Adding an OIRA Syllabus Link to a Blackboard Learn Course

Please note that the OIRA/OSM Syllabus is created separately and must exist before a link to it can be added in Blackboard Learn. The OIRA/OSM Syllabus is connected to a single section in a given semester. Because of this, the OIRA/OSM Syllabus link cannot be generated for supersections or practice courses. To add an OIRA/OSM Syllabus tool to a supersection or practice course, locate the URL for the OIRA/OSM syllabus and add to the Blackboard Learn course as a WebLink.

From within a Blackboard Learn course, follow these steps to add a link to the OIRA/OSM Syllabus. Note for this example that I have already created a Content Area called “Syllabus.”

1. With Edit Mode On, navigate to the “Syllabus” content using the course menu on the left.

   The “Syllabus” Content Area opens.
2. Click the “Build Content” button to reveal its drop-down menu, and select the “OIRA Syllabus Link” item.

This opens the “OIRA Syllabus Link” dialog box. (Note that the link for your previously-created syllabus will automatically populate the “URL” field.) Enter a title for your syllabus in the “Title” field, and click “Submit.”

Your Syllabus Link will now appear in the Content Area.
When the link is clicked, the OIRA/OSM webpage will open to display your syllabus.

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