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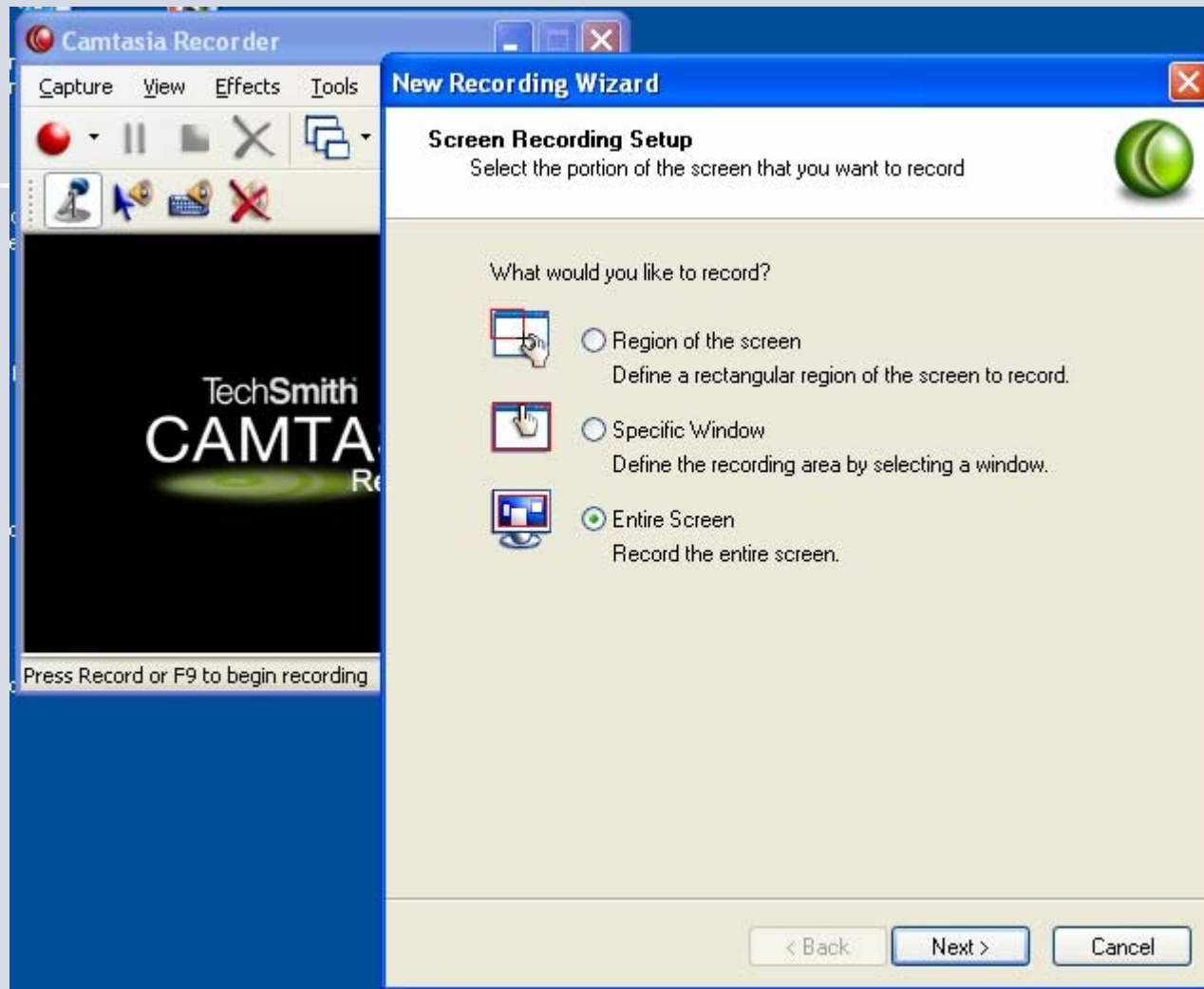
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What is Camtasia?

- Record computer screen & audio
- Edit video
- Convert to AVI, Windows Media Streaming, Quicktime Movie, Real Media Streaming, Macromedia Flash Movie and Video, GIF Animation File
- File sizes

Other Features of Camtasia

- Pack and Show & Menu Maker
- Recovery
- Create still images
- Watermark
- Drawing on the screen



Task List

- Record the screen**
- Import**
 - Import video
 - Import audio
 - Import images
- Edit**
 - Voice Narration...
 - Picture-in-Picture (PIP)
 - Transitions...
 - Callouts...
 - Zoom-n-Pan...
 - Title Clips...
 - Flash Quiz...
- Produce**
 - Produce video as...
 - Create CD menu...
 - Create web menu...
 - Batch production...
- Camtasia Studio Tips**
 - Adjusting a clip's audio
 - Replacing audio with silence
 - Defining a selection for editing

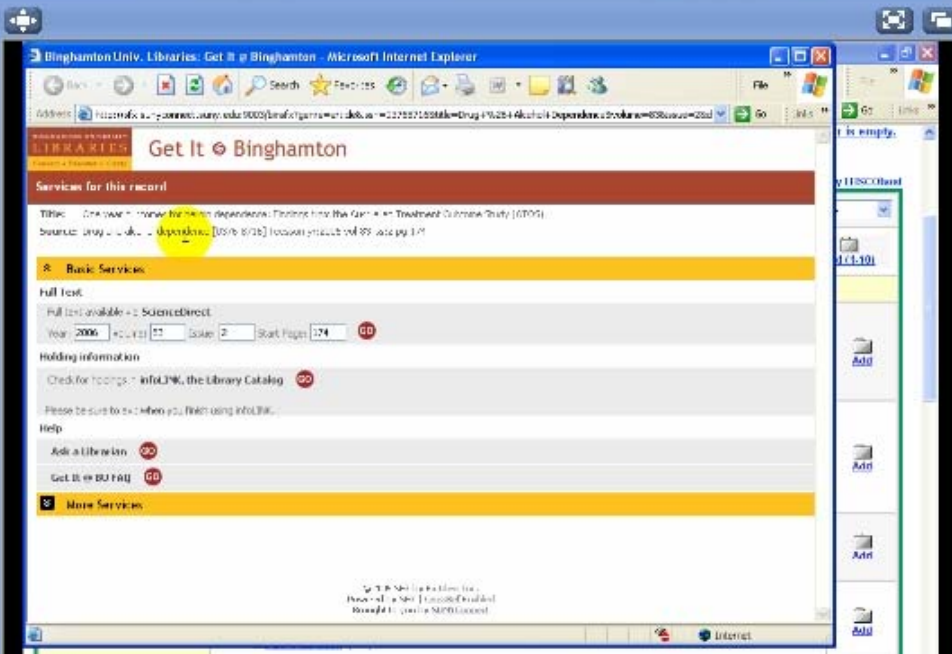
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Camtasia Recording File



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Transitions

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Show Timeline

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Limitations of Camtasia

- Cannot perform complex editing
- Interface is not intuitive
- Use on one computer
- Cannot create DVD's
- Frames per second

How are BU Libraries Using Camtasia?

- Usability Studies
- Tutorials

Usability Studies

- OPAC
- Grokker versus native interface
 - [“Like this” clip](#)
 - [“Divide-up the study” clip](#)

Tutorials

- Create simple tutorials
 - Examples: draft [Find an Article](#) and final [Find an Article](#)
- Make them available
 - Via Blackboard
 - On library subject pages

Other Uses of Camtasia

- iPod

Questions?

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