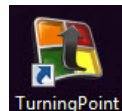# TurningPoint 5 Polling Technology
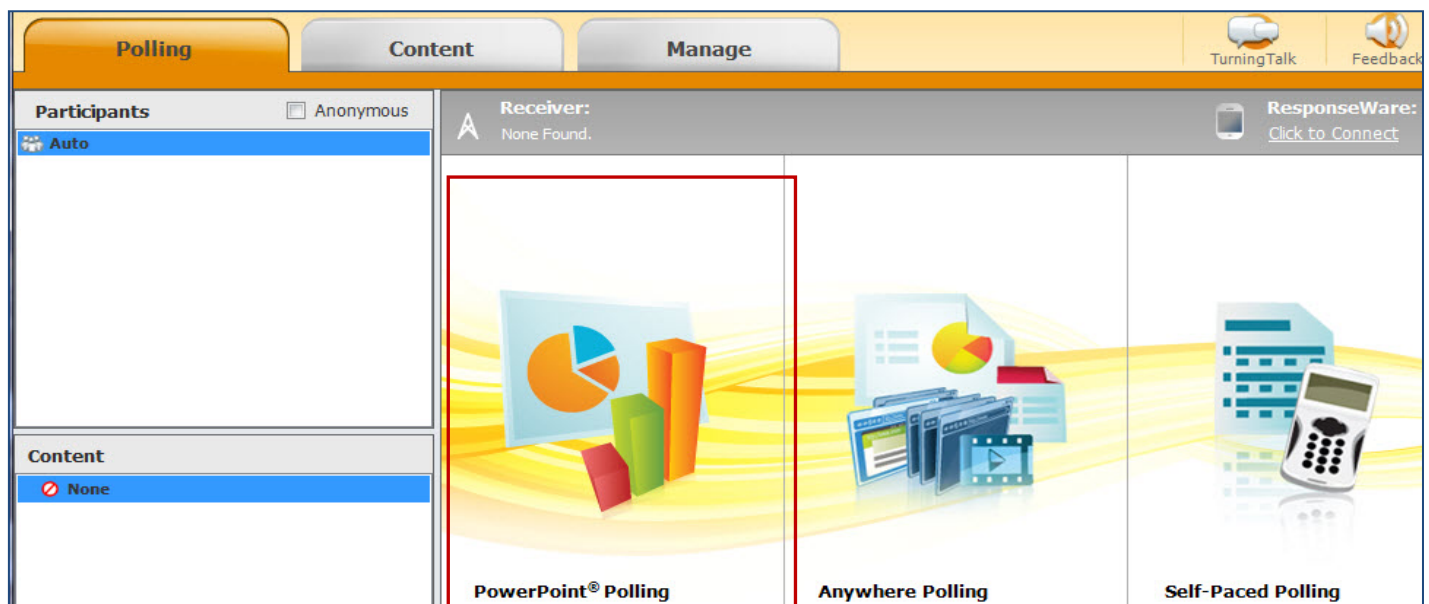
Conducting a Polling Event

UMMS recently upgraded TurningPoint software from version 2008 to 5.1. This Quick Start guide will take you through the steps to launch **TurningPoint**.

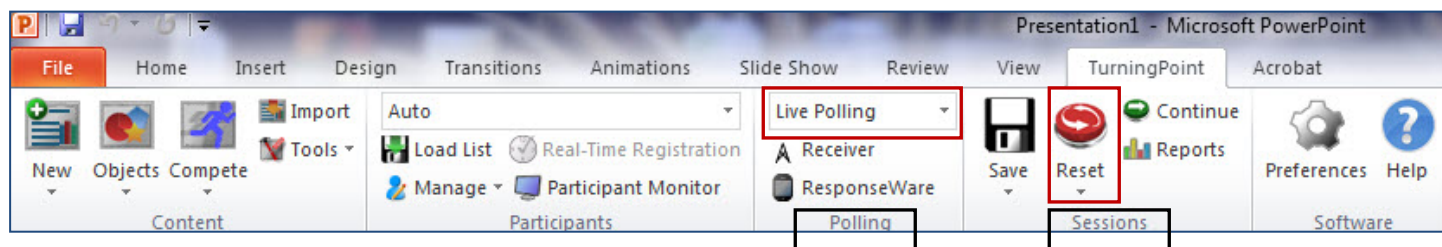1. Place your interactive PowerPoint on the computer desktop.

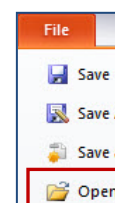2. Open **TurningPoint 5** on the desktop.

3. This TurningPoint dashboard appears. Click in the **PowerPoint Polling** block to open.
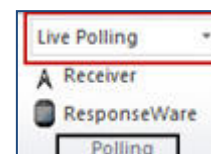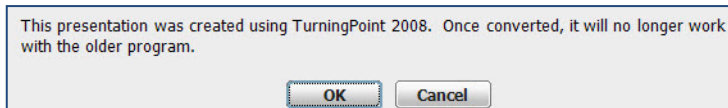
4. Click **File** in orange and choose **Open** from the dropdown menu. Navigate to your interactive PowerPoint on the desktop to open it.

- In the **Sessions pod**, click **Reset** then choose **Reset Session** from the dropdown menu.

- In the **Polling pod**, make sure **Live Polling** is chosen.

5. You will receive this message if your presentation was created in a previous version. Click **OK** to continue.

This presentation was created using TurningPoint 2008. Once converted, it will no longer work with the older program.

6. Click the **Slide Show** tab, **From Beginning** to start your live presentation.