Common Interest Groups

Each portfolio user may be a member of any number of common interest groups (CIGs). KCC will assign users to CIGs via their User ID. Users can also use the Membership Tool to join or “unjoin” CIGs with open membership. CIGs may represent courses, programs, institutional goals, co-curricular activities, or student-created groups. CIGs are also known as sites or worksites.

Figure 3: KCC Common Interest Groups

Users enter and exit CIG environments through the tabs and/or the drop-down menu across the top of the ePortfolio environment. The first tab is labeled My Workspace. Tabs represent sites for common interest groups that the individual user has joined or has been given access. To navigate between CIGs, click on the tab or the drop-down item for the site you wish to enter; the browser will refresh to display the site selected. CIG tabs are generally listed in alphabetical order. It is not possible to change the order of the tabs.

Each CIG has a Home page which may display information explaining the purpose and/or activities of the CIG and listing recent announcements and discussion items.

Figure 4: Culinary Arts Home Page