

LTI ADVANTAGE TOOLKIT

FOR HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS

ABOUT THIS TOOLKIT

The documents contained herein provide helpful information and sample RFP language for IT organizations and procurement offices to reference when working with learning technology partners to adopt LTI Advantage and the latest LTI core standard (version 1.3). This toolkit is not a marketing tool. It is intended to help guide conversations and requirements when specifying current versions of LTI and LTI Advantage as part of the procurement process.

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Why Platforms and Tools Should Adopt LTI 1.3

- An overview and value statement of LTI 1.3 and the services that make up LTI Advantage

HED Statement of Intent

- Sample language that Higher Education institutions can use to allow suppliers to communicate their intention to adopt LTI Advantage and achieve IMS certification at the next opportunity in their development/release cycle.

Open Letter from Institutional Leaders

- An open letter, signed and endorsed by more than 20 leading Higher Education institutions, on the importance of standards, the adoption of LTI Advantage by suppliers, and committing to set IMS certification as a procurement requirement.

Sample LTI Advantage Letter for EdTech Suppliers

- A sample letter of language Higher Education institutions can use in communicating their commitment to requiring IMS certification to technology suppliers.

Sample Learning Tools Interoperability (LTI) Addendum

- Sample language that Higher Education institutions can use in RFPs or other procurement agreements stating IMS certification as a requirement for consideration of technology solutions.

Sample Functional Requirements

- An example of the detailed functional requirements Higher Education institutions when evaluating learning management systems and similar platforms, including consideration of standards certification and compliance.

EDUCAUSE Learning Initiative: 7 Things You Should Know About LTI Advantage

- An ELI briefing document in the “7 Things You Should Know About...” series

Five Ways that LTI Advantage Enables Innovation

- A one-page benefit statement to help institutions understand and articulate the value of LTI Advantage to the user experience.

The toolkit can be downloaded at imglobal.org/lti/toolkit. If you have any questions or comments please contact Cary Brown, IMS Global HED Program Director, at cbrown@imglobal.org.