

iEcho Quick Start Tips

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Please note: Please make sure that your email account does not block mail from helpdesk@geminiodyssey.org; no-reply@sakai.archny.geminiodyssey.org in order to receive emails concerning your account/enrollments.

Creating an Account for New Users

(a onetime process for those who have never taken an iEcho course)

- 1. Go to the Catechetical Office website www.nyfaithformation.org.
- 2. Scroll down to very bottom; click the link for iEcho Login.
- 3. You will see the Welcome Page.
- 4. Under "Course Registration & Account Information" click Create an Account (New Students Only).
- 5. Complete the form (don't forget to click on submit!
- 6. You should receive a confirmation e-mail when your account is created. Note: usernames have a dot in them, so it is john.smith or mary.jones don't leave out the dot.
- 7. Make sure your email account does not block mail from helpdesk@geminiodyssey.org.
- 8. Once you have completed these steps, continue with the instructions for **Registering for a Course**.

Changing your Password

- **1.** Go to the Catechetical Office website www.nyfaithformation.org.
- 2. Scroll down to bottom; click the link for iEcho Login.
- 3. Under "Course Registration & Account Information," click Reset Password (Requires Authentication).
- 4. Log in with your user name and the current password.
- 5. Type in your new password and confirm it again. Click Submit.
- 6. A popup will tell you that it has been changed.

Retrieving a Forgotten Password/Username

- **1.** Go to the Catechetical Office website www.nyfaithformation.org.
- 2. Scroll down to bottom; click the link for iEcho Login.
- 3. Under "Course Registration & Account Information," click <u>Forgotten Password</u> or <u>Forgotten Username</u>, as the case may be
- 4. Fill in the requested information. Click Submit. A popup will tell you an email has been sent.
- 5. Check your email account. You have been emailed the username associated with the email you entered, or a temporary password from which you'll need to change your password from the link provided in the email. Note: make sure that your email account does not block mail from helpdesk@geminiodyssev.org
- 6. Change the password to one that suits you.

Registering for a Course

(for those who have an account):

- 1. Go to the Catechetical Office website www.nyfaithformation.org.
- 2. Scroll down to bottom; click the link for iEcho Login.
- 3. You will see the Welcome Page.
- 4. Under "Course Registration & Account Information," click *Course Registration*.
- 5. Enter your user name and password.
- 6. You will go through a three step process:
 - a. **Step 1**: Select a subject (Level I, Level II or Basic Leadership Training) by clicking on the line.
 - b. **Step 2**: Select the course. Note: not all courses will appear only those that are currently accepting registrations.
 - Step 3: Select the course section by clicking the *Register* button.
- 7. After a few minutes (please be patient), you will see the course you selected on the right in "enrolled courses."
- 8. Repeat Steps 6a, 6b and 6c as necessary.
- You will receive an email confirmation for each registration as long as your email account does not block mail from no-reply@sakai.archny.geminiodyssey.org.
- 10. Logout by clicking the button in the upper right of the window that looks like this:

Entering an iEcho Classroom

- 1. Go to the Catechetical Office website www.nyfaithformation.org.
- 2. Scroll down to bottom; click the link for iEcho Login.
- 3. Under "Access Sakai," click <u>iEcho Login.</u>
- 4. Log in with your user name and password.
- 5. You will land in "Home: Overview."
- 6. Click on "Sites" on the top right of the window.
 - Click the name of the course site you wish to enter.
 - a. Note: to make a favorite of the course so that it appear at the top of the window next to the "Home" button:
 - i. click "Sites", then click the star next to the course name, close the "Sites" window and click on <u>Reload</u> to see your updated favorite sites. The course site will appear at the top of the window next to "Home" for easy access.
- 8. Logout by clicking the button in the upper right of the window that looks like this:



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