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Challenge

David Hansson searches for a way to capture the spontaneous exchange that occurs at meeting when explaining a library document delivery application.

Solution

eBeam Whiteboard captures diagrams, notes and everything that transpires in a meeting.

Benefits

- Abstract ideas are presented visually
- Spontaneous meeting exchange is captured
- PDFs of meeting notes reinforce concepts

Location

Sweden



Swedish Developer Uses eBeam Whiteboard to Capture Lively Discussions

eBeam Whiteboard Captures Spontaneous Meeting Ideas

David Hansson is a system developer who has developed Saga, a document delivery system used at more than 10 universities throughout Sweden. Saga tracks outstanding issues, ensures copyrights are cleared and automates the document transmission process.

Hansson found eBeam Whiteboard when searching the Internet for a meeting sharing solution that would enable the capture of whiteboard notes when conducting training sessions on the Saga application to more than 50 geographically dispersed university libraries.

By combining a receiver with dry erase marker sleeves and a special eraser, eBeam Whiteboard allows users to capture everything written on a board electronically. Files can be saved, printed and shared globally in real time.

“We want to virtualize our meetings and eBeam is the best solution for this,” said Hansson.

Hansson uses eBeam Whiteboard with Adobe Connect for live video streaming and a voice conferencing system. Together these solutions allow meeting participants to see each other, chat online and view the interactive capture screen powered by eBeam.

“We want to be creative and create discussions with our customers,” said Hansson. “We use eBeam Capture to explain abstract ideas and draw flow chart diagrams.”



Hansson says that discussions are typically lively and eBeam Whiteboard provides the ability to record thoughts, erase unimportant items and adjust notes.

After a meeting, Hansson sends a PDF of whiteboard notes from the File menu of the eBeam Scrapbook interface.

The university plans to install eBeam Whiteboard in group study rooms with computers so students can capture notes and distribute the PDFs later. Hansson is working on a simple user guide that will be posted next to the board.



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