



Respondus LockDown Browser

Download link for UTM students

<http://www.respondus.com/lockdown/information.pl?ID=989636090>

Requirements for use

- IE 5.5 or higher (PC) or OSX 10.3.9 (Mac – Intel or PowerPC)
- Does not modify either browser in any way
- Installs a separate program that displays when started

Instructions for enabling Respondus assessments

- Click the 'Respondus LockDown Browser' link under Course Tools of the course Control Panel
- Click the 'Modify Settings' button beside the assessment you would like to enable for use by Respondus (see graphic below)

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Only Blackboard tests that have been deployed are displayed below.

	LockDown Browser Settings
Craig's Demo Test	Not Enabled <input type="button" value="Modify Settings"/>
Exam 1 - Requires Respondus LockDown Browser	Enabled <input type="button" value="Modify Settings"/>
Final Exam - Requires Respondus LockDown Browser	Enabled <input type="button" value="Modify Settings"/>
Josh Test	Not Enabled <input type="button" value="Modify Settings"/>
Quiz 2	Not Enabled <input type="button" value="Modify Settings"/>
Test 14 - Example	Not Enabled <input type="button" value="Modify Settings"/>
Test 4	Not Enabled <input type="button" value="Modify Settings"/>

- Select 'Require Respondus Lockdown Browser for this test', add optional password if desired, and click submit.
- Blackboard denotes all Respondus enabled assessments with "requires Respondus Lockdown Browser"

Instructions for Students

- Launch the Respondus Lockdown Browser icon from computer
- Respondus will be the sole application in view, disabling all other functionality of the computer (see listing in next section).
- Log in to Blackboard as usual
- Navigate to test and take/submit
- Press the 'Stop' button at the top of the Respondus browser to exit the program, and regain all computer functionality.

A Partial List of Lockdown Features

Respondus LockDown Browser creates a "locked" testing environment for Blackboard assessments and includes the following features:

- Assessments are displayed full-screen and cannot be minimized
- Assessments cannot be exited until submitted by users for grading
- Task switching or access to other applications is prevented
- Printing functions are disabled



- Print Screen and capturing functions are disabled
- Copying and pasting anything to and from an assessment is prohibited
- Right-click menu options are disabled (Windows); key + click options are disabled (Macintosh)
- Browser menu and toolbar options are disabled except Back, Forward, Refresh and Stop
- Function keys (F1-F12) are disabled
- Source code for the HTML page cannot be viewed
- URLs cannot be typed by the user
- Hundreds of screen capture, messaging, screen-sharing and network monitoring applications are blocked from running
- The browser automatically starts at the institution's login page for Blackboard
- Links in questions that point to other servers don't compromise the "locked" testing environment
- Pages from the assessment aren't cached or stored in the browser's history listing
- And many other features...

Additional Resources

- <http://www.respondus.com/downloads/RLDB%20Quick%20Start%20Guide-Bb-Enterprise-Instructor.pdf>
- A series of Flash movies are available at <http://www.respondus.com/demos>). These are great resources for introducing and training instructors on the Respondus LockDown Browser software.
- Quick Start Guides for both Faculty and Students are available for Respondus LockDown Browser. These can be downloaded from <http://www.respondus.com/quickstart>. Each Guide is 1-4 pages in length and contains the essential