Control Panel

The Control Panel provides links to the primary course tools within a Blackboard course. Only Instructors, Teaching Assistants, Graders, and Course Builders have access to this area. It is now located on the course’s navigation pane under Course Management, below the course menu. It enables users with editing privileges to see the changes as they are made.

A. **Collapse/Expand Control Panel:** The entire Control Panel menu can be collapsed or expanded by clicking expand/collapse icon or directly on the words Control Panel.

B. **Expand menu:** When the Control Panel is expanded, click the expand/collapse icons or the links themselves to expand each menu and view the various tools.

C. **Go to Overview Page:** The arrows facing right display the overview page for the tool in the content window. These overview pages contain brief descriptions of the various tools. Not all sections of the Control Panel have this icon.