

Other Alternatives to PowerPoint

While Prezi is an excellent presentation tool that can enhance your lectures, here are some other options that may be more appropriate for you:

- **Sliderocket.** This is a slide management tool. Sliderocket enables you to create large master-banks of slides for easy assembly and distribution. This can help you organize multiple lectures across a single course, or help you build lectures across multiple courses. Sliderocket it is somewhat more flexible than Powerpoint. However, at the moment, Sliderocket requires your work to be done on their servers rather than your personal computer.
Address: <http://www.sliderocket.com/>
- **Authorpoint.** Authorpoint is a PowerPoint add-on that can enhance the PowerPoint experience. Among other things, Authorpoint allows the author to convert a PowerPoint presentation to a timed flash presentation, with recorded voice-overs. Like LoiLo, this could be particularly useful in distance education. Authorpoint is SCORM compliant.
Address: <http://www.authorgen.com/authorpoint-lite-free/powerpoint-to-flash-converter.aspx>
- **Animoto.** Animoto is a tool that allows the user to build timed slideshows from video clips, photos, and even music. At the moment, Animoto costs a small premium to use, and Iowa does not have an institutional license.
Address: <http://www.animoto.com>.