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Introducing Lectora® 2006



The Best Just Got Better!

Lectora by Trivantis has always provided you with all of the power and ease of use needed to achieve your elearning goals. Now, Lectora 2006 takes elearning development to the next level by providing you with more than 50 new features created with your suggestions in mind. As the elearning world changes, Lectora evolves with it enabling you to stay ahead of the rest. Today, elearning demands call for faster and more convenient development. To ensure you achieve success in the progressing elearning realm, Lectora 2006 makes the creation of elearning content easier, faster, and more efficient than ever before!

New features developed with your needs in mind.

- **JavaScript Title Manager** – Overcomes LMS or firewall issues traditionally associated with plug-ins by enabling you to publish to AJAX, the latest technology that does not require a Java applet.
- **Object and Page Transitions** – Quickly create more engaging content by utilizing an array of object and page transitions, such as wipes, splits, boxes, checkers, strips, bars, and more.
- **Preview and Test in Browsers** - Ensures compatibility of content by enabling you to preview each page within a title and conveniently test each page on multiple browsers.
- **Drag-and-Drop Additional Files** - Easily insert additional files, such as PDFs and Microsoft PowerPoint files, by dropping them straight into Lectora, saving ample time and effort.
- **Translation Tool** – Enables you to create multi-language courses quickly and easily by importing and exporting text with the single click of a button.
- **Sticky Notes** - Enhance a collaborative authoring environment by adding customizable “sticky notes,” which tracks the user name of the author who added the note and the time it was created.

In addition to these beneficial features, Lectora 2006 provides even more features designed for extended ease of use, enhanced compatibility, and faster content development. Trivantis not only created brand new features, but also enhanced existing features to make Lectora more flexible, more powerful, and more sophisticated.

Take a look at Lectora 2006 and discover why Lectora remains the tool of choice for more than 1,000 corporations, academic institutions, and government agencies worldwide.

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Feature	Description	Ease of Use Speed	Accuracy	Creativity	Compatibility	Visual Appeal	Interactivity	Enhanced
New for 2006								
AutoSave	Save your work automatically every 5 minutes, or the time interval you choose. Never worry about losing your work again with the new Auto Recovery option.		✓	✓				
JavaScript Title Manager	Eliminate the need for a Java applet with the option to publish to AJAX, which overcomes any LMS or firewall issues often associated with plug-ins.		✓				✓	
Preview and Test in Browsers	Preview each page within a title and conveniently test each page on multiple browsers to ensure accuracy and compatibility of content.	✓	✓	✓		✓		
Translation Tool	Create multi-language courses quickly and easily by importing and exporting text with the single click of a button.	✓	✓	✓		✓		
Drag and Drop Additional Files	Insert additional files, such as pdfs and Microsoft PowerPoint files, with the ability to easily drop them straight into Lectora, saving ample time and effort.	✓	✓					
Sticky Notes	Enhance a collaborative authoring environment by adding customizable "sticky notes," which tracks the user name of who added the note and the time it was created.	✓	✓	✓				
Specify Offsets for Objects	Inherit objects from all sides of the page, enabling you to quickly create headers, footers, and right or left side page navigation.	✓	✓					
Grids & Snap to Grids	Organize content on a page and align objects.		✓					
Rules and Guides	Space and align objects on a page to the pixel, saving time and ensuring accuracy.	✓	✓	✓				
Object Transitions	Make objects more animated with transitions such as wipes, splits, checkers, strips, bars, fly actions, random effect, dissolve, circles, and boxes.	✓	✓		✓		✓	✓
Page Transitions	Create exciting pages with engaging transitions such as boxes, circles, wipes, checkers, splits, strips, bars, random effect, and dissolve.	✓	✓		✓		✓	✓
Print Multiple Thumbnails	Print all or selected pages within a title or print storyboards and title outlines.	✓						
Launch Program/Document with Additional File	Select any additional file from a drop-down list of previously added files, thus eliminating the need to remember the exact names of files.	✓						
Configurable Runtime Verbiage	Customize the test results dialogue box that appears after a test is completed, enabling you to quickly reword or translate result messages into another language.		✓		✓			✓
Flash Parameters	Make existing Flash files appear transparent on the web and add startup parameters.				✓			
Zoom	Edit content easier by zooming in or out.	✓	✓		✓			✓
Matching Question Improvements	Make matching questions more advanced with the new ability to easily create "false" matching items, known as distractors.				✓			✓
Drag/Drop Question Improvements	Customize drag/drop questions by converting words into drag objects or by creating distractors.				✓			✓
Group Object	Create hide/show actions more quickly and efficiently by grouping multiple objects together.	✓	✓					
Group Actions	Create an action group instead of recreating each action individually, saving time and effort.	✓	✓					
Lock/Unlock All	Make your content safe and secure by locking and unlocking the size and position of multiple items at once.	✓		✓				
HTML Preloading	Enhance speed by providing quicker HTML page loading.	✓						
Easy Object Moving	Easily move objects horizontally or vertically by holding the shift key.	✓						
Assignable Unit Prerequisites	Create custom learning paths quickly and easily by specifying requirements for moving on to a specific part of a course.	✓	✓					
Extended Button Wizard Designs	Utilize a fourth type of button known as "chiseled buttons" to enhance creative freedom.	✓	✓					✓
Multi-line Buttons	Create multi-line buttons to adhere to long titles and descriptions.	✓	✓					✓
Edit Button Wizards	Edit buttons created in the Button Wizard, which provides even more flexibility.		✓					✓
Display Message Pop-up	Enhance creative freedom by displaying messages in pop-up pages.		✓					✓
Question Feedback Pop-up	Make question feedback more engaging by displaying it in a pop-up window.		✓					✓



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Secondary Navigation	Enhance the user experience by enabling users to easily go back to the previous page they were viewing, just like a browser's back button.	✓	✓				
Expanded Spell Check	Ensure spelling accuracy of all content, including questions, by automatically checking all text within a title for spelling errors.	✓		✓			
Extended Menu Options	Align individual menu items and multi-line items to enhance the look of your menu.		✓				✓
Customizable Email Subject Lines	Make your feedback easily recognizable via e-mail by specifying the subject line in your email submission.			✓			
No BMP/TIFF Size Warning	Publish content faster with the elimination of the BMP/TIFF file warning message.		✓				
"Paste As" Functionality	Paste in rich text, plain text, and different formats of images, saving time and effort.	✓	✓				
Import/Export to Zip	Zip/Unzip a title to a single file to exchange files quickly and efficiently.	✓	✓			✓	
Convenient Window Opening	Easily import XML or run filters, such as the new zip filter, without having to open a title first.	✓					
Automatic ALT Tag	Use the first 128 characters in a text block as the Alternative Tag (ALT Tag) when the text is published out as an image, eliminating the need for you to type in a description by hand.					✓	
Multiple Text Block Formatting	Format multiple text blocks at once, which provides the convenient ability to change all fonts within selected text boxes to match.	✓	✓				
"Do Nothing" Action Option	Create buttons or images with attached actions to have no destination or action.			✓			
Enhanced Table and Cell Actions	Set the border width, border color, cell background color, cell width, cell margins, and vertical alignment within table and cell actions to enhance creativity.		✓				✓
Keyboard Shortcuts	Use keyboard shortcuts for the Add and Publish menus to save sufficient time and effort.	✓	✓				
Object Drop Visibility	Drop objects in the left-hand pane, which now shows lines between objects to ensure accuracy. This also provides easier organization.	✓		✓			
Enhanced Version Editor	Switch to editing copies of titles that are saved in different directories, enabling changes to be easily made to files saved in different locations without affecting your original copy.			✓			
Resize Animated GIFs and Videos	Resize animated GIFs and Videos to enhance creativity.		✓				✓
Find/Search Wraps	Find and search all text easily within a title, including question feedback, message display, menu text, and notes.	✓	✓	✓			
Actions on Question Objects	Make questions more interactive and engaging by adding an action, such as hide and show, to question objects.						✓ ✓
Warning Message Preferences	Create your own custom warning messages. This enables you to eliminate certain warnings, such as warnings for resource sizes, Macintosh content, Netscape content, and/or unused resources/variables.		✓				
Display Cursor Position/Color	Know exactly where your cursor is within a title with the ability to display the x and y coordinates of the cursor. This also ensures graphic consistency by displaying the RGB value of the color where the cursor lies.			✓			
Cross-Domain Redirector	Eliminate the need for the signed applet, thereby enhancing AICC communication.					✓	
Customizable Interface	Easily change Lectora's interface color set by your computer's display appearance.						✓
Print Test Results	Print test results when published to HTML or CD-ROM, providing you with a hard copy of the results to file away for future use and/or distribution.	✓					
Eyedropper Color Selection	Change the color of text, shapes, or lines by using the convenient Eyedropper tool. This can be used to ensure that all text, shapes, and/or lines have matching colors.	✓	✓				
Debug Window	View a separate debug window while running a title, enabling you to see the status and debugging information for your HTML published content.		✓				
Persist Tree and Visibility Eye	Easily go back to where you left off with the persist tree memory preference. The state of "visibility eye" as well as the open or closed states for chapters, sections, and pages are preserved between sessions.			✓			

