

# 7 Step Guide for At-Home Filming (COVID-19)

#### **Guide for Academic Staff and Content Providers**

\* Please note that all content created during the COVID-19 outbreak is temporary. All content will be re-recorded at a later date to meet SOL quality assurance guidelines. \*

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## 1 Planner / Video Schedule Meeting

- → Meet with Learning Technologist and Video Producer to discuss the video / media schedule derived from your completed course planner.
- → Learning Technologist will outline the project phase requirements.
- → Video Producer will discuss creative approach, formats, recommendations.
- → Please read <u>Pre-recorded Teaching guidance</u> for filming at home:
  - o video quality
  - o video framing
  - lighting
  - o audio quality and microphones
  - screen capturing

Where applicable, you may be required to adapt your planner to reflect any changes discussed about video formats following this meeting.

## 2 Pre-shoot Meeting

- → Meet with Learning Technologist and Video Producer to discuss technical aspects of at-home filming and screen capture.
- → Video Producer will provide filming guidance and make recommendations for your equipment and setup, such as framing, lighting, choosing an appropriate background, as well as guidance for presenting to camera.

### 3 Test Video

- \* You are welcome to book a live Zoom session with the Video Producer for instruction and guidance on getting started with your home video. \*
- → Follow the Pre-recorded Teaching guidance for filming at home.
- → Record a short, 10 second video of yourself with the setup in which you intend to film your videos.
- → Use the camera and microphone you intend to use.
- → Film in the location you intend to use.
- → Pay attention to details shown in the guidance documents such as framing and lighting.
- → Title this video **ClassCode\_YourName\_Test** # and upload to the designated Sharefile folder. For example: *ABC123\_John\_Smith\_Test1*
- → You will be added to the Sharefile folder after the pre-shoot meeting and provided with a link to the Sharefile location.

## 4 Test Video Feedback

- → Video Producer will receive your test and provide feedback if needed.
- → You may arrange a Zoom session with the Video Producer for live instruction and guidance on how to improve your setup and audio/video settings.
- → A second test shoot may be requested to improve your video.
- → Video Producer will approve your test video.

# 5 Filming Your Videos

- → After your test video is approved, you can start recording your videos.
- → Follow the <u>Pre-recorded Teaching guidance</u> for filming at home.
- → Name your files to **exactly match** the video title in your media schedule.
- → Include the **class code** in the file name, for example ABC123 Name of Video
- → In case of splitting videos, name files Part 1, Part 2, Part 3.

  For example ABC123 Name of Video Part 1, ABC123 Name of Video Part 2

## 6 Uploading Video Footage / Content to Sharefile

- → Video Producer will retrieve your footage from Sharefile for editing.
- → Learning Technologist will add you to the Sharefile folder.
- → Your footage must be uploaded to this Sharefile space: https://strathcloud.sharefile.eu/d-s0dad836bdb34e90b
- → In Sharefile, you will see a **Class Folder** where you must upload your footage to unless agreed otherwise.
- → In your **Class Folder**, create new folder/s for each session and name them:

ClassCode\_YourName\_Session01 ClassCode\_YourName\_Session02 ClassCode\_YourName\_Session03

For example: ABC123\_John\_Smith\_Session 1 ABC123\_John\_Smith\_Session 2

- → Please email the Video Producer to confirm you have uploaded footage.
- → Upload any Powerpoint, PDFs that are included in your videos. Name these files to include the class code and title of the video.

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#### Approving Videos and Transcripts - SEACOW

- \* You are required to review the *academic accuracy* of your video content. Style, editing and visual attributes are managed by the Video Producer. \*
- → All videos will be edited and finalised by the Video Producer.
- → Once edited, you will be required to review and approve your videos and transcripts.
- → You will review and approve your videos via a web based platform called **SEACOW**.
- → Your videos will be uploaded for you to review and approve, or to give feedback via SEACOW.
- → SEACOW will automatically notify you via email that your videos are available for review and approval.
- → Once approved, SEACOW will automatically send your video for transcription and subtitling.
- → You will review and approve your transcripts via SEACOW.
- → Your approved transcripts will be available on eStream to post to Myplace.
- → Transcripts (pdfs) will be available to download from SEACOW and can be posted to Myplace.