

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

**Lincoln University
Lincoln University, PA**

**RESOLUTION 648
June 15, 2020**

LEARNING MANAGEMENT SYSTEM FOR ONLINE EDUCATION

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WHEREAS, recent events surrounding COVID-19 highlighted the need for a robust online learning platform; and

WHEREAS, a Sub-Committee of the Lincoln University Educational Policy and Academic Affairs Committee (EPAAC) of the Board of Trustees was created to work with University personnel to explore Learning Management System (LMS) options; and

WHEREAS, faculty, students, staff and members of the Board of Trustees participated in demonstrations of various LMS options; and

WHEREAS, participant surveys identified “*Canvas*” as the LMS most suited for the needs of the University; and

WHEREAS, the EPAAC of the Board unanimously voted to advance the recommendation from the EPAAC Sub Committee on Distance Learning to contract with *Canvas* to serve as the University’s Learning Management System (LMS); now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED; that the Lincoln University Board of Trustees hereby approves the recommendation of the EPAAC Sub Committee on Distance Learning for Lincoln University to enter a contract with *Canvas* to serve as the University’s Learning Management System (LMS).