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Captioning for Adobe® Acrobat Connect™ Web-based Meetings

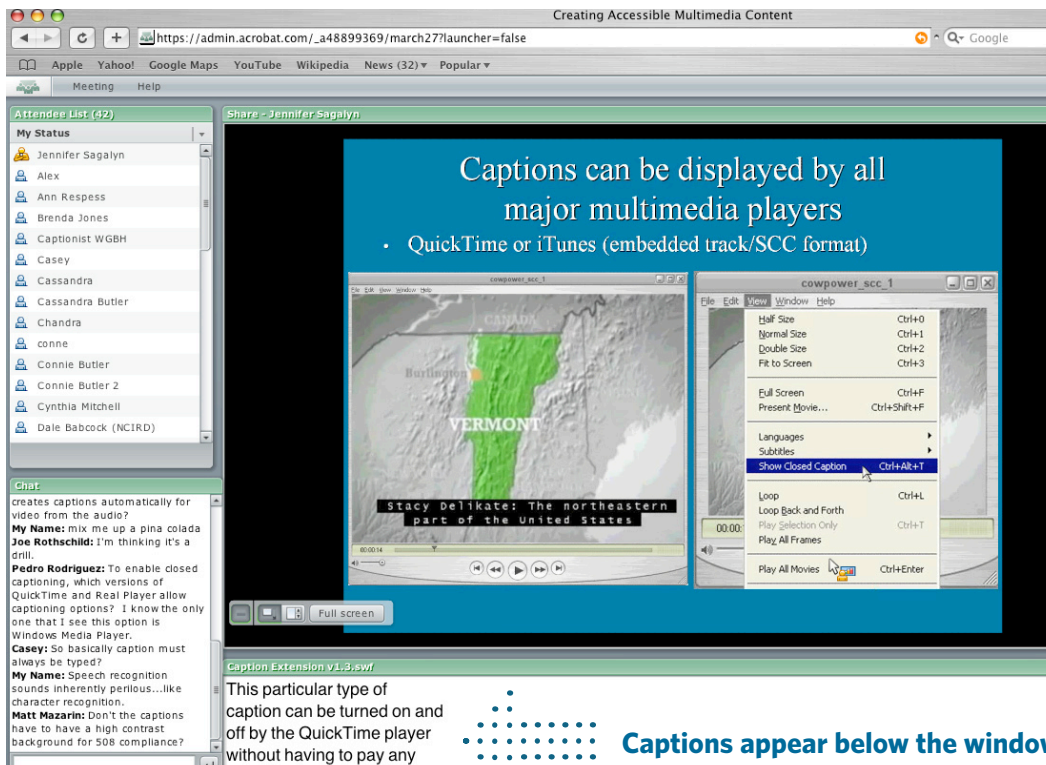
Don't leave anyone out of your next online conference, meeting or training session. If you use Adobe Acrobat Connect Professional, the Media Access Group at WGBH can help you ensure that people who are deaf or hard of hearing can fully participate in your event, and that you are Section 508 compliant. We've teamed with Adobe to develop the **Adobe Acrobat Connect Meeting Captioning Extension**, a secure, flexible Web communication system that allows you to offer live, professionally-created closed captions for meetings and events delivered via Acrobat Connect.



For more information on Adobe Connect go online: adobe.com/products/acrobatconnectpro

HOW IT WORKS

The Adobe Connect Meeting Captioning Extension, available free of charge to Acrobat Connect customers, adds a new captioning pod to your Acrobat Connect Professional environment that allows you to quickly and easily add captions to your meeting via our Web captioning service— no matter where you are in the world. Simply download and install the Adobe Connect Captioning Extension, and we take care of the rest. Our expert captioners join your meeting's teleconference and use special stenographic machines to transcribe audio as it's spoken. This information is transmitted to a captioning server, and, from there, to your Acrobat Connect Meeting participants. Those end users can view and format captions in real time or read the resulting transcript at the conclusion of the meeting.



The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Creating Accessible Multimedia Content" with the URL https://admin.acrobat.com/_a48899369/march27?launcher=false. The browser's address bar shows "Meeting Help". On the left, there is an "Attendee List (42)" with names like Jennifer Sagalyn, Alex, Ann Respass, etc. The main content area displays a video player with a map of Vermont. The video player has a caption overlay that reads: "Stacy Delikate: The northeastern part of the United States". Below the video player, there is a "Caption Extension v1.3.swf" window with the text: "This particular type of caption can be turned on and off by the QuickTime player without having to pay any". To the right of the video player, there is a menu with options like "Half Size", "Normal Size", "Double Size", "Fit to Screen", "Full Screen", "Present Movie...", "Languages", "Subtitles", "Show Closed Caption", "Loop", "Loop Back and Forth", "Play Selection Only", "Play All Frames", and "Play All Movies".

"WGBH real-time captioning services have been a great fit for our ever-changing schedule of Adobe Connect webinars at RIT. The staff at WGBH have provided superior customer service and reliable support for our on-going captioning needs. WGBH has never had a problem accommodating our rigorous webinar schedule, even with little lead time, and their staff have always communicated in a friendly and professional manner."

Jessica Hooper
Instructional Technologist
Rochester Institute of Technology,
Online Learning

 Captions appear below the window

WHY WORK WITH US?

On-air, online or on the go—wherever your content needs to be, the Media Access Group at WGBH can take it there. We pioneered closed captioning for television in 1972, and we've been leading the way in making media accessible ever since. We combine the most current thinking and technology with the most flexible and efficient production and delivery processes to guarantee that your project will be delivered on time and on budget.

Members of our expert bi-coastal staff are available 24 hours a day, seven days a week. When you call one of our full-service offices in Boston or Los Angeles, you'll speak with a live person who will attend to your project needs immediately. You will receive a clearly written summary of the services we will provide, along with all associated costs.

GET STARTED

To learn more about Web captioning, subtitling, description and other services offered by the Media Access Group at WGBH, contact us at:

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