Make campus security more comprehensive but also easier to manage

Designed specifically for the unique requirements of the educational community, Blackboard Security Management System (SMS) allows you to manage your campus physical security needs with a complete, enterprise-class system with integrated access control, video surveillance, and monitoring capabilities.

- Integrate your access control, alarm and event monitoring, and video surveillance capabilities through a rich browser-based user interface.
- Operate your system, see real-time events and video, and monitor alerts from the NetBox-integrated displays.
- Tailor the system environment — from user privileges to custom monitoring displays — specifically for your campus’ needs.

Reduced cost of ownership

- No dedicated client or database licenses
- Simple and economical upgrades/expansions
- Easily maintain with remote service tools

Easy to use and administer

- Modern, independent browser interface
- Geographic independence – manage from anywhere
- Configurable dashboard monitoring options

Premium security feature set

- Integrated door access control & video surveillance
- System administration delegation options
- Quick and configurable lockdown based on threat levels
- Flexible schedule management
- Wired & wireless capabilities
- Web user interface with granular user permissions
- Enhanced security monitoring with automated alerts & notification workflows

Scalable for changing needs

- Start with key components and build out as your requirements and campus security needs change
- Continue to leverage current investments in door access and video surveillance equipment

Extensive and seamless integration

- Works with Mercury, Assa Abloy, Allegion, multiple video providers, Otis Elevators
- Robust API for seamless integration with your key campus systems
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Integration with key campus systems
- Integrate Blackboard SMS with your Transaction System, Student Information System, Housing Information System
- Leverage Blackboard door readers and existing investments

Intelligent automated imports
- Maintain up-to-date cardholder status while retaining the ability to manually override through Blackboard’s administrative user interface

Flexible schedule management
- Create as many schedule exceptions (such as holidays) as you need — there’s no limitation on the number

Automated access level assignment
- Assign access levels based on cardholder profiles and business logic, e.g.: IF (Freshman & Engineer) THEN Access Level = “A”

Smart override technology
- Manually override automated imports of cardholder fields and Access Levels via the user interface

Collaboration
- Benefit from ongoing development and collaboration between Blackboard Transact, video surveillance, mass notification, mobile app, and hardware partners

Accountability
- Rely on a single contact point for support of the integrated solution
- Ensure no “finger pointing” between vendors