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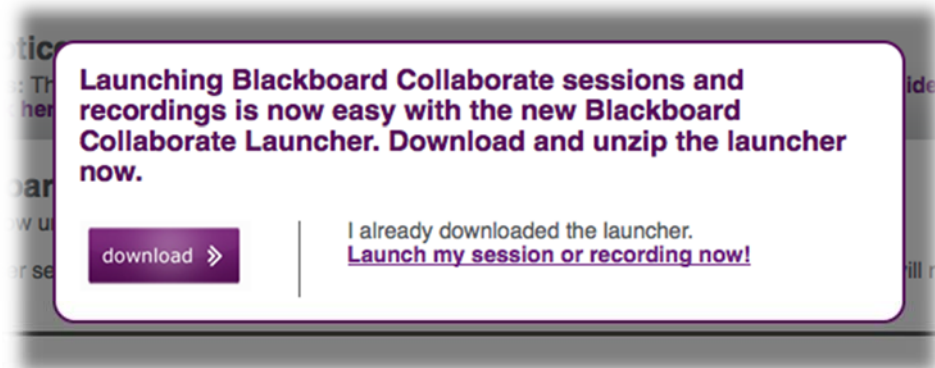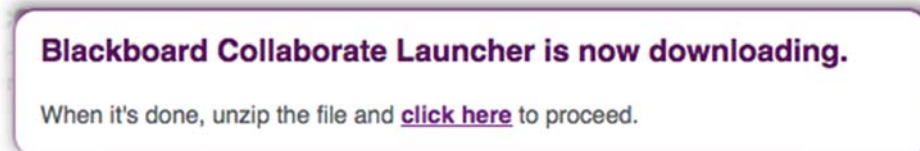
Connecting to Blackboard Collaborate
on Mac OS X 10.8.4 (Mountain Lion) or later

More information about Blackboard Collaborate Launcher can be found here at Blackboard's Website:
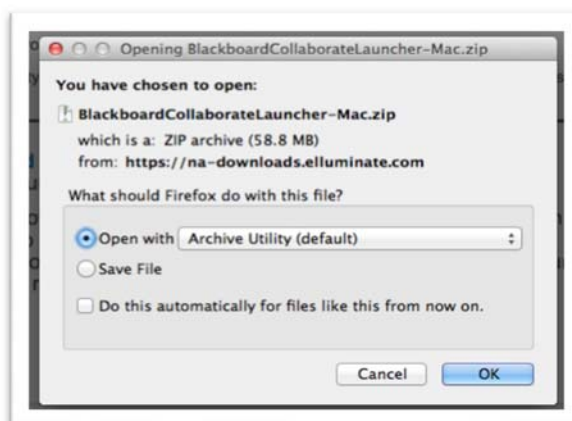http://support.blackboardcollaborate.com/ics/support/default.asp?deptID=8336&task=knowledge&questionID=3018

If you are using Mac OS X 10.8.4, you will see this popup window which gives a link to download the Collaborate Launcher application.
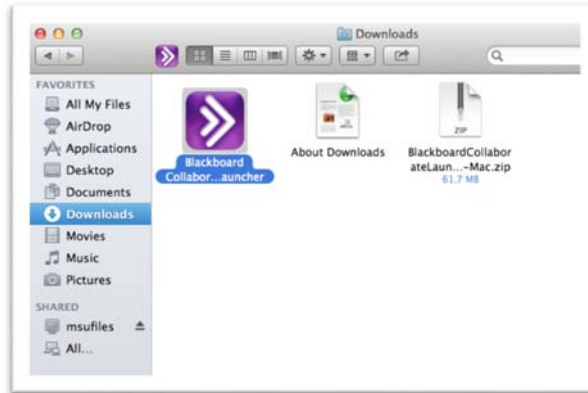

1) After clicking download, click the link **click here** to proceed.
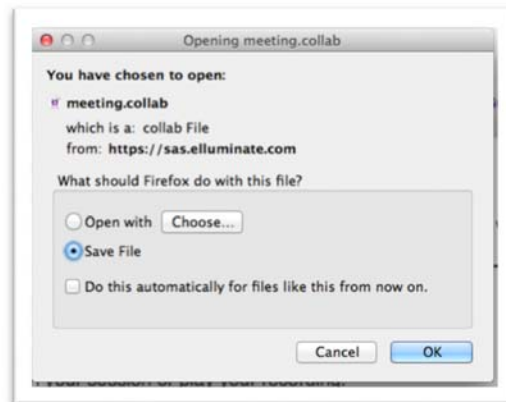

2) Click **OK** to open with Archive Utility

3) Ensure that the Blackboard Collaborate Launcher appears in your Downloads folder. If it does not appear, double click the archive **BlackboardCollaborateLauncher-Mac.zip** to expand its contents and extract the Blackboard Collaborate Launcher Application.

4) Return to the **Session Login** page, enter your name and click **Log In**

5) Select **Save File**
6) Click **OK**

7) Double-click on the **meeting.collab** file in your Downloads folder to enter the Collaborate Online Classroom

If you use collaborate regularly, you can copy the Collaborate Launcher into the applications folder. The next time you are prompted to download the meeting.collab file, choose **Open With** and select **Collaborate Launcher.**

For any additional questions, contact the University Helpdesk at 973-655-7971 opt 1. You may also see the support options offered for Blackboard Collaborate support at
http://www.blackboard.com/Platforms/Collaborate/Support/Support-for-Blackboard-Collaborate.aspx