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### **TURNITIN PLAGIARISM PREVENTION OVERVIEW**

- Deters plagiarism before it happens
- Matches text with sources
- Saves time in the investigation of the originality of a submitted paper
- Provides documentation of plagiarism
- Useful as a tool in teaching about research, writing and proper citation

### **SUBMISSIONS COMPARED TO:**

- A current and archived copy of the publicly accessible Internet (more than 5 billion pages)
- Millions of published works from Gale's *InfoTrac OneFile* and Emerald Publishing (including newspapers, full text academic journals & e-books)
- Millions of student papers that have been submitted to Turnitin since 1996
- Gutenberg Collection of Literary Classics

### **TURNITIN ORIGINALITY REPORTS**

- Originality reports let you see at a glance where there is matching text
- Instructor can decide whether a paper can be viewed by the student
- Instructor can decide whether a paper can be submitted more than once

### **TURNITIN & WEBCT**

- Turnitin is a Powerlink in WebCT Vista 4
- Turnitin *will* be added as a Powerlink in WebCT Vista 3

### **UMB TURNITIN TRIAL UPDATE**

- Trial ends May 31, 2007
- 52 people registered to use Turnitin
- 33 people have used it

### **REGISTERING FOR TURNITIN**

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