AMX Panel: Projecting your Presentation

In this video, you will learn the basic steps needed to set up the AMX panel in your classroom for projecting your presentation.

First, you will need to connect your computer to the appropriate input connection – select either HDMI or VGA. If you use the VGA connection and you have audio in your presentation, you will need to plug the audio line attached to the VGA cable, into your device’s headphone jack.

Next, touch the AMX panel, this will illuminate the menu. Now, select Full System On. The AMX system will take a moment to warm-up – this notification will disappear when it is ready for use.

There are five main selections for using the AMX panel. These are located along the top of the screen. Begin by selecting the Main Projector option. From the dropdown menu, you will see seven input options. If you connected your computer to the HDMI 1, HDMI 2, or VGA cable, select this same connection to display your computer on the main projector. If you select the other options, Doc Camera, DVD, or Blank Screen these will appear on the Main Projector screen. If you choose Cynap and need instructions, please view the Cynap user instructions located on the OIT WolfVision Cynap page.

Next, select the Wall Projector option.

The dropdown menu selections are exactly the same as the Main Projector. If you want the same image displayed by both projectors, select the same input you selected for the Main Projector. If you would like to display something different, select another option, such as the Document Camera.

The next three selections, Cynap HDMI 1, Cynap HDMI 2 and Cynap Display, are for use with the Cynap system. If you want to use the Cynap system during your presentation, please view the Cynap user instructions located on the OIT WolfVision Cynap page.

Once you have made your input selections, there are a couple of other items to be aware of on the AMX panel.

If you are using audio in your presentation, there are audio volume controls on the panel. The audio level is controlled by using the up and down arrows. The higher the red color climbs the bar, the louder the volume. The audio controls also offer an audio mute option. When selected, it will change to red and read “Audio is muted.” When you deselect this option, it will return to blue and your audio will no longer be muted.
If you selected the DVD as one of your input options, place your DVD in the player using the open/close menu option. The DVD player is located within the podium. The DVD control options enable you to play, stop, pause, rewind, and fast forward through your DVD. It also provides controls to navigate the DVD’s menu using the up, down, left, right, and enter selections. The DVD menu also offers the option to turn subtitles on and off.

When your presentation is complete, select Return to Main Page, located in the lower right corner. Then select System Off.

If you still have questions with the setup of your AMX panel or would like more information for use with Cynap, please contact OIT for assistance.

AMX Panel Information: oit.utk.edu/tec

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