

Virtual Classroom

Davalen maintains a bank of high end virtual servers and a catalog of images to service our clients development and training needs. Whether our clients are in need of a WebSphere Portal with IBM Web Experience Factory development environment or a clustered Domino Server test environment, the virtual classroom provides the extraordinary flexibility needed by geographically dispersed teams.



Lotus. software

WebSphere. software

Information Management
software

Savings Through Technology

- No more costly all day software installation and configuration
- No more travel from across town or around the world
- No need to purchase expensive hardware to test new software

With Davalen's Virtual Classroom a pre-configured image is loaded on one or many servers and teams of developers from around the world can connect via a simple browser-based VPN connection. When mentoring or training is needed Davalen's GoToMeeting Corporate account lets users share their desktops and instructors to teach.

Use Cases

Our clients have put the virtual classroom to many good uses:

Preparing for Upgrades

Upgrading to a new version of software requires testing to make sure existing applications will function on the new software. Davalen assists client administrators and developers by mentoring them through an upgrade on our virtual servers and testing their applications.

Development Environment

When Davalen is part of a development team our virtual servers are often used as a central development location for the entire team. This allows for secure access and easy collaboration making the development effort easier and less expensive.

One Time Training

The virtual classroom is used for advanced technical training whether the instructor is in the room with the students or not. This allows for rapid classroom setup, no hardware compatibility problems and a quality experience for the students. Davalen's many IBM certified instructors use the virtual classroom frequently and it is available for rental by other training facilities.

Listen to what others are saying...

Flexible and Easy!

"I began investigating training courses in the UK but was not able to find one easily. Davalen worked with me to test my connections even before I signed up. My instructor was extremely flexible in working out the scheduling and time difference and I was able to work from my home in London. Everything worked well and smoothly and the technology was amazing." - Karen Goodman, London England

Clear, Concise and No Commute!

"Taking the Virtual Classroom was just like being there. I have taken Davalen courses in person, and this was exactly the same without the commute. It was wonderful to be able to take the class without the inconvenience of travel. Set up and instructions were clear and concise, so there were no problem connecting. It really was just like being there. I am hoping to utilize the Virtual Classroom for my next class with Davalen." - Kathy Brown, Prime, Buchholz & Associates, Inc.

Ask Questions, Interact and Have a Great Experience!

I attended Davalen's Top Gun training using their Virtual Classroom. It was a great experience in that I did not have to travel, but very much felt like I was part of the class. I was able to ask questions, interact with the instructor and the other students via the phone and see the demonstrations taking place on the "whiteboard". I would highly recommend this delivery method to and especially the Top Gun Training." -- Paul T. Calhoun, NetNotes Solutions Unlimited (NNSU)