My Sam

An Introduction for General Users
Objectives

At the end of this presentation, you will be able to:

• navigate in My Sam
• apply personal layout and content customizations to My Sam
Terms

- Tabs
- Channels
- Announcements (Campus, Personal)
- Role (Student, Faculty, Staff, etc.)
What you want
Where you want it

• My Sam has tabs based on your role at the University. (Student, Employee, Faculty, etc.)
• However, you are also able to add and modify channels, and tabs to My Sam.
• The channels will be created by all of the different offices and departments at SHSU.
Why do we need My Sam?

Website redesign

• shsu.edu is no longer a portal site
• SHSU insiders needed something more secure than a website
• My Sam is our new portal, with an emphasis placed on internal audiences.
Why do we need My Sam?

• Dynamic content delivered from Banner directly into Channels.

• As programs and functions are added to Banner they will also be added to My Sam.
Why do we need My Sam?

• Efficient way to distribute massive amounts of information securely (fewer internal mass emails)
  – Channels
  – Tabs
  – And Announcements
The Future of My Sam

• You put the content where you want it.
• Your department’s voice heard by the people.
• One stop shopping for all your Administrative and reporting needs.