

TECHNOLOGY SPOTLIGHT

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Dr. Blackwell is a History professor and Director of the University Honors Program. She has adopted Echo360 into her curriculum as a vital instructional tool. Dr. Blackwell is a proponent and a perfect example of how the integration of technology can boost student learning

outcomes in the classroom.

She admits that at first she was a little hesitant to use Echo360 but now feels that it has truly revolutionized and modernized her students' learning experience.

Dr. Blackwell stated, "The students who make the most use of these [Echo360 recordings] are the students who are using it for exactly the purpose that we want them to, which

is the students who really need to review the material and who want to hear it again."

Dr. Blackwell goes on to say that Echo360 is helpful for students who are absent, specifically student athletes and students participating in other extra-curricular events.

Dr. Blackwell began using Echo360 in the Fall 2014 semester. To date, she has 140 recordings.

CONGRATULATIONS!