James B Collins* (jbcolli2@gmail.com). Effect of Classroom Setup on Student Learning. Preliminary report.

The physical setup of the classroom can be an important tool in making a classroom more active and student centered. This semester I was able to move the desks around in my classroom to accommodate group work and discussion. In this talk I will discuss how I was able to make this change within my department. I will also discuss the benefits I have seen in student interaction and learning with this new classroom setup, both in a strict IBL classroom, as well as a more lecture based classroom. (Received September 19, 2016)