INSTRUCTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Student Instructions for i>clicker 2

Registration

- o If your instructor is using the integrated iClicker—GauchoSpace software (recommended), you will be able to register your clicker on the course GauchoSpace page.

- o Otherwise, register your clicker on the web at: http://www.iclicker.com/registration using your 7-digit PERM number as your student ID.
  Note: I>Clicker purges its database yearly, so you must re-register your i>Clicker remote each year.

  Find Clicker ID: Check on the back of the remote just above the battery plate for an 8 digit alphanumeric ID.   If the number has rubbed off, the clicker ID is always displayed immediately when powering up the remote.

Change Batteries: On the back of the remote, simply remove the battery cover. The remote uses 2 AAA batteries, and should last approximately 200 hours of use.

Change Clicker Frequency: The default frequency for the student remote is AA—this is the frequency you should use unless you are told otherwise. Some classrooms are now set to a "fixed frequency" and require you to change the frequency of your clicker. The two-letter frequency will be posted in the classroom. To change the frequency:

- • Press and hold the power button on the remote until the two-digit frequency on the LCD begins flashing.
- • Press the two-letter code (i.e., AB, BC, etc.) specified by your instructor. A checkmark should appear on your remote to indicate that you have successfully changed the remote frequency. **Note:** The i>Clicker 2 remote saves the last frequency that was entered, so it will only need to be entered once for a particular class (unless you use your remote in a different class that requires a different frequency).

Submitting answers

1. **Blue Button**: Press the blue button before every new question the instructor asks. The blue button allows you to answer different types of questions. While it might not always be necessary to press it (for example, if you are answering two multiple choice A-E questions in a row) it is a good habit to get into. The polling needs to have started in order for any of the buttons to register, so make sure you press it after the polling starts.
2. **Submitting Answers:** If your instructor has begun a multiple-choice question, simply press the letter (A-E) corresponding to what you think the answer is. This is exactly the

same as with the original i>Clicker 1. If your instructor is using a Numeric or Alphanumeric question, you must use the arrow keys to enter your answer and then press the Send key to submit it.

Troubleshooting

1. **I forgot what my last answer was and/or am not sure whether it was recorded:** With the original i>Clicker 1, students were unable to confirm whether their answers were received. However, i>Clicker 2 remotes will always display a check mark on the LCD to confirm that an answer has been received. Additionally, when answering a numeric or alphanumeric question, the LCD is not cleared between answers, so you can see your most recent response and change it, if desired, before the poll closes.
2. For additional questions, go to http://www.iclicker.com