lifelong Learning

Mahara used in BSN-PB Program

The ePortfolio is used in almost every course of the program

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KPU ePORTFOLIOS

N95 RESPIRATOR FIT TEST RECORD KPU Name: Sally Student Date of Fit Test: Next Fit Test Due: One Year from Fit Test date N95 Make/Model: 3M186C Fit Tester: Suzie Q After donning your respirator, always perform a Seal Check. Wash your hands before and after removing your respirator.

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SPECO Certificate

https://eportfolios.kpu.ca/view/view.php?id=30807

Record of Completion

Student Practice Education Core Orientation: VCH, PHC, FHA, PHSA, VIHA, IH (SPECO)

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Hand Washing Certificate





How to Create the Certificate Display Page

The content is set up like a Gallery with two columns using image or pdf files

INTRODUCTION:

This is a sample page for displaying critical documents required in preparation for Practice course clinical experiences. Students can make this page visible to faculty or relevant practice representatives, and can edit documents as needed (e.g. as renewed).

PREPARING GRAPHICS

To facilitate a visual display, students should save each certificate as an image file (jpg or png) or as a pdf. This can be done by a) taking a careful scan b) taking a picture with a smartphone or tablet (in bright light and using clear focus) or c) saving as a pdf then taking a snapshot of the certificate, and pasting it into a graphics program such as Paint then saving as an image. If using a pdf "as is" go to Insert Media then select pdf. Your pdf should display as an image automatically.

PAGE DISPLAY:

Go to Edit Layout tab and choose the two column setting to ensure images are large enough for people to see. Make each image a minimum of 500 pixels wide so they display nicely.. Also, it is wise to pair documents that are the same size in each row to keep the columns tidy...



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