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## DeckChair Learning Systems congratulates partner Seneca College on research initiative

TORONTO, ON (December 1, 2009) -- On November 27, the Honourable Gary Goodyear, Canada's Minister of State (Science and Technology), announced that Seneca will receive a total of \$2.3 million in federal funding over five years for flight training research as part of the College and Community Innovation Program (CCI).

The research project will contribute to revitalizing Canada's flight training industry by finding new, innovative uses of technology for flight training; advancing Canada's knowledge and applied research expertise in the field of pilot technical and non-technical skill transfer; and fostering sustainable applied research partnerships.

DeckChair Learning Systems is proud to partner with Seneca on this project. DeckChair is a Canadian company specializing in e-learning and simulation technologies. They are working with Seneca to create a new generation of online learning tools.

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### About DeckChair

DeckChair is a Canadian online learning company that helps instructors teach more effectively resulting in improved learning for students. Their system integrates learning psychology with advanced technology and identifies gaps in learning, automatically creates individualized tutoring, and measures students' achievement. DeckChair was created to commercialize advances in computer-supported learning developed at The University of Toronto. Their services are endorsed by the President of the University of Toronto, supported by [MaRS](#) (Ontario's leading-edge commercialization facility) and [TIG](#) (The Innovations Group at University of Toronto) and have twice been awarded funds by the [Ontario Centres of Excellence](#).

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