Use My Laptop


Connecting to the campus’ wireless network

**REQUIREMENT:**
In order to connect your laptop to the Internet, you must be a student, faculty, or staff member at the University of Maryland.

**LOGIN to the CAMPUS NETWORK:**
Guide to connect to the University’s wireless network:
www.it.umd.edu/nts/noc/wireless/connect.html

- Login using your University Directory ID and password (required).
- **umd-secure** is the recommended and safest wireless connection for students, faculty, & staff.
- Windows and Vista operating system directions available.
- Leopard and Tiger operating system directions available.
- iPhone and iTouch directions available.

Printing wirelessly to library printers

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**DIRECTIONS:**
Once you have logged-in to the University’s wireless network (see section above) follow these directions:

- **Start at:** www.lib.umd.edu/services/copying-and-printing/printing-from-your-laptop
- **Operating System:** choose the appropriate one for your laptop, either Windows or MAC.
- **Print** from your laptop to any library printer, from anywhere on the campus network (e.g. department, dorm room, etc).
- **Don't delay.** You must pick up your print job in a library within **2 hours** of sending it or your request will be dropped (deleted) from the print server.

Frequently asked questions (FAQs):

**GO TO:**
Learn the answers to your questions: www.it.umd.edu/nts/noc/wireless/FAQ.html

- Does my dorm room have wireless coverage?
- How do I set up a wireless router?
- Will my iPhone work on the wireless network?
- Can I give wireless access to my visiting friends & family?
- ...and more!
Guest access?

- Library staff does not sponsor Guest Wireless Accounts. Please use the public computers available in all campus Libraries.
- Other University faculty and staff may provide this access if they agree to do so: www.it.umd.edu/nts/noc/wireless/guestaccess.html

eduroam

- **What is eduroam?** eduroam is a secure service that allows students to have access to wireless internet when visiting participating institutions by using their student ID and password from their home institution. The University of Maryland has joined eduroam.
- **Which USMAI and other local schools participate in eduroam?** UMD, UMUC, UMB, UMBC, Towson, Morgan State, and Georgetown all participate in eduroam.
- **For more information about eduroam at UMD,** visit the UMD IT division's information page: http://www.it.umd.edu/nts/noc/wireless/eduroam.html

Security and your Laptop

![Thief image]

**It only takes a minute for a thief to strike!**

Avoid being a crime statistic. Do not leave your laptop unattended.

All campus buildings are public spaces, even the Libraries, so be vigilant about guarding the safety of your personal belongings.

Getting a wired connection:

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**CONNECT to the NETWORK:**
Students, faculty and staff may get directions at: register.net.umd.edu
Commuter students may get directions at: register.net.umd.edu/Commuter/index.html

Need help with your wireless or wired connection?

**STUDENTS:**
Call 301-405-1400 - Help Desk at the Office of Information Technology (OIT)

**FACULTY and STAFF:**
Call 301-405-1500 - Help Desk at the Office of Information Technology (OIT)