

Reflection on LectureMAKER



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LectureMAKER[®] is a tool used for creating lecture contents. Its function is similar to the Powerpoint[®] application. In my opinion, Powerpoint[®] is easier than LecturMAKER[®] in writing a text and applying the bullets and numbering. I can make an outline bullet by just dragging the bullet to the left or right. This cannot be done by LecturMAKER[®], but we can click to the button for outline bullet and this may alter the format in the previous sentence. In inserting a picture, I rather copy and paste the selected picture to a lecture slide than click on insert picture button on the slide and select it. This is the fastest step for me to use in LectureMAKER[®] and Powerpoint[®] so far. One of the advantages in LectureMAKER[®] is that we can link a website, PDF file or powerpoint file to a slide directly and show to the students without minimizing the LectureMAKER[®]. Since the LectureMAKER[®] is an all-in-one lecturing tool, the created file normally is larger than Powerpoint[®] file. This may create a loading problem for computer. LectureMAKER[®] and Powerpoint[®] have their own advantages and disadvantages. I prefer to use the Powerpoint[®] in my lecture because the LectureMAKER[®] is too expensive. This is a very important point for me and most of the consumers as well.

